

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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SENATE BILL 1630

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to torts; limiting number of persons allowed on certain land for specified purposes; amending 76 O.S. 2001, Section 12, which relates to liability of certain property owners; limiting liability of certain landowners; 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 5-213 of Title 29, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

No landowner shall allow more than twelve (12) persons at any given time on his or her land for the purposes of hunting pheasant. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00).

SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 76 O.S. 2001, Section 12, is amended to read as follows:

Section 12. A. Except as specifically recognized by or provided in Section ~~5~~ 14 of this ~~act~~ title, an owner of land which is used primarily for farming or ranching activities, who either directly or indirectly invites or permits without charge any person to use such property for recreational purposes, does not thereby:

~~(a)~~ 1. Extend any assurance that the premises are safe for any purpose;

~~(b)~~ 2. Confer upon such person the legal status of an invitee or licensee; or

~~(e)~~ 3. Assume responsibility for or incur liability for any injury to person or property caused by an act or omission of such persons.

B. Notwithstanding paragraph (b) of Section 14 of this title, the provisions of subsection A of this section granting limited liability to an owner of land which is used primarily for farming or ranching activities also extend to those owners who invite or permit, pursuant to a fee or charge, a person to use such property for hunting.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2002.

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