

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 54th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB1240
Version:	CS
Request Number:	6954
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Impact:	Cost to District Courts \$200,000

Research Analysis

HB 1240 would require the court to forward copies of orders of mental health commitments or findings of adjudication which would make a person unable to purchase a firearm to the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation and to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for inclusion in the National Instant Criminal Background Check system. The measure establishes a procedure for a person subject to such an order to petition the court to remove restrictions.

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Fiscal Analysis

The committee substitute for HB1240 requires court clerks to forward commitment orders to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation. According to the Administrative Director of the Courts, state courts do not have appropriate data exchanges in place with either of these parties at this time and would not be able to develop them before the effective date of this measure. The Court Administrator estimates the cost at approximately \$200,000.

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Other Considerations

None