BILL SUMMARY

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Impact: No Impact

Research Analysis

The committee substitute for HB 3275 outlines a committee process for reviewing and adopting school subject matter standards. The State Board of Education must work in collaboration with an Executive Committee, a Writing Committee, and a Draft Review Committee, each made up of diverse individuals who are Oklahoma residents. The board will also seek public feedback from stakeholders such as students, educators, families, and community organizations. After new standards are adopted, the State Department of Education will update curriculum frameworks with resources to support public school districts with implementation of the standards.

The measure also subjects standards to legislative review and approval one year prior to the textbook adoption cycle. The board may determine a review of standards is not necessary if the textbook cycle for a subject is conducted in less than six years. If subject matter standards are reviewed less than 12 years after substantive changes have been made, the Executive Committee, in consultation with the Department, may recommend minor changes to the Board and waive the committee requirements.

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Fiscal Analysis

As written, the measure is not anticipated to result in a negative fiscal impact on state appropriations or the budget.

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Other Considerations

None.

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