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Research Analysis

SB1188 appropriates funds from the Statewide Recovery Fund of the State Treasury to the Health Care Workforce Training Commission in the following allotments:

- \$1,300,000.00 of so much thereof as may be necessary to establish a grant program with Northeastern Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College for the purpose of recruiting, education and stabilizing Oklahoma's health care workforce;
- \$1,253,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary to establish a grant program with Rogers State University for the purpose of recruiting, education and stabilizing Oklahoma's health care workforce;
- \$7,000,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary to establish a grant program with East Central University for the purposes of expanding nursing education capacity to be used for recruiting, education, and stabilizing Oklahoma's health care workforce;
- \$5,000,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary due to increased costs of the project funded in Section 1 of SB 1458 of the 2nd Session of the 58th Legislature;
- \$1,002,471.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary due to increased costs of the project funded in Section 8 of SB1458 of the 2nd Session of the 58th Legislature; and
- \$3,030,319.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary due to increased costs of the project funded in Section 1 of SB 8 of the 2nd Extraordinary Session of the 58th Oklahoma Legislature.

The measure creates a Statewide Recovery Special Account for the Health Care Workforce Training Commission for each appropriation section in the act. The Commission is authorized to request in writing that the monies appropriated be deposited or transferred to the created accounts. The Commission may also enter into memorandums of understanding and promulgate rules or establish procedures as well as use existing rules and procedures to implement the provisions of the act.

The Commission must retain no more than 2% of the funds for eligible reimbursements. The Commission must submit a quarterly report detailing fund budgeting, expenditure, and management as well as a copy of all memorandums of understanding and third party contracts. The Commission must appear before the Joint Committee on Pandemic Relief Funding, at their request, no later than 6 months after the act's effective date to provide a status update on implementation.

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Fiscal Analysis

This measure appropriates Eighteen Million Five Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$18,585,790.00) from the Statewide Recovery Fund (SRF) to the Healthcare Workforce Training Commission for various projects as approved by the Joint Committee on Pandemic Relief Funding on May 11, 2023.

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Other Considerations

None.

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