

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 60th Legislature

Bill No.:	SB 32
Version:	ENGR
Request Number:	
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Impact:	No Negative State Impact

Research Analysis

The engrossed version of SB 32 specifies that the Oklahoma National Guard Educational Assistance Program is subject to the limitations established by the Oklahoma Regents and the amount of assistance will include program fees and other fees. The mandatory fees will be jointly reviewed by the State Regents and Oklahoma Military Department . The State Regents are authorized to determine fees or fee amounts that are ineligible for assistance and will not be provided to program participants. The measure provides that the number of program participants will be subject to any cap established by the Military Department, of which they are authorized to establish a cap on the number Guard members allowed to participate in undergraduate or graduate programs per semester. The measure adds that an eligible Guard member can possess a Military Occupational Specialty or Air Force Specialty Code after their first semester to maintain program eligibility. The Military Department is required to promulgate regulations regarding the application process and determination of eligibility while the State Regents and the Department will coordinate on rules and regulations.

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Fiscal Analysis

The engrossed version of the measure is not anticipated to result in a negative fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.