
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 46th Legislature (1998)

HOUSE BILL NO. 2619

By: Davis

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to game and fish; prohibiting the hunting of white deer; providing a penalty for violation of the provisions; providing a definition of a white deer; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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 5-414 of Title 29, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. No person may possess, hunt, chase, harass, capture, shoot at, wound or kill, take or attempt to take, trap or attempt to trap a white deer without specific written permission of the Director of Wildlife Conservation.

B. Any person convicted of willfully violating any of the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by imprisonment in the county jail for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days, or by both the fine and imprisonment.

C. For purposes of this section, a "white deer" is any whitetail or mule deer exhibiting a deficient pigmentation condition

known as albinism or with a genetic mutation which results in the piebald coloration of the animal.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective September 1, 1998.

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