Oklahoma State Senate

Bill Summary and Fiscal Impact

Agency: State Department of Education

Bill Number: SB 824

Senate Author: Stanislawski

House Author:

FY '18 Impact: See below

Full Year Impact: See below

Bill Summary and Comments:

This bill establishes a new minimum salary schedule with a \$7,200 pay increase for teachers. It removes language that excludes flexible benefit allowance in determing a teacher's minimum salary. It amends Title 70, Section 26-103 (8) by removing teachers, counselors and librarians from the definition of "certified personnel". Under this bill teachers who receive the \$7,200 salary increase are excluded from receiving the FBA but other certified personnel will continue to receive the FBA.

The pay increase is calculated using the definition of teacher as amended by HB 3218 (2016). Number of teachers included in the calculation is 44,954.

Fiscal impact for FBA is calculated using FY 17 premium of \$571.04