

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT SUMMARY

Measure HB 1446

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General Subject Matter: Immigration

General Description of **Major Differences** between the current report and the version last seen and voted on in the House and the sections in which such differences are located:

√ Changes from engrossed House measure which were made in the Senate and contained in conference committee report/substitute (applies *only* to House measures):

None

√ Changes made in conference:

Adds new Section 3. Creates a new law criminalizing fraudulent immigration assistance practices.

Adds new Section 5. Authorizes law enforcement officials to endorse T and U Nonimmigrant Status Certifications stating that the applicant is assisting law enforcement in the investigation and prosecution of certain crimes.

Adds new Section 6. Authorizes law enforcement officials to determine the citizenship status of individuals detained in a jail for a misdemeanor offense.

Adds new Section 7. Provides that the Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control is to be the primary investigative agency for the investigation of human trafficking and human smuggling offenses.

Adds new Section 8. Authorizes the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training to establish and provide law enforcement training and education relating to illegal immigration. The training and education must include relevant immigration law, illegal immigration enforcement and apprehension, identification and detention of illegal immigrants, and any relevant administrative, legal and operational issues related to the performance of illegal immigration law enforcement functions.

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