

BILL SUMMARY
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Research Analysis

HB 3930, as introduced, defines the term *service animal* as a dog individually trained to do work or to perform specific tasks for a person with a disability.

This measure requires any person or business that sells or provides an animal for use as an emotional support animal to provide the buyer or recipient a written disclaimer including the following statements:

- The animal does not have special training required to qualify as a service animal;
- The rights and privileges accorded by law to a service animal are not applicable to an emotional support animal;
- It is a violation of state law to knowingly misrepresent an emotional support as a service animal as defined in this section.

A person or business who provides verification of the disability-related need for an emotional support animal shall provide written notice to the buyer or recipient that states the following:

- The verification cannot be used to establish the emotional support animal as a service animal;
- The user of an emotional support animal is not entitled to the rights and privileges accorded by law to a service animal;
- Knowingly misrepresenting as a service animal any animal that does not meet the requirements of a service animal as defined in this section is a violation of Oklahoma law.

For a person or business selling or providing a certificate, vest, or identification tag that identifies an animal as an emotional support animal, this measure requires written notice be provided to the buyer or recipient stating the following:

- The item cannot be used to establish an emotional support animal as a service animal;
- The item does not entitle the user of an emotional support animal to the same rights and privileges accorded by law to the user of a service animal;
- Knowingly misrepresenting as a service animal any animal that does not meet the requirements of a service animal as defined by this section is a violation of Oklahoma law.

Written notices described in this section are required to be printed in at least twelve-point bold type font and be printed on a receipt or separate paper attached to the receipt.

This measure creates fines for violating specific subsections of this act. First time violators shall be fined not less than \$100 and not more than \$250. Prior offenders shall be fined no less than \$500 for a second violation and for each subsequent violation.

This measure does not preclude civil remedies arising from the misrepresentation by another person of a service animal.

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Fiscal Analysis

HB 3930 defines "service animal" and establishes guidelines and penalties regarding misrepresentation of emotional support animals as service animals. Upon review, this measure has no direct fiscal or revenue considerations for the state.

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Other Considerations

None.