

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB397
Version:	FA2
Request Number:	8335
Author:	Leader Echols
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Impact:	Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

The second floor amendment to SB 397 requires the Oklahoma Department of Libraries (ODL) to develop procedures for schools to use to ensure their library materials, and any acquisition of new materials, are reflective of community standards.

The ODL is required to submit the procedures to the Legislature prior to the last 30 days of the 2024 legislative session. Through a joint resolution, the Legislature must approve, disapprove in whole or part, or amend in whole or part, the procedures. If the Legislature disapproves, or has instructions for changes, the ODL may make revisions and resubmit the procedures.

The procedures must be adopted by all school districts by July 1, 2024.

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Fiscal Analysis

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

Prepared By: House Fiscal Staff

Other Considerations

None.