

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 1073

By: Murdock of the Senate

3 and

4 Newton of the House

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6 An Act relating to wildlife; amending 29 O.S. 2021,
7 Section 3-103a, which relates to special permits for
8 designated species; allowing for certain special
9 permit; expanding opportunities to acquire special
10 permit; providing for wildlife without open season;
11 updating statutory language; and providing an
12 effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 29 O.S. 2021, Section 3-103a, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 3-103a. The Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission
17 may, by order, authorize the Department of Wildlife Conservation to
18 issue, in addition to regular permits issued under this title, up to
19 five ~~(5)~~ special permits each year for designated species. The
20 special permits, which may be co-branded in association with the
21 Governor, shall be sold at public auction or by sealed bid, raffle,
22 or lottery. In the case of mountain lions and wildlife for which no
23 open season currently exists, the permits shall be conducted by
24 raffle. The Department may contract with nonprofit organizations or
charitable causes to conduct the public auctions.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

Passed the Senate the 24th day of March, 2025.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
2025.

Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives