

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 February 24, 2025

3 **AS AMENDED**

4 SENATE BILL NO. 1077

5 By: Murdock

6 **[fish and wildlife - transporting wildlife -**
7 **effective date]**

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

10 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 29 O.S. 2021, Section 7-602, is
11 amended to read as follows:

12 Section 7-602. A. Except as otherwise provided by law, no
13 person may ship into or out of, transport into or out of, have in
14 possession with the intent to so transport, or cause to be removed
15 from this state:

16 1. Any wildlife or parts thereof, nests of wildlife, their eggs
17 or their young; or

18 2. Any endangered or threatened species.

19 B. Exceptions to paragraph 1 of subsection A of this section
20 are:

21 1. Dead fish or wildlife legally taken by licensed hunters or
22 fishermen for noncommercial purposes may be possessed, shipped, or
23 transported into or within the borders of this state if it is
24 accompanied by or has attached the appropriate certificate, license,

1 or tag as may be required by the Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation
2 Code, rules, or the laws of another state;

3 2. Rough fish products that have been completely processed into
4 food or other products that legally taken fish may yield may be
5 exported from the state;

6 3. Any rough fish taken by licensed commercial fishermen who
7 have been issued a special permit as required by Section 4-105 of
8 this title by the Director of Wildlife Conservation may be shipped,
9 transported, or exported pursuant to the permit;

10 4. Any fish or wildlife lawfully bred or propagated may be
11 shipped or transported within the confines of this state or exported
12 out of this state;

13 5. Any wildlife for which the Director has given an individual
14 specific written authority for its transportation into or out of the
15 state; ~~or~~

16 6. Any farmed cervidae licensed pursuant to the Oklahoma Farmed
17 Cervidae Act; or

18 7. Any deceased, intact cervidae in transit into this state to
19 a taxidermist who is in good standing with the Secretary of State.

20 C. An owner or operator of a commercially licensed hunting
21 facility shall be permitted to transport cervidae from one in-state
22 hunt facility to another in-state hunt facility without a permit
23 issued by the Department of Wildlife Conservation.

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1 D. Any person convicted of violating the provisions of this
2 section shall be punished by a fine of not less than Fifty Dollars
3 (\$50.00) nor more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), or by
4 imprisonment in the county jail for a period not less than ten (10)
5 days nor more than sixty (60) days, or by both.

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

7 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND WILDLIFE
8 February 24, 2025 - DO PASS AS AMENDED
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