

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB2446 _____
Of the printed Bill
Page _____ Section _____ Lines _____
Of the Engrossed Bill

By striking the Title, the Enacting Clause, the entire bill, and by
inserting in lieu thereof the following language:

AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS

Amendment submitted by: Terry ODonnell

Adopted: _____

Reading Clerk

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Session of the 55th Legislature (2016)

PROPOSED COMMITTEE
SUBSTITUTE
FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 2446

By: O'Donnell

PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

An Act relating to waters and water rights; declaring the protection of the waters of the state to be a compelling state interest; providing for legislative and regulatory authority; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1E of Title 82, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the protection of the waters of the state as defined in Title 82 of the Oklahoma Statutes is declared to be a compelling state interest subject only to legislative authority and the regulatory authority granted by the Legislature to any state agency assigned with the responsibility within its respective areas of jurisdiction as set forth in Section 1-1-202 of Title 27A of the Oklahoma Statutes.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2016.

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