

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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SENATE BILL 3

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the Department of Environmental Quality; establishing moratorium on land application of certain materials; prohibiting issuance or renewal of certain permits; defining terms; providing for codification; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-6-501.7 of Title 27A, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. To protect the health and safety of the people of Oklahoma, a moratorium is hereby established on land application of sludge and biosolid material in this state until July 1, 2028. On and after the effective date of this act, the Department of Environmental Quality shall not issue or renew any permit for the land application of sludge or biosolid material and all active permits shall be revoked until July 1, 2028.

B. For the purposes of this section:

1 1. "Biosolid material" means sludge, perfluoroalkyl, and any
2 polyfluoroalkyl substance; and

3 2. "Sludge" shall mean sludge as defined pursuant to Section 2-
4 10-401 of Title 27A of the Oklahoma Statutes.

5 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
6 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
7 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
8 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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