BILL SUMMARY

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Research Analysis

If a person's hunting or fishing license is revoked in a court hearing, SB812 allows the court to order the defendant to surrender their license directly to a Wildlife Department officer present at the hearing. If the license is surrendered to the court, the court shall send the license to the Department.

The court shall also send a copy of any conviction information to the Wildlife Department. The court may send the conviction information electronically.

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Fiscal Analysis

SB 812 allows courts to electronically communicate with the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation about conviction information. According to officials at ODWC, there is a slight cost savings coming from not having to use as much postage and/or mailings. As ODWC is a nonappropriated agency, there should be no fiscal or revenue impact to the State.

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Other Considerations

None.

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