

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 55th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB2397
Version:	INT
Request Number:	8177
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Impact:	Zero cost to state.

Research Analysis

HB 2397 adds to the list of persons who may file for an expungement to include a person was convicted of a misdemeanor offense, the person was sentenced to pay a fine which has been paid or was satisfied by time served in lieu of paying the fine, the person has not been convicted of a felony, and no felony or misdemeanor charges are pending against the person. The measure also allows a person who was convicted of not more than two nonviolent felony offenses, not listed in Section 571 of Title 57 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the person has received a full pardon for both of the nonviolent felony offenses, no felony or misdemeanor charges are pending against the person, and at least twenty years have passed since the last misdemeanor or felony conviction. Lastly, the bill provides that a person who was convicted of a misdemeanor offense and the person was sentenced to a term of imprisonment or a suspended sentence to seek an expungement if at least five years have passed.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB2397 relaxes the requirements for certain expungements of certain criminal records. This will not have a negative fiscal impact to state revenues.

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Other Considerations

None.