

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 57th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 2481
Version:	CS
Request Number:	8319
Author:	Speaker McCall
Date:	3/1/2019
Impact:	OHCA savings: \$2300

Research Analysis

The CS for HB 2481 replaces the existing Oklahoma Health Care Authority Board with a nine member board composed of appointees of the Governor, Speaker and President Pro Tempore and modifies its duties. The bill also authorizes the Governor to appoint the agency's administrator.

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Fiscal Analysis

The CS for HB 2481 adds two new members to the Oklahoma Health Care Authority Board and modifies the appointing authority for the Board. The measure also eliminates travel reimbursement expenses for members of the Board, saving the agency approximately \$2,300 annually.

The measure also modifies the appointing authority for the OCHA Administrator, as well as the process by which the Administrator's salary is to be fixed. The measure does not directly establish the salary of the Administrator. It is unknown if the new process will result in increases or decreases in the Administrator's salary for future years.

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Other Considerations

None.