

Title 2. Agriculture
Oklahoma Registered Poultry Feeding Operations Act
Oklahoma Poultry Waste Transfer Act
Oklahoma Poultry Waste Applicators Certification Act

§ 10-9. Acceptance or approval of pending poultry feeding operation applications - Prohibition within certain distance upstream from Pensacola Project boundary.

The Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry shall not accept or approve any pending applications requesting permits for registration, construction or expansion of any poultry feeding operation, as defined in Section 10-9.1 of this title, to be located within one (1) mile upstream of the Pensacola Project boundary as described in the records of the Grand River Dam Authority and the Federal Emergency Management Agency. Any such operation authorized or permitted prior to April 17, 2002, shall not be affected by the provisions of this section.

§ 10-9.1. Short title - Definitions.

A. Sections 1 through 12 of this act shall be known and may be cited as the "Oklahoma Registered Poultry Feeding Operations Act".

B. As used in Sections 1 through 23 of this act:

1. "Animal Waste Management Plan" or "AWMP" means a written plan that includes a combination of conservation and management practices designed to protect the natural resources of the state as required by the State Department of Agriculture pursuant to the provisions of Section 7 of this act;
2. "Best Management Practices" or "BMPs" means schedules of activities, prohibitions of practices, maintenance procedures and other management practices which prevent or reduce the pollution of waters of the state as established by the State Department of Agriculture pursuant to Section 7 of this act;
3. "Board" means the State Board of Agriculture;
4. "Certificate" means a written document issued to an individual by the Board pursuant to Section 17 of this act which indicates that the individual is authorized to land apply poultry waste by the Oklahoma Poultry Waste Applicators Certification Act;
5. "Certified poultry waste applicator" means a person who has been certified by the Board to land apply poultry waste and includes a commercial poultry waste applicator and a private poultry waste applicator;
6. "Commercial poultry waste applicator" means any person who engages in commercial land application of poultry waste. Any farmer while working for a neighbor in agricultural production, and not advertising, nor holding himself or herself out to be in the business of land applying poultry waste, shall not be classified as a commercial poultry waste applicator, but as a private poultry waste applicator;
7. "Contract growing arrangement" means any growout contract, marketing agreement, or other arrangement under which a contract poultry grower cares for or raises poultry;
8. "Contract poultry grower" means any person engaged in the business of caring for or raising poultry, under a contract growing arrangement;

