

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 2189

By: DeWitt, Renegar, Enns and
Hoskin of the House

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4 Schulz of the Senate
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8 An Act relating to agriculture; prohibiting
9 production of castor beans; providing for penalties;
10 providing for enforcement; providing for
11 codification; and declaring an emergency.

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 3-310 of Title 2, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. It shall be unlawful for any person to plant, nurture or
17 otherwise commercially produce castor beans containing the toxin
18 ricin in this state.

19 B. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall,
20 upon conviction, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and may be
21 punished by a fine not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00).

22 C. Provisions of this section shall be enforced by the Oklahoma
23 Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry.
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