

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

3 SENATE BILL 284

By: Brooks

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to crime and punishment; amending 21  
8 O.S. 2011, Section 838, as amended by Section 1,  
9 Chapter 357, O.S.L. 2019 (21 O.S. Supp. 2020, Section  
10 838), which relates to intimidating employers;  
11 modifying certain actions or motives; making language  
12 gender neutral; and providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2011, Section 838, as  
15 amended by Section 1, Chapter 357, O.S.L. 2019 (21 O.S. Supp. 2020,  
16 Section 838), is amended to read as follows:

17 Section 838. Every person who, by use of force, threats or  
18 intimidation, prevents or endeavors to prevent another from  
19 employing any person, or to compel another to employ any person, or  
20 to force or induce another to alter his or her mode of carrying on  
21 ~~business, to interrupt or disrupt the carrying on of business~~ or to  
22 limit or increase the number of his or her hired foremen,  
23 journeymen, apprentices, workmen, laborers, servants or other  
24 persons employed by him or her, or their rate of wages or time of  
25 service, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2021.

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