

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 18, 2016

3 **AS AMENDED**

4 SENATE BILL NO. 1122

By: Griffin of the Senate

and

Calvey of the House

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8 **[ oil and gas - waste and water protection ]**

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

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 52 O.S. 2011, Section 86.2, is  
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 86.2. A. The term "waste", as applied to the  
15 production of oil, in addition to its ordinary meaning, shall  
16 include economic waste, underground waste, including water  
17 encroachment in the oil or gas bearing strata; the use of reservoir  
18 energy for oil producing purposes by means or methods that  
19 unreasonably interfere with obtaining from the common source of  
20 supply the largest ultimate recovery of oil; surface waste and waste  
21 incident to the production of oil in excess of transportation or  
22 marketing facilities or reasonable market demands. The production  
23 of oil in the State of Oklahoma in such manner and under such  
24 conditions as to constitute waste as in this act defined is hereby

1 prohibited, and the Corporation Commission shall have authority, and  
2 is charged with the duty, to make rules, regulations, and orders for  
3 the prevention of such waste, and for the protection of all fresh  
4 water strata and oil or gas bearing strata encountered in any well  
5 drilled for oil or gas.

6 B. Provided, the Commission shall work in conjunction with the  
7 Secretary of Energy and Environment, the Oklahoma Water Resources  
8 Board and the Department of Environmental Quality to implement  
9 recommendations of the Water for 2060 Produced Water Working Group  
10 as appointed by the Governor.

11 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON ENERGY  
12 February 18, 2016 - DO PASS AS AMENDED  
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