

**BILL SUMMARY**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 59<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB3196</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>Int</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	<b>9145</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**Research Analysis**

HB 3196, as introduced, increases the maximum number of Oklahoma State University veterinary students accepted into the rural Oklahoma veterinary training program from three to five. Additionally, the interest rate for students who are unable to fulfill their post-graduation full-time practice obligation is increased from two percent to four percent.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

This measure moves the administration of the student loan repayment program from the Veterinary School to the Oklahoma State University Veterinary Medical Authority (OSUVMA) and makes some minor changes to the program. OSUVMA does not believe the changes will change the cost of the program. Therefore, there is no fiscal impact to the state.

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**Other Considerations**

None.