

An Act relating to workers' compensation; amending 85 O.S. 1991, Section 1.1, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 361, O.S.L. 1997, 2c, and Section 2, Chapter 361, O.S.L. 1997 (85 O.S. Supp. 1999, Sections 1.1 and 2.6), which relate to the scope of the Workers' Compensation Act, authority for certain persons to file certain claims, and exemption of certain employers from the Workers' Compensation Act; clarifying statutory references; clarifying language; modifying authority for certain persons to file claims; modifying exemption of certain employers from the Workers' Compensation Act; specifying relationships which qualify for exemption; clarifying that certain employers which are exempt from the requirement to obtain coverage under the Workers' Compensation Act remain subject to the limitations of liability of that Act; repealing Section 8, Chapter 384, O.S.L. 1997 and 85 O.S. 1991, Sections 2.3 and 2.4 (85 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 1.2A), which relate to salaries of judges of the Workers' Compensation Court, and certain persons providing certain services under certain programs; and providing an effective date.