

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	HB 2397
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Impact:	OMES: No Impact

Research Analysis

The Committee Substitute for HB 2397 modifies the State Travel Reimbursement Act by allowing a state employee to file a travel claim, in lieu of a signed affidavit. The measure removes the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department's authorization to enter in to agreements for the payment of exhibitor fees and display space charges at expositions that are to promote the department's recreational facilities and tourism and recreation industry. The measure removes the current per diem cap of \$36. The measure adds that when a traveler has lodging provided at no cost to the state, he or she may claim a \$10 lodging per diem in addition to means and expenses. Finally, the measure applies the present 24-hour time limit for out-of-state travel to in-state travel.

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Fiscal Analysis

Office of Management and Enterprise Services (OMES) officials indicate the measure will have no fiscal cost and is intended to provide clarity and to improve the efficiency of travel procedures.

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Other Considerations

None.