

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB1395
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Research Analysis

HB 1395, as introduced, pertains to the Oklahoma Horse Racing Act. The measure allows members of the Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission, and members of their immediate family, to receive certain rewards and awards from the Oklahoma Breeding Development Fund Special Account.

The measure further allows an organization licensee to move the starting gates at a trial heat if they are using a device approved by the horsemen's representative and stewards that ensures the gates are set in the same position.

Lastly, the measure repeals this section of law:

[OS 3A Section 202 - Conflicts of Interest](#)

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 1395 removes the prohibition of members of the Horse Racing Commission and their immediate families from receiving certain funds related to horse races, repeals the conflict of interest statute regarding members of the Commission, and allows approved devices to move the starting gates of certain horse races. This measure has no direct fiscal or revenue considerations for the state.

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Other Considerations

Per the Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission, this measure would have a fiscal impact on the Oklahoma-Bred Program within the Commission.