

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 14, 2013

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR

5 SENATE BILL NO. 912

By: Johnson (Rob) of the Senate

and

Schwartz of the House

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9 [wind energy generation facilities - moratorium -
10 application - expiration - exception -
11 noncodification -
12 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. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, upon the
17 effective date of this act, there is hereby enacted a moratorium on
18 the issuance of any required state permits for the construction,
19 installation or operation of any energy generation facilities
20 utilizing wind turbines located within a ten (10) mile radius of any
21 incorporated municipality with a population of two hundred thousand
22 (200,000) persons or more. Such moratorium shall apply to any wind
23 power generation facility which is not in full operation on the
24 effective date of this act.

1 B. The moratorium created herein shall remain in effect for
2 five (5) years from the effective date of this act, or until
3 affirmatively removed by the Legislature.

4 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
5 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
6 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
7 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

8 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON ENERGY
9 February 14, 2013 - DO PASS AS AMENDED
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