BILL SUMMARY

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Impact: ODWC: Minimal

Research Analysis

Pending

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Fiscal Analysis

SB 774 does several things, including raising some fines. According to officials at the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation, they expect a minimal increase in revenue of about \$2,650 from the fine, but not all of that money would go to ODWC. ODWC splits the income with the County Sheriffs in various amounts.

SB 774 also creates two new nonresident hunting licenses. Because these licenses are new, it is difficult for ODWC to determine the fiscal impact at this time, but officials do say they would likely ensure that creating them would be revenue neutral.

As ODWC is a nonappropriated agency though, there should be no fiscal impact to the State.

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Other Considerations

None.

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