

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 47th Legislature (1999)

HOUSE BILL NO. 1106

By: Erwin

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to natural resources agencies; amending 74 O.S. 1991, Section 1802, which relates to the powers of the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Commission and the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department; updating language; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 1991, Section 1802, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1802. A. There is hereby created the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Commission, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission," and the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department, hereinafter referred to as the "Department."

B. The Commission and the Department shall be the successors to the Oklahoma Industrial Development and Park Commission and the Oklahoma Industrial Development and Park Department insofar as their authority and duties relate to lodges, parks, recreation, special events and tourism.

C. Subject to the provisions of Section ~~16 hereof~~ 1816 of this title, all employees presently employed by the lodges, parks and recreation, and tourism and information divisions of the Oklahoma Industrial Development and Park Department and who are under the Merit System shall be retained in their present or comparable positions with the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department.

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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