

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 56th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 324
Version:	ENGR
Request Number:	
Author:	Rep. Sanders
Date:	3/28/2017
Impact:	Possible minimal cost to Office of the Lieutenant Governor, DPS, DOC, and ODOT

Research Analysis

SB 324 creates the Oklahoma State Award Committee to administer the awarding of the Oklahoma Medal of Valor for meritorious service and the Oklahoma Purple Heart for serious line of duty injuries for law enforcement and public safety members.

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Fiscal Analysis

The ENGR version of SB 324 which deals with the creation of the Oklahoma State Award Program Committee (OSAP) could have a fiscal impact on certain state agencies, however this would depend on how often members would be “reimbursed for reasonable and necessary expenses arising from Committee activities or business.” According to the bill, “Such expenses shall be paid by the respective agencies at which the member is employed at the time the expense is incurred.” This could create a potential cost for: the Office of the Lieutenant Governor, DPS, DOC, and ODOT. These costs most likely would be minimal, and therefore the impact would be minimal to none for the state.

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Other Considerations

None.