

**BILL SUMMARY**  
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<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB 1035</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>Com.Sub.</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Author:</b>	<b>Rep. Casey, et al.</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>Potential loss of fed. funds</b>

**Research Analysis**

The committee substitute allows students to graduate from high school without having to take certain end-of-instruction exams depending upon their scores on alternate tests. Students who have an ACT, ACT PLAN, SAT or PSAT score that is the greater of one point or 10 percent above the cut score established by the State Board of Education as proficient for the subject area in which those exams are approved alternate exams will be exempt from taking end-of-instruction exams in those subject areas and eligible to graduate from high school. Students who have a WorkKeys job skills assessment, Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate or College Level Examination Program score that is the great of one point or 10 percent above the cut score in subject areas where those exams are an alternate test also will be exempt and may graduate.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

Committee Sub. for HB 1035 relates to the Oklahoma School Testing Program and provides exceptions from certain end-of-instruction examination requirements. Further, the State Board of Education will not limit the ability of a student to demonstrate mastery of academic content to any one approved alternate exam. Department of Education personnel provide that there is the potential loss of federal funds.

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**Other Considerations**

None at this time