

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

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SJR 45</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>FA1</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	
<b>Author:</b>	<b>Rep. Calvey</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>4/26/2018</b>
<b>Impact:</b>	<b>\$0 appropriated dollars, TSET funds redirected</b>

**Research Analysis**

FA1 restores the title, removes language requiring the Legislature funding the Graduate Medical Education Programs at OSU and OU with TSF funds, and instead directs the Legislature to appropriate a certain portion of the funds to the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services to fund mental health and substance abuse criminal justice diversion programs. It authorizes the Board of Directors of TSETF to expend earnings on these types of programs.

SJR45 submits a constitutional amendment to a vote of the people that, if approved, would modify the Tobacco Settlement Endowment Trust Fund (TSETF). It would end deposits into the fund on December 31, 2018. It directs one-hundred percent of future deposits received from the Master Settlement Agreement with tobacco companies into the Legislature's Tobacco Settlement Fund (TSF). The Board of Directors of TSETF may expend up to seventy-five percent of its earnings that accrued to TSETF during the preceding fiscal year, and the Legislature may appropriate up to twenty-five percent of the earnings to the Oklahoma Health Care Authority for the financial support of the GME Programs and for the Medicaid program. The GME programs have priority over Medicaid.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

FA1 to SJR 45 removes Oklahoma Health Care Authority, Oklahoma State University, Oklahoma University and the Dean's Graduate Medical Education Programs as recipients of the redirected TSET fund and replace those with the Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services and directs TSET funds be used to match dedicated county funds for the purpose of funding mental health and substance abuse criminal justice diversion programs.

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**Other Considerations**

None.