

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR

5 HOUSE BILL NO. 3089

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8 An Act relating to roads, bridges and ferries;
9 amending 69 O.S. 2011, Section 1707, which relates to
10 acquisition of land by the Oklahoma Turnpike
11 Authority; specifying the non-transfer of groundwater
12 rights; requiring approval for wells or drilling on
13 or under land acquired by Authority; and providing an
14 effective date.

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

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 69 O.S. 2011, Section 1707, is
17 amended to read as follows:

18 Section 1707. The Oklahoma Turnpike Authority is hereby
19 authorized and empowered to acquire by purchase, or condemnation,
20 land or such interest therein as in its discretion may be necessary
21 for the purpose of establishing, constructing, maintaining and
22 operating turnpike projects or relocation thereof, and facilities
23 necessary and incident thereto, or necessary in the restoration of
24 public or private property damaged or destroyed, including borrow
areas, detours, channel changes, concession areas, public or private

1 access roads, and deposits of rock, gravel, sand and other road
2 building material for use in turnpike construction and maintenance,
3 upon such terms and at such price as may be considered by it to be
4 reasonable and can be agreed upon between the Authority and the
5 owner thereof, and to take title thereto in the name of the
6 Authority, provided, that such right and title shall be limited to
7 the surface rights only and shall not include oil or other mineral
8 rights or groundwater rights, except that no well or drilling
9 equipment may be located on or under the surface acquired by the
10 Authority without the express written approval of the Authority.

11 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2018.

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