

ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1022

By: Kirby, Glover and Benson
of the House

and

Helton of the Senate

(veterans - amending 72 O.S., Section 33 - State Veterans
Cemetery - effective date)

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 72 O.S. 1991, Section 33, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 33. A. The Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs,
acting by and through the War Veterans Commission, is authorized to
accept any donation or gift of land for the purpose of establishing
a State Veterans Cemetery and may enter into agreements with the
federal government, the state, or any political subdivision of the
state for acquiring by gift, purchase or otherwise such lands as are
in the judgment of the Commission suitable and desirable for the
State Veterans Cemetery.

B. Any land acquired by the Department on behalf of the state
for the purpose of establishing the State Veterans Cemetery shall be
in the custody of and subject to the jurisdiction, management and
control of the Department. The Commission shall promulgate rules
~~and regulations~~ establishing criteria for the use of such cemetery
and any costs or fees necessary for burial and maintenance purposes.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1995.

Passed the House of Representatives the 9th day of March, 1995.

Speaker of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 1995.

President of the Senate