
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 43rd Legislature (1991)

SENATE BILL NO. 452

BY: EASLEY

AS INTRODUCED

AN ACT RELATING TO EMINENT DOMAIN; VITALIZING
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT; DEFINING TERM; PROVIDING
FOR CODIFICATION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 16 of Title 27, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. In every case wherein private property is taken or damaged for public use, the person whose property is taken or damaged shall be entitled to just compensation.

B. "Just compensation", as used in subsection A of this section, shall mean the value of the property taken, and in addition, any injury to any part of the property not taken. Any special and direct benefits to the part of the property not taken may be offset only against any injury to the property not taken.

SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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