

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

3 HOUSE BILL 1576

By: Smith

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to crimes and punishment; prohibiting  
8 the removal of tracking collar from hunting dogs;  
9 providing penalty; defining term; providing for  
10 codification; and providing an effective date.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1685.2 of Title 70, unless there  
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. No person may knowingly remove a tracking collar from a dog  
17 engaged in hunting activities.

18 B. Any person convicted of violating the provisions of this  
19 section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not  
20 exceeding Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00).

21 C. As used in subsection A of this section; "tracking collar",  
22 means a collar, device or system that utilizes the Global  
23 Positioning Satellite or similar system for determining the location  
24 of a dog.

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SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

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