

ENGROSSED SENATE AMENDMENT
TO
ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1569

By: Morgan (Danny) of the House

and

Crutchfield of the Senate

(oil and gas - wellbore or equipment - setback
distances - codification -
effective date)

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Page 1, strike the stricken title, enacting
clause and entire bill and insert

"An Act relating to oil and gas; prohibiting habitable
structures within certain distances from wellbores
and certain oilfield equipment; stating exemption
upon certain agreement; providing for codification;
providing effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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 318.10 of Title 52, unless there
is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. After the effective date of this act, it shall be unlawful
to locate any habitable structure within:

1. A radius of one hundred fifty (150) feet from the wellbore
of an active well; or

2. A radius of fifty (50) feet from the center of any surface
equipment or other equipment necessary for the operation of an
active well, including, but not limited to, hydrocarbon and brine
storage vessels, tanks, compressors, heaters, separators,
dehydrators, or any other related equipment.

B. Provided, however, the provisions of this section shall not
prohibit an operator and surface owner from agreeing in writing to

setback provisions with distances different from those set forth in this section.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2003.

SECTION 3. 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 16th day of April, 2003.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
2003.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives