

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 452

By: Schulz and Sweeden of the
Senate

3 and

4 Armes of the House

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7 [Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and
8 Forestry - policy - codification -
9 emergency]

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

12 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
13 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-4c of Title 2, unless there is
14 created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

15 A. Except as may otherwise be provided by law, the Department
16 of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry shall be the state entity
17 empowered to implement the policy of the state regarding the care
18 and handling of livestock in this state.

19 B. No municipality, county, or other political subdivision of
20 this state shall enact or enforce any order, ordinance, or
21 regulation concerning the care and handling of livestock within its
22 jurisdiction that is more restrictive than rules promulgated by the
23 Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry concerning the care
24 and handling of livestock.

1 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
2 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
3 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
4 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

5 Passed the Senate the 9th day of March, 2009.

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Presiding Officer of the Senate

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9 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
10 2009.

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