

Cherokee Nation Code Annotated

Title 2: Agriculture and Animals

Chapter 41: Livestock Protection

§ 41. Dogs Chasing Livestock—Right to Kill—Nuisance

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A. It shall be lawful for a person to kill any animal of the family *canidae* or the family *felidae* found chasing livestock off the premises of the owner of the animal if the person is the owner or occupant of the property on which the animal is chasing the livestock or if the person is authorized to kill such an animal by the owner or occupant of such property.

B. The owner of any animal of the family *canidae* or the family *felidae* that kills or injures any livestock shall be jointly and severally liable to any person so damaged, to the full amount of the injury done and damages caused, including reasonable attorney fees and litigation expenses.

Historical Data

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