

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	SB 776
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Impact:	None

Research Analysis

The second proposed committee substitute for SB 776 prohibits the Wildlife Commission from buying land unless it has been publicly advertised as for sale for at least six months. This requirement does not apply if the property for sale is surrounded completely by land owned by the Commission.

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Fiscal Analysis

This measure requires that the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation buy private land after it has been publically advertised for 6 months, unless the land is fully surrounded by current ODWC land. According to officials at ODWC, this will not create a fiscal impact for ODWC. Additionally, as ODWC is not an appropriated agency, there should be no fiscal impact to the State.

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Other Considerations

None.