

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 53rd Legislature (2012)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

4 FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 2495

By: Hardin

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8 An Act relating to game and fish; permitting release  
9 of unclaimed venison after certain period of time has  
10 elapsed; providing for reimbursement; providing for  
11 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5-415 of Title 29, unless there  
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A person or business operating as a meat processor in this state  
18 may release any unclaimed processed lawfully harvested venison to  
19 the Department of Wildlife Conservation's Hunters Against Hunger  
20 Program after a period of ninety (90) days following notification by  
21 telephone to the person who brought the wild game for processing  
22 that the wild game has been processed and is available for  
23 collection. The meat processor shall receive the normal  
24 reimbursement fee from Hunters Against Hunger.

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SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2012.

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