

ENGROSSED SENATE  
BILL NO. 1187

By: Rozell of the Senate  
and  
Culver of the House

[ water and water rights - surrender of water rights -  
permit holders -  
emergency ]

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 82 O.S. 1991, Section 105.19, is amended to read as follows:

Section 105.19 A. The Oklahoma Water Resources Board may accept the surrender of any water right by the holder thereof pursuant to rules ~~and regulations adopted~~ promulgated by the Board.

B. Holders of pending permit applications shall file annually with the Board a document stating their intent to use their water right, if they desire to keep such permit pending before the Board. The Board shall designate the form used for this purpose and shall mail such form to each holder of a pending permit annually.

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.

Passed the Senate the 29th day of February, 2000.

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President of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,  
2000.

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Speaker of the House of  
Representatives