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## RED BANNER UPDATE

**Date:** May 5, 2017

**Re:** SB 0015

**Signed:** May 1, 2017

**Effective:** Immediately

**Topic:** Teacher Recruitment

**Summary:** SB 0015 creates new law regarding teacher recruitment. The law requires OSDE and the regents for higher ed to work cooperatively to develop programs aimed at recruiting teachers. This work is subject to the availability of funds, but the new law does designate that \$20 from each “Oklahoma License to Educate” plate be deposited into an account created for this purpose.

No change is anticipated for any district policy or procedure.