

**TO APPROVE CONSOLIDATION OF DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WORKFORCE
INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT (WIOA) AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
AND HUMAN SERVICES CHILD CARE DEVELOPMENT FUND (CCDF) GRANTS
UNDER PL-102-477**

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

RONALD PERRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL BILL

A COUNCIL BILL

TO APPROVE consolidation of Department of Labor Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act and Department of Health and Human Services Child Care Development Fund grants pursuant to Public Law 102-477.

WHEREAS Congress has enacted Public Law 102-477 which allows Tribes to voluntarily consolidate various Employment Training and related programs;

WHEREAS Public Law 102-477 permits the consolidation of funding received for these programs and allows greater flexibility in the development, coordination, and operation;

WHEREAS the Choctaw Nation (the "Nation") administers the Department of Labor Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) and the Department of Health and Human Services Child Care Development Fund (CCDF) grants;

WHEREAS the Nation seeks to consolidate the WIOA and CCDF grants pursuant to PL-102-477; and


WHEREAS the Tribal Council finds it is in the best interest of the Nation to approve consolidation of the WIOA and CCDF grants pursuant to PL-102-477.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this bill be cited as approval to continue to consolidate the Department of Labor Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act and the Department of Health and Human Services Child Care Development Fund grants, as well as other related funding for programs, and authorizes them to be administered in accordance with the Nation's 102-477 plan.

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CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as speaker of the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of twelve (12) seats. Eight (8) members must be present to constitute a quorum. I further certify that Twelve (12) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on May 14, 2022. I further certify that the foregoing Council Bill CB- 118 -22 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of Twelve (12) members, Zero (0) negative votes, and Zero (0) abstaining.


Thomas Williston, Speaker
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Ronald Perry, Secretary
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Gary Batton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 5-17-22

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Purpose/Need of Council Bill: The purpose of this bill is to approve the consolidation of the Department of Labor Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act and the Department of Health and Human Services Child Care Development Fund grants. Under PL-102-477, the federal government allows Tribes to voluntarily consolidate various employment training and related programs. The consolidation of such funding for programs creates greater flexibility in the development, coordination, and operation of trial programs.

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Agency: Department of Labor and Department of Health and Human Services

CNO Department: WIOA and CCDF

Request by Project Director/SEO: Teresa Jackson, SEO of Member Services.