

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 59th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 2459
Version:	Conference Committee Substitute
Request Number:	8379
Author:	Rep. Hill and Rep. McDugle
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Impact:	Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

The conference committee substitute for HB 2459 modifies personnel definitions according to the [Filmed in Oklahoma Act of 2021](#) and authorizes the Department of Commerce to approve:

- an incentive of five percent of the qualified production expenditure amount for projects that filmed on location at least 25 percent of the time;
- an incentive of two percent of the qualified production expenditure amount for the post production costs of music production, recording, composition, or licensing of Oklahoma music;
- a maximum incentive increase, excluding above-the-line-personnel, of 30 percent;
- an incentive of 20 percent for nonresident crew; and
- an incentive of two percent of the qualified production expenditure amount for projects that film at least 25% of principal photography days in a municipality with a population of 25,000 or less.

The measure also requires projects that receive incentives to display a Department of Commerce-approved logo in the credits for at least five seconds.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.