

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, February, 24, 2010

House Bill No. 2275
As Amended

HOUSE BILL NO. 2275 - By: COX of the House and WYRICK of the Senate.

[**water and water rights - establishing the normal surface elevation for the
Grand Lake O' The Cherokees – codification -
emergency]**

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

1 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma
2 Statutes as Section 888.1 of Title 82, unless there is created a duplication in numbering,
3 reads as follows:

4 The year-round normal surface elevation at the top of the conservation pool for the
5 Grand Lake O' The Cherokees shall be seven hundred forty-five (745) feet above sea
6 level. The established normal surface elevation shall not interfere with the authority of
7 the Grand River Dam Authority to manage Grand Lake O' The Cherokees for flood
8 control and electricity generation purposes. The Grand River Dam Authority shall
9 promulgate rules consistent with the provisions of this section.

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

13 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET,
14 dated 02-23-10 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.