

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

The CCS on SB 441 modifies school-hours policies. Beginning with the 2021-2022 school year, a school district may adopt a school schedule lasting at least 1,080 hours with no minimum amount of days of instruction per school year if it meets or exceeds the minimum guidelines for student performance and school district cost savings established by the State Board of Education. If a school district adopts a school-hours policy with at least 165 days of instruction, the school must notify the State Board of Education, but is not required to meet the minimum guidelines. The Oklahoma School for the Blind and the Oklahoma School for the Deaf are exempted from the provisions of the measure, provided the school receives approval to adopt a school-hours policy from the State Board of Education.

Conference Committee Report

The CCS on SB 441 delays the time by which school districts must adopt a school schedule meeting the requirements of the measure from the 2020-2021 school year to the 2021-2022 school year and requires that rules adopted by the State Board of Education are subject to the approval of the Legislature.

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