

**BILL SUMMARY**  
1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 55<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB1728</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>Dept. of Labor: \$0</b>

**Research Analysis**

HB 1728, as introduced, amends the Alternative Fuels Technician Certification Act. The timetable for conducting certification examinations is altered, and the waiting period to retake the test after failing is shortened from 90 days to 30. Liability insurance requirements are removed as a condition for certification. Certification fees would be applied per fuel type.

The measure would move enforcement and penalty authority from the Alternative Fuels Technician Hearing Board to the Commissioner of Labor. The processes for denial, revocation or suspension of a certificate would be modified. Thirty days written notice would be required, during which time the applicant or licensee could request a hearing. New penalties are added, including failure to meet minimum National Fire Protection Association standards and performing work without certification.

The measure includes an emergency clause.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

Upon review of HB 1728 as well as with consultation with the Oklahoma Department of Labor, it is determined HB 1728 has no direct fiscal or revenue considerations at this time.

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**Other Considerations**

None.