BILL SUMMARY

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Bill No.: HB 2736
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Impact: No Impact

Research Analysis

The proposed policy committee substitute for HB 2736 specifies that applicants for a certified public accountant certificate to practice in any jurisdiction must submit to a criminal background check conducted by the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation (OSBI), with the results provided directly to the Oklahoma Accountancy Board. The measure also removes the requirement that applicants must reside in the state immediately prior to submitting their application.

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Fiscal Analysis

In its current form, HB 2736 provides that applicants for a certificate of certified public accountant must submit to a criminal background check. The results must be provided to the Oklahoma Accountancy Board by the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation.

This measure is not expected to directly impact State revenue or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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