

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 48th Legislature (2002)

SENATE BILL 1269

By: Shurden

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to tourism; amending 74 O.S. 2001, Section 1811.5A, which relates to renaming of state parks; renaming Fountainhead State Park as Eufaula State Park; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2001, Section 1811.5A, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1811.5A A. Dripping Springs State Park located in Delaware County, Oklahoma, is hereby renamed "Natural Falls State Park". All references to Dripping Springs State Park located in Colcord, Delaware County, Oklahoma, shall mean Natural Falls State Park. The Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department shall provide for such name change in current and future signage and information materials.

B. Sallisaw State Park located in Sequoyah County, Oklahoma, is hereby renamed "Brushy Lake State Park". All references to Sallisaw State Park located in Sallisaw, Sequoyah County, Oklahoma, shall mean Brushy Lake State Park. The Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department shall provide for this name change in current and future signage and information materials.

C. Beaver State Park located in Beaver County, Oklahoma, is hereby renamed "Beaver Dunes State Park". All references to Beaver State Park located in Beaver County, Oklahoma, shall mean Beaver Dunes State Park. The Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department

shall provide for this name change in current and future signage and information materials.

D. Heavener State Park located in LeFlore County, Oklahoma, is hereby renamed "Heavener-Runestone State Park". All references to Heavener State Park located in Poteau, LeFlore County, Oklahoma, shall mean Heavener-Runestone State Park. The Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department shall provide for this name change in current and future signage and information materials.

E. Wister State Park located in LeFlore County, Oklahoma, is hereby renamed "Lake Wister State Park". All references to Wister State Park located in Poteau, LeFlore County, Oklahoma, shall mean Lake Wister State Park. The Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department shall provide for this name change in current and future signage and information materials.

F. Fountainhead State Park located in McIntosh County, Oklahoma, is hereby renamed "Eufaula State Park". All references to Fountainhead State Park located in Eufaula, McIntosh County, Oklahoma, shall mean Eufaula State Park. The Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department shall provide for such name change in current and future signage and information materials.

G. 1. Effective July 1, 2001, the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Commission is hereby authorized to lease, in the name of the State of Oklahoma, such lands and area located within the Lake Hugo area in Choctaw County, Oklahoma, which are under control and direction of the United States Army Corps of Engineers, as the Commission may determine to be adaptable and sufficient for the purposes of locating and establishing an Oklahoma state park and park facilities, and under such terms and conditions as may be satisfactory to the United States Army Corps of Engineers in charge. The park shall be known as the Hugo Lake State Park.

2. To the extent that funds are appropriated by the Legislature for that specific purpose, the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation

Commission is hereby authorized to operate and maintain Hugo Lake State Park.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2002.

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