

**BILL SUMMARY**  
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<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>SB1426</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>No impact; DHS can absorb</b>

**Research Analysis**

Engrossed SB1426 modifies procedures for when child support services are being provided under the state child support plan. If DHS determines that an order for child support may not meet the guidelines, they may issue a notice to modify the child support order. DHS is required to service notice on the obligor and the custodial person in which they inform them of the style and case number of the order, the issue date, the initials and date of birth of the child(ren) who are the subjects of the child support order, amount of existing monthly obligations, that the monthly obligation may not be in compliance with child support guidelines, that the order should be modified, the proposed modified amount, the proposed medical support order, proposed child care expenses, amount if past due support, that the proposed modified support and obligations shall become court-ordered, an immediate income assignment will be ordered, all payments will be made to the Centralized Support Registry, address of record on file, either party may request an administrative hearing within 20 days of the notice being served, and that the notice will become the order of modification and will be filed with the clerk of the district court. The notice will be served either by mail or in the manner discussed in statute. The notice will state that failure to appear at the scheduled hearing may result in the notice becoming the court order. If a timely hearing is not requested, then DHS will submit an order incorporating the notice by reference. DHS will promulgate rules to implement these provisions.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

Per the Oklahoma Department of Human Services: Costs created by this change are already in the budget.

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**Other Considerations**

None.