## **BILL SUMMARY**

2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Legislature

Bill No.: SB 1005 Version: ENGR

**Request Number:** 

Author: Rep. Kannady
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Impact: Widens scope of felony, establishes a felony

## **Research Analysis**

SB 1005 modifies the definitions of forcible sodomy and rape by providing that it is a violation of these acts when committed on a person who is at least sixteen years of age but less than eighteen years of age by a person responsible for the child's health, safety or welfare. The measure modifies the crime of lewd molestation by providing that it is a criminal act to force or require a child to defecate or urinate upon the body or private parts of another, or for the purpose of sexual gratification. The measure provides that any parent or person responsible for the child's health, safety or welfare who commits lewd molestation when the victim is at least sixteen years of age but less than eighteen years of age is guilty of a felony subject to not more than ten years imprisonment.

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## **Fiscal Analysis**

SB 1005 increases the number of situations that can be charged as forcible sodomy and creates a new felony charge. This could increase the number of individuals incarcerated. The current average cost of incarcerating one person in DOC custody for the State of Oklahoma is \$58.70/day or \$21,425.50/year. The ultimate fiscal impact is contingent upon how many individuals are convicted of the crime and the length of their sentence.

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## **Other Considerations**

None.

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