

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2010)

3 HOUSE BILL 2763

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to agriculture; prohibiting political
8 subdivisions of this state from regulating the care
9 and handling of livestock; providing for
10 codification; and declaring an emergency.

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

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

16 A. The Legislature hereby occupies and preempts the entire
17 field of legislation in this state touching in any way the
18 regulation of the care and handling of livestock to the complete
19 exclusion of any order, ordinance or regulation by any municipality
20 or other political subdivision of this state.

21 B. No political subdivision shall regulate the care and
22 handling of livestock. Local legislation in violation of this
23 section is void and unenforceable.

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.

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