BILL SUMMARY

2nd Session of the 55th Legislature

Bill No.: SJR68 Version: FA

Request Number:

Author: Rep. Mulready
Date: 4/19/2016
Impact: Indeterminate

Research Analysis

Please see previous summary of this measure.

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Fiscal Analysis

The FA to SJR68 doesn't change the fiscal impact (see below).

SJR68 would put a vote to the people on the November ballot to abolish the ABLE (Alcoholic Beverage Laws Enforcement) Commission. Should the resolution be placed on the November ballot and become law, the ABLE Commission would no longer exist as a state agency.

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Other Considerations

The fiscal impact that the probable "yes" vote could have on state revenue is indeterminate on account that SJR68 does not clearly state what entity will be in charge of properly enforcing and administering the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, Oklahoma Charity Games Act, and Prevention of Youth Access to Tobacco Act, what entity will issue all licenses which are currently authorized to be issued by the Commission, what entity will conduct investigations and to make reports concerning violations of the Oklahoma Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, Youth Access To Tobacco Act, and Charity Games Act and to make orders for its enforcement, what entity will make recommendations concerning the suspension or revocation of any licenses and the levying of fines against licensees for violations of the Acts or the Rules and Regulations of the Commission, what entity will regularly inspect all places of business of licensees, and what entity will aid the enforcement authorities of the state or any county or municipality in the prosecution of any violations of the Acts.

Presently, the ABLE Commission generates approximately \$6.3 million per year through the application of their mission. The ABLE Commission receives approximately \$2.8 million of the revenue generated for the state.