

**OTC  
905**

January 2003

**OKLAHOMA  
STORM SHELTER EXEMPTION  
APPLICATION**

**Tax Year**

\_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_

Information in this application is confidential under 68 O.S. 2001, Section 2835

**NAME AND APPLICATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Property or 911 Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City

State

ZIP Code

**Use of Property:**

Residential     Commercial     Other

If other, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**SHELTER INFORMATION**

**Form of Shelter:**

Inground     Saferoom     Other

If other, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Size of Shelter:**

Dimensions: \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_ Total Square Feet: \_\_\_\_\_

**Construction:**

Concrete     Steel     Other

If other, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Location of Shelter:**

Inside Main Structure     Detached

Inside Garage     Other

If other, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Construction:** Month: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cost of Construction:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** I hereby certify that all the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ASSESSOR USE ONLY**

**Application for  
Exemption:**

Approved     Rejected

Legal Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Parcel Identification Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Assessor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**AD VALOREM EXEMPTION FOR STORM SHELTERS**

**STATE QUESTION 696**

**APPROVED IN THE NOVEMBER 5, 2002 GENERAL ELECTION**

**REFERENCE: OKLAHOMA CONSTITUTION ARTICLE 10 SECTION 6**

The Oklahoma constitution provides for up to one hundred (100) square feet of a storm shelter designed for protection and safety from tornados or tornadic winds and installed or added to an improvement to real property after January 1, 2002, shall be exempt from taxation. A storm shelter shall include but not limited to , a safe room built as part of and within an improvement to real property. If title to the property with an exempt storm shelter is transferred, changed or conveyed to another person, such storm shelter shall be assessed for that year based on the fair cash value as set forth in section 8 of the Oklahoma Constitution.