

1 STATE OF OKLAHOM

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3 SENATE BILL 1330

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5 AS INTRODUCED

6 An Act relating to musk thistle; creating the Musk
7 Thistle Task Force; providing termination date;
8 specifying duties; providing for membership; directing
9 selection of chair and vice-chair; requiring quorum;
10 providing for travel reimbursement; directing staff
support by the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture,
Food, and Forestry; requiring certain report;
11 providing for codification; providing an effective
12 date and declaring an emergency.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be
15 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

16 A. There is hereby created until December 31, 2010, the Musk
17 Thistle Task Force. The purpose of the task force is to create a
18 statewide plan for the eradication of musk thistle.

19 B. The task force shall be composed of the members of the
20 Senate Agriculture Committee and the members of the House of
21 Representatives Agriculture and Rural Development Committee.

22 C. The chair of the task force shall be the chair of the Senate
23 Agriculture Committee and vice-chair of the task force shall be the
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1 chair of the House of Representatives Agriculture and Rural
2 Development Committee.

3 D. A quorum of the task force shall be required in order for
4 the task force to take any final action.

5 E. Members of the task force shall receive no compensation for
6 their service, but shall be reimbursed for necessary travel expenses
7 incurred in the performance of their duties in accordance with the
8 provisions of Section 456 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

9 F. Staff support for the task force shall be provided by the
10 Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry.

11 G. The task force shall report its findings, including any
12 legislative recommendations to the President Pro Tempore of the
13 Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the
14 Governor by December 31, 2010.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2010.

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

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