BILL SUMMARY

1st Session of the 56th Legislature

Bill No.: SB 36 Version: ENGR

Request Number:

Author: Rep. Cleveland Date: 3/27/2017 Impact: \$0

Research Analysis

Engrossed SB36 modifies the definition of *pistols*, *concealed handgun and unconcealed handgun* as it relates to the Firearms Act and Oklahoma Self Defense Act. The measure makes the terms *pistols* and *firearms* synonymous in meaning and redefines the terms to mean any firearm capable of discharging single or multiple projectiles from a single round of ammunition using a combustible propellant charge. The definition *of concealed handgun* is redefined as a loaded or unloaded pistol or handgun not openly visible to the ordinary observation of a reasonable person. The terms *unconcealed handgun* and *open carry* are also to be considered synonymous in meaning and is redefined as a loaded or unloaded pistol or handgun carried upon the person in a holster where the firearm is visible or carried upon the person using a scabbard, sling or case designed for carrying firearms.

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Fiscal Analysis

The ENGR version of SB 36 which modifies definitions has no fiscal or revenue considerations for the state.

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Other Considerations

None.

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