

BILL SUMMARY
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Research Analysis

The committee substitute to HB 3598 requires law enforcement agencies that utilize fixed security cameras, vehicle mounted cameras, or body cameras to establish policies and procedures addressing the proper use, maintenance, and storage of the various cameras and the data recorded by the cameras. The policies must include guidelines for proper use of the cameras; proper storage and retention of data recorded by the cameras; a policy that permits a peace officer to review the data before writing a report or providing a statement; and policies regarding the proper release of audio and video data in compliance with the Oklahoma Open Records Act. Any policy permitting review of recorded footage by a peace officer may not be used to delay or deny records requests or public access to recorded footage from such cameras.

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Fiscal Analysis

The CS to HB3598 establishes policies and procedures relating to the use, maintenance, and storage of certain cameras and recordings for peace officers. In its current form, HB3598 is not anticipated to have an impact on state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.