

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 55th Legislature (2015)

3 SENATE BILL 54

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7 AS INTRODUCED

8 An Act relating to state government; amending 74 O.S.  
9 2011, Section 150.23, as amended by Section 1,  
10 Chapter 319, O.S.L. 2014 (74 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section  
11 150.23), which relates to certain retired state  
12 personnel; authorizing certain officers and agents of  
13 the Oklahoma Department of Corrections to retain  
14 certain items after retirement; and providing an  
15 effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2011, Section 150.23, as  
amended by Section 1, Chapter 319, O.S.L. 2014 (74 O.S. Supp. 2014,  
Section 150.23), is amended to read as follows:

Section 150.23. A. An officer, investigator, or agent of the  
Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation, the Oklahoma State Bureau of  
Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control, the Department of Wildlife  
Conservation, the Law Enforcement Division of the Oklahoma Horse  
Racing Commission, the State Fire Marshal's Office, the Oklahoma  
Tourism and Recreation Department, the Office of Inspector General  
and the Oklahoma Child Support Services divisions of the Department

1 of Human Services, a Probation and Parole officer or Internal  
2 Affairs agent of the Department of Corrections or the office of a  
3 district attorney shall be entitled to receive, upon retirement by  
4 reason of length of service, the continued custody and possession of  
5 the sidearm and badge carried by such officer, investigator, or  
6 agent immediately prior to retirement.

7 B. An officer, investigator, or agent specified in subsection A  
8 of this section may be entitled to receive, upon retirement by  
9 reason of disability, the continued custody and possession of the  
10 sidearm and badge carried by such officer or agent immediately prior  
11 to retirement upon written approval of the applicable Director of  
12 the appropriate Bureau, Department, Commission, or district  
13 attorney.

14 C. Custody and possession of the sidearm and badge of an  
15 officer, investigator, or agent who dies while employed by any  
16 Bureau, Department, Commission, or office specified in subsection A  
17 of this section may be awarded by the applicable Director of the  
18 appropriate Bureau, Department, Commission, or office to the spouse  
19 or next of kin of the deceased officer, investigator, or agent.

20 D. A correctional officer, ~~a probation and parole officer or an~~  
21 ~~internal affairs agent~~ of the Oklahoma Department of Corrections  
22 shall be entitled to receive, upon retirement by reason of length of  
23 service, the continued custody and possession of the badge carried  
24 by such officer immediately prior to retirement.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

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