

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 43rd Legislature (1992)

SENATE BILL NO. 656

BY: MICKLE of the SENATE

and

DUNEGAN of the HOUSE

AS INTRODUCED

AN ACT RELATING TO GAME AND FISH; AMENDING 29 O.S.

1991, SECTION 3-102, WHICH RELATES TO WILDLIFE
CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP; CLARIFYING
LANGUAGE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 29 O.S. 1991, Section 3-102, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 3-102. A. The Wildlife Conservation Commission shall
consist of one member from each of eight districts of the state,
such districts to include the areas as follows:

District No. 1: Ottawa, Delaware, Craig, Mayes, Nowata, Rogers,
Washington, Tulsa, Pawnee and Osage Counties.

District No. 2: Adair, Sequoyah, Cherokee, Wagoner, Muskogee,
Haskell, McIntosh and Okmulgee Counties.

District No. 3: LeFlore, Latimer, Pittsburg, Atoka, Pushmataha,
McCurtain, Choctaw, Bryan, Marshall, Carter and Love Counties.

District No. 4: Creek, Lincoln, Okfuskee, Seminole,
Pottawatomie, Pontotoc, Hughes, Johnston and Coal Counties.

District No. 5: Logan, Oklahoma, Cleveland, McClain, Garvin, Murray and Payne Counties.

District No. 6: Blaine, Kingfisher, Canadian, Caddo, Grady, Comanche, Stephens, Jefferson and Cotton Counties.

District No. 7: Ellis, Dewey, Roger Mills, Custer, Beckham, Washita, Kiowa, Greer, Jackson, Harmon and Tillman Counties.

District No. 8: Cimarron, Texas, Beaver, Harper, Woodward, Woods, Major, Alfalfa, Grant, Garfield, Kay and Noble Counties.

B. Each Commissioner shall be appointed by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma, by and with the consent of the State Senate of the State of Oklahoma, and shall be removed only for cause, as provided by law for the removal of officers not subject to impeachment, pursuant to Sections 1181 through 1197 of Title 22 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

C. The term of office of each such member shall be eight (8) years, except that the first appointed members shall hold office for terms as follows: the member appointed from District No. 1 shall hold office until July 1 following his appointment, and the members appointed from Districts 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 shall hold office until July 1 of the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth succeeding calendar years, respectively. In the event the Governor fails to fill a vacancy within thirty (30) days following such vacancy, the remaining members of the Commission may appoint a qualified person to fill such vacancy for the unexpired portion of the term.

D. The members of the Commission shall be allowed travel expenses as provided in the State Travel Reimbursement Act, Section 500.1 et seq. of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective September 1, 1992.

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