

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 58th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 4196
Version:	INT
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Impact:	No Impact

Research Analysis

HB4196 creates the "Needed Oklahoma Workers Act" and establishes a revolving fund to consist of state appropriations for the State Regents to carry out the provisions in the Act. The Regents are to distribute one-third of the funds to colleges and universities for nursing students, one-third for engineering students, and one-third for students pursuing a teaching degree. The money shall be divided amongst state colleges and universities on a per-student basis. The measure directs the Regents to implement the policies and procedures for the administration of the act.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure establishes the Needed Oklahoma Workers Fund within the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education consisting of state appropriated funds. Of the funds appropriated, one-third will be divided among institutions for enrolled nursing students, one-third for enrolled engineering students, and one-third for enrolled teaching students.

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Other Considerations

None.