

BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

HB 2169 designates the Oklahoma Counter Terrorism Intelligence Center as the Oklahoma Fusion Center and establishes the Center as a distinct agency of the state. The measure creates the 12 member Oklahoma Fusion Center Commission. The Commission is to select an executive director for the Oklahoma Counterterrorism Information Agency. The duties of the Commission are to:

- Establish the policies of the Center;
- Adopt and promulgate rules as necessary and appropriate to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the Center;
- Appoint an Executive Director and other staff;
- Prepare a budget for expenditures necessary for the proper maintenance of the Commission and accomplishment of its purpose.

The Oklahoma Fusion Center shall have the power and duty to:

- Establish and maintain an information clearinghouse in order to accept and appropriately process intelligence information provided by law enforcement agencies, public safety agencies, private sector agencies, and concerned citizens;
- Provide informative reports and intelligence assessments, both strategic and tactical, for homeland security initiatives;
- Provide real-time intelligence support to law enforcement and public safety agencies;
- Consolidate information and data on suspicious activities and threats from all jurisdictions within Oklahoma and the public;
- Facilitate communication and collaboration with multidisciplinary partners including local, state, and federal law enforcement and non-governmental organizations; and
- Provide early warning of incidents at the local, regional, and state levels.

The Executive Director is to receive a law enforcement commission by either the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation, the Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control, or the Oklahoma Department of Public Safety. The measure creates the Oklahoma Fusion Center Revolving Fund.

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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.

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