

**BILL SUMMARY**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 60<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB 4317</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>Please see previous summary of this measure</b>

**Research Analysis**

The policy committee recommendation for HB 4317 modifies educational standards for certified public accountant (CPA) exam candidates and initial certification applicants by requiring a bachelor's degree and specific advanced accounting and business coursework. There are two pathways available for meeting these requirements based on when the candidate completed their courses.

Additionally, the Oklahoma Accountancy Board may grant a CPA certificate to applicants licensed in other jurisdictions, provided they demonstrate that their education and experience meet Oklahoma's licensing standards.

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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.