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2 Liability Limitation Act:

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5 livestock, ~~or engaging in any agritourism activity involving~~
6 ~~livestock or on a location where livestock are displayed or raised,~~
7 and any person assisting a participant, livestock activity sponsor
8 or livestock professional. The term "engages in a livestock
9 activity" does not include being a spectator at a livestock
10 activity, except in cases where the spectator places himself or
11 herself in immediate proximity to livestock activity;

12 2. ~~"Agritourism activity" includes, but is not limited to, any~~
13 ~~activity carried out on a farm or ranch that allows members of the~~
14 ~~general public, for recreational, entertainment, or educational~~
15 ~~purposes, to view or enjoy rural activities, including farming,~~
16 ~~ranching, historic, cultural, harvest-your-own activities, or~~
17 ~~natural activities and attractions. An activity is an agritourism~~
18 ~~activity whether or not the participant pays to participate in the~~
19 ~~activity;~~

20 3. "Livestock" means any cattle, bison, hog, sheep, goat,
21 equine livestock, including but not limited to animals of the
22 families bovidae, cervidae and antilocapridae or birds of the ratite
23 group;

24 4. 3. "Livestock activity" includes but is not limited to:

- 1 a. livestock shows, fairs, livestock sales, competitions,
2 performances, or parades that involve any or all
3 breeds of livestock and any of the livestock
4 disciplines, including, but not limited to, rodeos,
5 auctions, driving, pulling, judging, cutting and
6 showing,
- 7 b. livestock training or teaching activities or both such
8 training and teaching activities,
- 9 c. boarding or pasturing livestock,
- 10 d. inspecting or evaluating livestock belonging to
11 another, whether or not the owner has received some
12 monetary consideration or other thing of value for the
13 use of the livestock or is permitting a prospective
14 purchaser of the livestock to inspect or evaluate the
15 livestock,
- 16 e. drives, rides, trips, hunts or other livestock
17 activities of any type however informal or impromptu
18 that are sponsored by a livestock activity sponsor,
19 and
- 20 f. placing or replacing horseshoes on an equine, or
21 otherwise preparing livestock for show, ~~and~~
- 22 ~~g. agritourism activities involving the viewing of,~~
23 ~~handling of, riding of, showing of, or other~~
24 ~~interactive activities with livestock;~~

1 ~~5.~~ 4. "Livestock activity sponsor" means an individual, group,
2 club, partnership or corporation, whether or not the sponsor is
3 operating for profit or nonprofit, which sponsors, organizes, or
4 provides the facilities for, a livestock activity, including but not
5 limited to: livestock clubs, 4-H clubs, FFA chapters, school and
6 college-sponsored classes, programs and activities, therapeutic
7 riding programs, and operators, instructors, and promoters of
8 livestock facilities, including, but not limited to, barns, stables,
9 clubhouses, ponyride strings, fairs and arenas at which the activity
10 is held;

11 ~~6.~~ 5. "Livestock professional" means a person engaged for
12 compensation in:

- 13 a. instructing a participant or renting to a participant
14 livestock for the purpose of engaging in livestock
15 activity, or
- 16 b. renting equipment or tack to a participant;

17 ~~7.~~ 6. "Inherent risks of livestock activities" means those
18 dangers or conditions which are an integral part of livestock
19 activities, including but not limited to:

- 20 a. the propensity of livestock to behave in ways that may
21 result in injury to persons on or around them,
- 22 b. the unpredictability of livestock's reaction to such
23 things as sounds, sudden movement and unfamiliar
24 objects, persons or other animals,

- 1 c. certain hazards such as surface and subsurface
2 conditions unknown to the livestock activity sponsor,
3 d. collisions with other livestock or objects, and
4 e. the potential of tack to become dislodged or move in
5 ways that may result in injury to persons on or around
6 livestock activities; and

7 ~~8.~~ 7. "Participant" means any person, whether amateur or
8 professional, who engages in a livestock activity, whether or not a
9 fee is paid to participate in the livestock activity.

10 SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 76 O.S. 2011, Section 50.2, as
11 amended by Section 2 of this act, is amended to read as follows:

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22 SECTION 4. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be
23 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:
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1 The amendatory provisions contained in Section 2 of this act
2 conform the statute to the holding in *Douglas v. Cox Retirement*
3 *Properties, Inc.*, 2013 OK 37, 302 P.2d 789 (Okla. 2013). The
4 amendatory provisions contained in Section 3 of this act conform the
5 statute to the amendatory provisions of Enrolled House Bill No. 1603
6 of the 1st Session of the 52nd Oklahoma Legislature, c. 228, O.S.L.
7 2009.

8 SECTION 5. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
9 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
10 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
11 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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