

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 55th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB2177
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Impact:	Corporation Commission: \$0

Research Analysis

HB 2177, as introduced, amends the 2011 Shale Reservoir Development Act. Its new name would be the Extended Lateral Horizontal Well Development Act.

The scope of the act is extended beyond the Marmaton common source of supply, to any source designated by the Corporation Commission as one suited for a multiunit horizontal well.

If a planned horizontal well would extend beyond the boundaries of the existing units in that common source of supply, the option is given to use a multiunit horizontal well. The Corporation Commission would allocate costs and proceeds related to the multiunit horizontal well to each of the units it affects.

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Fiscal Analysis

After review of HB 2177 and consultation with the Corporation Commission, it is determined there is no fiscal impact on the state.

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Other Considerations

None.