## **BILL SUMMARY**

1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 58<sup>th</sup> Legislature

Bill No.: HB1887
Version: Introduced
Request Number: 6640
Author: Williams
Date: 2/2/2021
Impact: Please see previous summary of this measure

## **Research Analysis**

HB 1887, as introduced, expands the definition of *substantially burden* in the Oklahoma Religious Freedom Act to include prohibiting or limiting religious gatherings. The measure further prohibits any governmental entity from issuing any order or rule requiring closure of a place of worship, and that any such rule shall be considered a substantial burden to the free exercise of religion, even if the rule is generally applicable and is issued pursuant to a state of emergency.

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## Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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## **Other Considerations**

None.

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