

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 56th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 3117
Version:	INT
Request Number:	9565
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Impact:	Estimated cost for each hearing \$300

Research Analysis

The introduced measure stipulates that the State Department of Education will notify school board members who have failed to complete their continuing education requirements for service on a board. Board members who are removed for failure to complete these requirements are prohibited from running for or holding a board of education seat for a two-year period. The measure establishes an appeal procedure for board members that have been notified they are not in compliance with their continuing education requirements.

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Fiscal Analysis

If the Board elects to hire a hearing officer, the Oklahoma State Department of Education (OSDE) estimates each hearing will require approximately two hours and the estimated hourly rate of a hearing officer is \$150. In 2017, the OSDE sent out notification letters to 23 school board members who did not meet the continuing education requirements.

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Other Considerations

None.