

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

SB 320 increases the number of members on the Oklahoma Commission on Children and Youth from nineteen to twenty. The new member will be appointed by the Governor and must possess some experience as it relates to the Federal Indian Child Welfare Act and the Oklahoma Indian Child Welfare Act. Additionally, a person appointed to serve a vacant term shall be eligible to serve four two-year terms. This measure also increases the term of regularly appointed members of the Commission from three to five years.

The measure also modifies the duties of the Commission as well. SB 320 empowers the Director to employ staff without the express approval of the Commission. Programs funded by grants may be referred to the Oklahoma State Auditor for audits.

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Fiscal Analysis

FY'20 Impact: Minimal

Full Year Impact: Minimal

SB 320 will add one additional member to the Commission on Children and Youth. The members of the Commission are reimbursed for travel by the agency, so there is a small impact on this measure absorbed by the agency.