

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 2546

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to game and fish; providing for a
8 five-year fishing, hunting, and combination
9 hunting/fishing license; establishing the fee for the
10 five-year licenses; making license holders subject to
11 certain restrictions and regulations; making five-
12 year hunting license in lieu of all other licenses
13 and permits; establishing fee for issuance of
14 duplicate license; requiring purchase of a five-year
15 Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp; establishing five-year
16 Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp fee; providing for
17 distribution of the stamp fee; authorizing the
18 Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission to provide
19 for issuance of the stamp; requiring termination of
20 the stamp and stamp fee upon completion of certain
21 conditions; providing for codification; and providing
22 an effective date.

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

24 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 4-113.1 of Title 29, unless
there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. All legal residents who have resided in the state for at
least six (6) months may purchase five-year fishing licenses, five-

1 year hunting licenses or five-year combination hunting/fishing
2 licenses from the State Wildlife Conservation Director.

3 B. The fee for these licenses shall be:

4 1. Five-year fishing license, Sixty Dollars (\$60.00);

5 2. Five-year hunting license, One Hundred Twenty Dollars
6 (\$120.00); and

7 3. Five-year combination hunting/fishing license, One Hundred
8 Fifty Dollars (\$150.00).

9 C. The use of the licenses provided in this section are subject
10 to those restrictions provided by statute and the regulations of the
11 Wildlife Conservation Commission. Except as otherwise provided for
12 in this section, the five-year hunting license shall be in lieu of
13 all annual hunting licenses and all special season permits.

14 D. Should any lifetime license be lost or destroyed, a
15 duplicate will be issued by the Department of Wildlife Conservation
16 for a fee of Ten Dollars (\$10.00).

17 E. A five-year licensee shall not lose the privileges of such
18 license by a subsequent transfer of residency.

19 F. 1. In addition to the fees imposed pursuant to subsection B
20 of this section, a person purchasing a five-year fishing, hunting or
21 combination license shall be required to purchase a five-year
22 Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp. Each person shall have the stamp in
23 their possession while hunting, fishing, or taking any wildlife.
24 The fee for the five-year Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp shall be

1 Twelve Dollars (\$12.00). The fee for the stamp shall be distributed
2 as follows:

3 a. Ten Dollars (\$10.00) from each stamp shall be
4 deposited in the Oklahoma Wildlife Land Fund, created
5 in Section 4-141 of Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
6 to be used to retire the obligations and related
7 expenses as authorized pursuant to Section 168.9 of
8 Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes or to purchase,
9 lease, or purchase easements on real property to be
10 used as public hunting, fishing, and trapping areas,
11 and

12 b. Two Dollars (\$2.00) from each stamp shall be deposited
13 in the Oklahoma Wildlife Land Fund, created in Section
14 4-141 of Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes, to be used
15 by the Commission for management of the real property
16 acquired pursuant to Section 168.9 of Title 73 of the
17 Oklahoma Statutes or acquired with proceeds from the
18 Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp fee.

19 2. The Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission shall
20 prescribe, by rule, the form, design, and manner of issuance of the
21 five-year Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp.

22 3. Within one (1) year of the final retirement, redemption, or
23 defeasance of the obligations created pursuant to Section 168.9 of
24 Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the five-year Oklahoma Wildlife

1 Land Stamp and five-year Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp fee
2 requirements provided for in this subsection shall terminate.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective January 1, 2009.

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