

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 59th Legislature

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| Bill No.: | HB3138 |
| Version: | PCS1 |
| Request Number: | 10484 |
| Author: | McDugle |
| Date: | 2/27/2024 |
| Impact: | Please see previous summary of this measure |

Research Analysis

The PCS1 to HB 3138 creates the Death Penalty Moratorium Act. The measure provides that the execution of judgement in all cases where a sentence of death has been imposed are stayed until further act of the Legislature. The Court of Criminal Appeals is prohibited from ordering the execution of the judgement in cases where a sentence of death has been imposed and prohibits future execution dates from being set by the Court of Criminal Appeals or the Governor. The measure vacates all execution dates currently in place. The measure suspends all statutes governing the execution of the penalty of death. The measure creates the five-member Death Penalty Reform Task Force to create reports describing in detail the degree to which the recommendations contained in the 2017 Report of the Oklahoma Death Penalty Review Commission have been put into effect in this state and must submit a report no later than November 30, 2025 and each year thereafter until the dissolution of the task force on November 30, 2029.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.