

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 SENATE BILL NO. 715

By: Paxton

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to protective orders; authorizing
8 employer to seek temporary restraining order after
9 certain violence or threat; giving court discretion
10 to extend certain order; authorizing extension of
11 certain order to other workplaces; providing for
12 codification; and providing an effective date.

13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 62.1 of Title 22, unless there
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 Any employer whose employee has suffered unlawful violence or a
18 credible threat of violence from any individual, which can
19 reasonably be construed to be carried out or to have been carried
20 out at the workplace, may seek a temporary restraining order and an
21 order after hearing on behalf of the employee and, at the discretion
22 of the court, any number of other employees at the workplace, and,
23 if appropriate, other employees at other workplaces of the employer.
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1 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2019.

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