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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:			
CHAIR:			
I move to amer	nd <u>HB3371</u>		
Page	Section	Lines	Of the printed Bill
			Of the Engrossed Bill
	e Title, the Enacti ieu thereof the fol	ng Clause, the enti lowing language:	re bill, and by
AMEND TITLE TO CO	DNFORM TO AMENDMENTS		
Adopted:		Amendment subm	itted by: Kevin Wallace

Reading Clerk

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA 2 2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018) 3 PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE 4 FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 3371 By: Wallace 5 6 7 8 PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE 9 An Act relating to game and fish; amending 29 O.S. 2011, Section 4-114, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 10 112, O.S.L. 2014 (29 O.S. Supp. 2017, Section 4-114), which relates to hunting, fishing, and hunting and fishing combination lifetime licenses; allowing 11 certain residents and nonresidents to purchase a 12 lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing license; updating references; providing fees for 1.3 lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing licenses; updating citations and references; creating 14 lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing licenses for certain tracts of land; describing areas 15 license is valid for hunting and fishing activities; providing for additional licenses issued by the 16 landowner; requiring a yearly report be submitted to the Department; providing for termination and 17 transfer of licenses under certain circumstances; directing the Department of Wildlife Conservation to 18 promulgate rules; and providing an effective date. 19 20 21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: 22 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 29 O.S. 2011, Section 4-114, as 23 amended by Section 1, Chapter 112, O.S.L. 2014 (29 O.S. Supp. 2017, 24 Section 4-114), is amended to read as follows:

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        Section 4-114. A. All legal residents who have resided in the
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    state for at least six (6) months and intend to remain residents may
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    lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing licenses or
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    lifetime combination hunting and fishing licenses from the State
    Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Director; provided that nonresidents
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    may also purchase a lifetime landowner combination hunting and
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            The fee for these licenses shall be:
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            Lifetime fishing license, Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00);
            Lifetime hunting license, Six Hundred Dollars ($600.00);
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            Lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing license
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    for any tract of land five hundred (500) up to one thousand (1,000)
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    acres, Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00);
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        4. Lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing license
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    for any tract of land one thousand (1,000) acres or more, Seventy-
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    five Thousand Dollars ($75,000.00);
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        5. Lifetime combination hunting and fishing license, Seven
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    Hundred Fifty Dollars ($750.00);
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        4. 6. Senior citizen lifetime hunting license for persons
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sixty-five (65) years of age or older, Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00);

5. 7. Senior citizen lifetime fishing license for persons

sixty-five (65) years of age or older, Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00); and

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 $\frac{6.8.}{8.}$ Senior citizen lifetime combination hunting and fishing license for persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older, Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00).

- C. Legal resident having proper certification from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs or its successor certifying that the person is a disabled veteran may purchase a disability lifetime combination hunting and fishing license from the State Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Director. The fees for the license shall be as follows:
- 1. Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for veterans having a disability of less than sixty percent (60%); and
- 2. Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for veterans having a disability of sixty percent (60%) or more.
- D. The use of the licenses provided in this section are subject to those restrictions provided by statute and the regulations of the Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission. Except as otherwise provided for in this section, each lifetime hunting license issued pursuant to subsections B and C of this section shall be in lieu of all annual hunting licenses and all special season permits.
- E. Should any lifetime license be lost or destroyed, a duplicate will be issued by the Department of Wildlife Conservation for a fee of Ten Dollars (\$10.00).
- F. A lifetime licensee shall not lose the privileges of such license by a subsequent transfer of residency.

G. 1. In addition to the fees imposed pursuant to paragraphs 1 through 3 5 of subsection B of this section, a person purchasing a lifetime fishing, hunting er, lifetime landowner combination or lifetime combination license, excluding a senior citizen lifetime hunting, fishing or combination hunting and fishing license issued pursuant to paragraphs 4 6 through 6 8 of subsection B of this section and a disability lifetime combination hunting and fishing license issued pursuant to subsection C of this section, shall be required to purchase a Lifetime Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp. Each person shall have the stamp in their possession while hunting, fishing, or taking any wildlife. The fee for the Lifetime Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp shall be Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00). The fee for the stamp shall be distributed as follows:

- a. Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) from each stamp shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Wildlife Land Fund, created in Section 4-141 of this title, to be used to retire the obligations and related expenses as authorized pursuant to Section 168.9 of Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes or to purchase, lease, or purchase easements on real property to be used as public hunting, fishing, and trapping areas, and
- b. Five Dollars (\$5.00) from each stamp shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Wildlife Land Fund, created in Section 4-141 of this title, to be used by the

Commission for management of the real property acquired pursuant to Section 168.9 of Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes or acquired with proceeds from the Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp fee.

2. The Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission shall prescribe, by rule, the form, design, and manner of issuance of the Lifetime Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp.

- 3. Within one (1) year of the final retirement, redemption, or defeasance of the obligations created pursuant to Section 168.9 of Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes, the Lifetime Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp and Lifetime Oklahoma Wildlife Land Stamp fee requirements provided for in this subsection shall terminate.
- H. A person who is sixty-four (64) years of age shall be eligible to purchase a senior citizen lifetime license issued pursuant to paragraphs $\frac{4}{6}$ through $\frac{6}{8}$ of subsection B of this section during the calendar year in which the person turns sixty-five (65) years of age.
- I. The fee for a lifetime fishing license, a lifetime hunting license, or a lifetime combination hunting and fishing license issued pursuant to paragraphs 1 through 3, 2 and 5 of subsection B of this section for a legal resident under eighteen (18) years of age may be paid for by installments not to exceed a three-year period of time and in a manner determined by the Director. The lifetime license shall not be issued and become valid until full

payment is received by the Department of Wildlife Conservation. If
the entire amount of the license fee is not received within three

(3) years from the date the application for installment payments is
submitted to the Department, all funds received shall be forfeited

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J. Lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing licenses shall be available for purchase by a recorded owner of a tract of land at least five hundred (500) acres in size and located in Oklahoma. The licenses shall only be valid for hunting and fishing activities on the land for which the lifetime landowner license was issued. The Department of Wildlife Conservation shall issue up to twenty landowner licenses for tracts of land five hundred (500) acres up to one thousand (1,000) acres in size and forty licenses for tracts of land one thousand (1,000) acres or more to the landowner. The landowner may designate and issue licenses to other persons who are authorized to hunt and fish on his or her land for which the licenses were issued; provided that each license issued by the landowner shall only be valid for the calendar year in which it was issued. The landowner shall submit a yearly report to the Department. Each lifetime landowner combination hunting and fishing license issued pursuant to this section shall terminate upon transfer or sale of the property. A lifetime landowner license shall only transfer whereupon the landowner bequeaths his or her license to a devisee through a properly executed will pursuant to

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the laws of this state. The Department of Wildlife Conservation
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    shall promulgate rules necessary to implement the provisions of this
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        SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.
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