

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 April 4, 2018

3 **AS AMENDED**

4 ENGROSSED HOUSE

5 BILL NO. 2716

By: Teague of the House

and

Fields of the Senate

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9 **[revenue and taxation - Oklahoma Pet Overpopulation**
10 **Fund - income tax return checkoff - effective date]**

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 68 O.S. 2011, Section 2368.13, as
15 amended by Section 554, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 2012 (68 O.S. Supp.
16 2017, Section 2368.13), is amended to read as follows:

17 Section 2368.13. A. The Oklahoma Tax Commission shall include
18 on each state individual tax return form for tax years beginning
19 after December 31, 2003, and each state corporate tax return form
20 for tax years beginning after December 31, 2003, an opportunity for
21 the taxpayer to donate from a tax refund for the benefit of the
22 Oklahoma Pet Overpopulation Fund created in subsection C of this
23 section.
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1 B. The monies generated from donations made pursuant to
2 subsection A of this section shall be collected by the Tax
3 Commission and placed to the credit of the Oklahoma Pet
4 Overpopulation Fund created in subsection C of this section.

5 C. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving
6 fund to be designated the "Oklahoma Pet Overpopulation Fund". The
7 fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year
8 limitations, and shall consist of all monies transferred to the fund
9 pursuant to subsection A of this section, all monies transferred to
10 the fund through the purchase of Animal Friendly special license
11 plates, and any monies received in the form of gifts, grants,
12 reimbursements, or donations specifically designated for the fund.

13 D. All monies accruing to the credit of the Oklahoma Pet
14 Overpopulation Fund are hereby appropriated and may be budgeted and
15 expended by the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and
16 Forestry through the State Veterinarian for the purpose of
17 implementing and maintaining pet sterilization efforts in the State
18 of Oklahoma.

19 E. Expenditures from the Oklahoma Pet Overpopulation Fund shall
20 be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer against claims
21 filed as prescribed by law with the Director of the Office of
22 Management and Enterprise Services for approval and payment.

1 F. Pursuant to Section 2368.18 of this title, the income tax
2 checkoff contained in this section is hereby reauthorized effective
3 January 1, 2019.

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

5 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS
6 April 4, 2018 - DO PASS AS AMENDED
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