BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 54th Legislature

Bill No.: SB 920 Version: Engrossed

Request Number:

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Impact: Revenue Neutral

Research Analysis

The measure defines cottage food production operation as an individual operating out of the home who produces non-time and temperature control food products for direct-to-consumer sales, regardless of income generated. The Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry is authorized to promulgate rules for permits, frequency of inspection, permit application requirements, standards for cleanliness and label requirements. The department may contract with any state or private entity for administration of the Cottage Food Law. To sell any food product, people must obtain the appropriate permit from the Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry; the State Department of Health or any other state, municipal or county entity. The permit fee to become a cottage food production operation will be \$175 and renewal will be \$125.

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Fiscal Analysis

Engrossed SB 920 creates the Cottage Food law and provides the Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry create rules for this industry. The measure also provides for licensing and renewal fees. According to ODAFF officials, the measure is expected to be revenue neutral for the Department based on the \$175 licensing and \$125 renewal fees.

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Other Considerations

None.

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