

1 supplies or products. The number of special officers shall not
2 exceed twenty ~~(20)~~ positions and those special officers shall not be
3 salaried employees of the Bureau, but shall at all times be subject
4 to the orders and directions of the Director. In addition, the
5 special officers shall not have authority to enforce any laws except
6 the provisions of the Oklahoma Statutes relating directly to ~~the~~
7 ~~larceny of oil field equipment, supplies, or products, with respect~~
8 ~~to~~ oil and gas industry crimes for which they will have the same
9 authority as any other peace officer. The special officers shall be
10 known as Special Investigators.

11 B. Special Investigators shall not receive any compensation or
12 expenses from this state or any of its departments, agencies or
13 subdivisions for their services. Before the issuance of a special
14 commission, each Special Investigator shall enter into a good and
15 sufficient bond executed by a surety company authorized to do
16 business in this state in the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars
17 (\$500,000.00). The bond shall also be approved by the Director and
18 shall indemnify all persons against damages accruing as a result of
19 any illegal or unlawful acts on the part of the Special
20 ~~Investigators~~ Investigator. The special commissions shall expire on
21 January 1 of the odd-numbered year after the appointment. The
22 Director may renew, suspend or revoke any special commission at any
23 time.

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

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