

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	HB3129
Version:	Introduced
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Impact:	Net Savings- \$1,000,000

Research Analysis

HB 3129 amends several sections of the Oklahoma Central Purchasing Act. These amendments include:

- Allowing the State Purchasing Director to withhold access to the state procurement system for personnel not in compliance with state purchasing rules;
- Prohibiting state agencies from contracting with a supplier for services if those services are already provided in another statewide contract;
- Subjecting sole source acquisitions to requisition requirements;
- Removing the fee limit that OMES can charge suppliers to register their business with the Purchasing Division; and
- Removing sole brand acquisitions.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 3129 restricts state agencies from contracting with suppliers outside of a statewide contract for the same products or services offered by a suppliers within a statewide contacts. Additionally, this measure authorizes the State Purchasing Director to withdraw access to state procurement systems for those agencies not in compliance. Per the Office of Management and Revenue Services (OMES), this requirement would result in a positive gain for OMES of at least One Million dollars (\$1,000,000.00), as this measure would increase efficiencies and protect against fraudulent spending by state agencies.

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Other Considerations

None.