

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 55th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB809
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Research Analysis

SB 809 allows a municipality or other political subdivision to enact certain rules related to oil and gas operations as long as they are consistent with Corporation Commission rules and Title 52 of the Oklahoma Statutes. These include road use provisions, noise requirements, and setback and fencing requirements. They may not prohibit or ban any oil and gas operations, and all other oil and gas regulation is made the exclusive jurisdiction of the Corporation Commission. The measure further provides that any ordinance or rule adopted by a municipality that interferes with use or control of an individual's mineral estate shall constitute a taking, pursuant to Article 2, Section 24 of the Oklahoma Constitution.

The bill repeals Title 52, Section 137: Municipal Corporations - Rights Not Limited, and includes an emergency clause.

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Fiscal Analysis

Upon review of SB 809, it is determined to have no fiscal or revenue considerations for the state at this time.

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Other Considerations

None.