

Bill Summary
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Bill Analysis

SB 674 creates the Oklahoma Organized Retail Crime Task Force. The Task Force shall provide the Legislature and the Governor with information on organized retail crime and the advantages and drawbacks of instituting various countermeasures to counter losses from retail theft and shall disband after December 31, 2024. The Task Force shall be comprised of 15 members appointed by the Governor, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Speaker of the House, District Attorneys Council, Oklahoma Retail Merchants Association, State Chamber, Oklahoma Sheriffs' Association, Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police, Convenience Distributors of Oklahoma, the Oklahoma Grocers Association, and the Attorney General. Appointments shall be made to the Task Force no later than 60 days after the effective date and the first meeting shall be held no later than 90 days after the effective date. Members of the Task Force shall not receive compensation but may receive travel reimbursement for necessary travel expenses. The Task Force shall submit a report to the Governor, the President Pro Tempore, the Speaker, and the chairs of the House and Senate committees that oversee public safety on or before December 15, 2024.

House Amendments

HA's to SB 674 adds 2 members compared to the engrossed version. The newly added members are appointed by the Grocers Association and Convenience Distributors of Oklahoma.

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