

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 1653

By: Vaughan of the House

and

Fry of the Senate

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7 An Act relating to game and fish; amending 29 O.S.
8 2011, Section 5-413, which relates to mounted
9 specimens of deer and turkey; expanding scope of
10 mounted specimens to wildlife; updating statutory
11 citations; clarifying seizure penalty; and declaring
12 an emergency.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 29 O.S. 2011, Section 5-413, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 5-413. A. Mounted specimens of ~~deer and turkey~~
17 wildlife shall be considered as the type of wildlife they represent
18 for purposes of enforcement of Sections 5-202, 5-203.1, 5-401, 5-411
19 or 8-104 of ~~Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes and Section 32 of this~~
20 ~~act~~ title.

21 B. Such mounted specimens shall not be placed alongside state
22 highways or interstate highways for the purpose of enforcing ~~Title~~
23 ~~29 of the Oklahoma Statutes~~ this title.

1 C. Any item, equipment, vehicle or other property which is used
2 or operated in violation of Sections 5-203.1, 5-401, 5-411 or 8-104
3 of ~~Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes or Section 32 of this act~~ title
4 pursuant to the provisions of this section shall not be subject to
5 seizure and forfeiture under the provisions of this title unless ~~any~~
6 ~~person so convicted is a habitual wildlife violator as defined by~~
7 ~~Section 62 of this act~~ it is the second or subsequent violation of
8 the provisions of this section by the person.

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

13 Passed the House of Representatives the 2nd day of March, 2015.

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16 Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

17 Passed the Senate the ___ day of _____, 2015.

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