

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 52nd Legislature (2010)

3 HOUSE BILL 2635

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to crimes and punishments;
8 prohibiting certain practices by persons who are not
9 licensed attorneys; providing for codification; and
10 declaring an emergency.

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

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 574.1 of Title 21, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A person who is not admitted to practice law in this state shall
17 not:

18 1. Hold out to the public or otherwise represent that the
19 person is admitted to practice law in this state; or

20 2. Provide assistance to another person that requires legal
21 analysis, legal judgment, or interpretation of the law, unless
22 employed as a legal intern, clerk, paralegal, or person in a similar
23 position, by and under the direct supervision of an attorney
24 licensed to practice law in this state.

1 SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
2 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
3 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
4 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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