

**MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR**

Advising of her approval of **HBs 1002, 1079, 1086, 1243, 1271, 1285, 1304, 1363, 1473, 1507, 1601, 1953, 2140, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2182, 2183 and 2184** on May 24, 2011.

Advising of her approval of **HBs 1062, 1202, 1211, 1226, 1229, 1475, 1512, 1652, 1655, 1676, 1852, 2032, 2115 and 2156** on May 25, 2011.

Advising of her approval of **HBs 1207, 1231, 1284, 1319, 1343, 1418, 1488, 1603, 1743, 1744, 1903, 1954, 1990 and 2072** on May 26, 2011.

Advising of her veto of **HB 1230** on May 26, 2011. The veto message reads as follows:

To the Honorable Speaker of the House  
and Members of the House of Representatives  
First Regular Session, Fifty-third Oklahoma Legislature

Enrolled House Bill No. **1230**

By: Ownbey of the House and Mazzei, et al of the Senate

This is to advise you that on this date, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution to approve or object to legislation presented to me, I have VETOED House Bill **1230**.

This bill would change the current restriction that no person shall be eligible to be a motor license agent if they are related to an Oklahoma Legislator or employee of the Oklahoma Tax Commission within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity to second degree of consanguinity or affinity. This change would weaken the law designed to prevent appointments arising from nepotism instead of merit.

By the Governor of the State of Oklahoma

/s/ Mary Fallin

Advising of her veto of **HB 1388** on May 26, 2011. The veto message reads as follows:

To the Honorable Speaker of the House  
and Members of the House of Representatives  
First Regular Session, Fifty-third Oklahoma Legislature

Enrolled House Bill No. **1388**

By: Roan, et al of the House and Ivester of the Senate

This is to advise you that on this date, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution to approve or object to legislation presented to me, I have VETOED House Bill **1388**.

This bill would allow the Oklahoma Correctional Industries and Agri-Services programs of the Department of Corrections to not only produce goods, but also acquire products and provide them for resale – all while being exempt from the Oklahoma Central Purchasing Act. This bill would expand the programs beyond their primary mission, and would do so without the safeguards provided for in state purchasing laws.

By the Governor of the State of Oklahoma

/s/ Mary Fallin

Advising of her veto of **HB 1486** on May 26, 2011. The veto message reads as follows:

To the Honorable Speaker of the House  
and Members of the House of Representatives  
First Regular Session, Fifty-third Oklahoma Legislature

Enrolled House Bill No. **1486**

By: Morrisette of the House and Justice of the Senate

This is to advise you that on this date, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution to approve or object to legislation presented to me, I have VETOED House Bill **1486**.

This bill would create the “Oklahoma Woody Biomass Energy Initiative Council.” The objectives of the proposed Council duplicate the mission of existing state entities including the Eastern Red Cedar Registry Board, which is actually comprised of 11 of the 19 members proposed in this bill, and the Oklahoma Bioenergy Center which is a research consortium between the University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma State University, and the Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation.

By the Governor of the State of Oklahoma

/s/ Mary Fallin