

**BILL SUMMARY**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 57<sup>th</sup> Legislature

<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB 2883</b>
<b>Version:</b>	<b>FULLPCS1</b>
<b>Request Number:</b>	<b>10895</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>ODWC: See Below:</b> <b>(non-appropriated agency)</b>

**Research Analysis**

The PCS for HB 2883 provides a fishing license exemption to all guests of landowners or tenants who have permission to fish in their private pond, as long as the pond was not built, created, stocked, or supported by any state or federal public funds.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

After analysis, and per the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation (ODWC), the measure as written will have a negative fiscal impact to this non-appropriated agency. Agency concerns include but are not limited to reduced or eliminated services in law enforcement to monitor private ponds for trespassing, free technical assistance programs, and providing information and stocking of ponds for landowners, and license revenue losses.

**ODWC Revenue Impact:**

Anticipated loss in direct annual license revenue	46,380
Matching 75% Federal Funds	<u>139,140</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>185,520</b>

**Direct license revenue calculation:**

Non Resident License Exemptions	
(341 * \$55 annual NR fishing fee)	18,755
Resident License Exemptions	
(1,105 * \$25 annual R fishing fee)	<u>27,625</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>46,380</b>

\*Information provided by the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation (ODWC), a non-appropriated agency.

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**Other Considerations**

None.