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ODOT: Budget Neutral

Research Analysis

SB 1229 establishes the Highway Construction Materials Technician Certification Revolving Fund as the new name for the revolving fund. The measure repeals <u>Title 69 Sections 1951</u> through 1962 and 1964, which relate to the Oklahoma Highway Construction Materials Technician Registration Act. Repealing these sections eliminates the Highway Construction Materials Technician Certification Board and removes all authority and duties the Board had regarding the revolving fund. It also authorizes the usage of funds for the certification of individuals seeking to become registered highway construction materials technicians.

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Fiscal Analysis

SB 1229 eliminates the Highway Construction Materials Technician Certification Board (HCMTCB) and assigns such duties to the Department of Transportation (ODOT). Under existing law provides staffing and administrative assistance to the HCMTCB. Officials from ODOT view the measure as a streamlining of process that is not expected to result in the need for increased appropriations.

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Other Considerations

Section 1 of the bill strikes through HCMTCB's, "the Board", authority to budget and expend from the Highway Construction Materials Technician Certification Board Revolving Fund" but does not insert a new agency with such budgeting and expenditure authority. As drafted, no state agency would appear to retain budgeting and expenditure authority for the HCMTCB after the passage of SB 1229.

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