

DV-related legislation 2015

HB 2628: Effective Now

Relating to court's protective stalking orders; declaring an emergency.

Disallows all filing fees, service fees and hearing fees in action for court's protective stalking order, even if stalking order is not only relief sought in action. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/HB2628/Enrolled>

HB 2776: Effective 1/1/16

Relating to emergency protective orders.

Authorizes peace officer to apply for and circuit court to enter ex parte emergency protective order when court finds probable cause that person was victim of domestic disturbance or abuse and protective order is necessary to prevent abuse. Provides that emergency protective order expires five days after entry.

<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/HB2776/Enrolled>

HB 3466: Effective 1/1/16

Provides that release decision for defendant charged with sex crime or crime constituting domestic violence must include order prohibiting attempted contact with victim and third-party contact with victim while defendant is in custody.

<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/HB3466/Enrolled>

HB 3469: Effective 1/1/16

Increases penalty for crime of strangulation when committed knowing victim was pregnant.

Punishes by maximum of five years' imprisonment, \$125,000 fine, or both. Expands types of previous convictions that elevate crime of assault in the fourth degree to Class C felony in certain circumstances to include other degrees of assault, strangulation and menacing.

<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/HB3469/Enrolled>

HB 3476: Parts of Bill Effective Now

Establishes privilege in civil, criminal, administrative and school proceedings for certain communications between persons seeking services related to domestic violence, sexual assault or stalking and victim services programs and advocates. Prohibits disclosure of communications without consent of person seeking services. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/HB3476/Enrolled>

SB 3: Effective 1/1/16

Relating to protective orders in Family Abuse Prevention Act proceedings.
Creates crime of endangering person protected by Family Abuse Prevention Act restraining order. Punishes by maximum of five years' imprisonment, \$125,000 fine, or both.
<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB3/Enrolled>

SB 188: Effective Now

Creates crime of unlawful dissemination of intimate image. Punishes by maximum of one year's imprisonment, \$6,250 fine, or both for first offense, and five years' imprisonment, \$125,000 fine, or both for subsequent offense.
<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB188/Enrolled>

SB 492: Effective Now

Relating to leave from work for victims of certain crimes.
Authorizes use of accrued sick leave or personal business leave by certain employees who are victims of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault or stalking.
<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB492/Enrolled>

SB 525B: Effective 1/1/16

Prohibits possession of firearm or ammunition by person who is subject to restraining order issued by court under Family Abuse Prevention Act or who has been convicted of certain misdemeanor crimes involving domestic violence.
<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB525/Enrolled>

SB 788: Effective 1/1/16

Requires Petitioners in family law proceedings to disclose protective orders.
<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB788/Enrolled>

SB 790: Effective 1/1/16

Requires Department of Justice to encourage and support services, programs and curricula to educate and inform students in grades 7 through 12 about domestic violence. Requires school district boards to adopt policies that incorporate age-appropriate education about domestic violence into training programs for students in grades 7 through 12 and school employees. Authorizes Department of Human Services to make grants to and enter into contracts with nonprofit private organizations or public agencies for programs and projects designed to prevent, identify and treat domestic violence.
<https://olis.leg.state.or.us/liz/2015R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB790/Enrolled>