BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

The proposed policy committee substitute for HB 1565 requires each referral received by the hotline alleging abuse or neglect in which the alleged perpetrator is not someone responsible for the child be immediately reported in writing to the appropriate local law enforcement. The hotline supervisor must ensure that the report has been made. The Department of Human Services must maintain a record of its transmission of each record to law enforcement.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 1565 requires the Department of Human Services (OKDHS) to ensure that Abuse and Neglect Hotline supervisors notify local law enforcement immediately, in writing, when a referral of abuse or neglect is received, and the alleged perpetrator is not the child's legal guardian. The measure requires OKDHS to maintain a record of each report made to law enforcement.

OKDHS officials confirmed the provisions of the measure are feasible within existing resources. Therefore, HB 1565 is not expected to have a direct impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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