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Bill Analysis

SB 398 provides that the Oklahoma Department of Veteran Affairs shall serve as the state's principal assistance organization under the United States Department of Defense's SkillBridge program for employers and transitioning servicemembers. The Department shall establish certification for the program as well as educate businesses and transitioning servicemembers on the SkillBridge program and its benefits. Additionally, the Department is directed to assist businesses in obtaining approval for skilled workforce training curricula and match transitioning servicemembers who are deemed eligible for SkillsBridge participation by their military command with training opportunities offered by the corporation or participating businesses.

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