

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE BILL 1035

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to civil procedure; providing for the
8 admissibility of certain evidence; providing
9 procedures for disclosing evidence; construing
10 provision; defining phrase; providing for
11 codification; and providing an effective date.

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 2415 of Title 12, unless there
15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 A. In a criminal case in which the defendant is accused of an
17 offense of domestic abuse, evidence of the commission of another
18 offense or offenses by the defendant of domestic abuse is admissible
19 and may be considered for its bearing on any matter to which it is
20 relevant.

21 B. In a case in which the state intends to offer evidence under
22 this rule, the attorney for the state shall disclose the evidence to
23 the defendant, including statements of witnesses or a summary of the
24 substance of any testimony that is expected to be offered, at least

1 fifteen (15) days before the scheduled date of trial or at such
2 later time as the court may allow for good cause.

3 C. This rule shall not be construed to limit the admission or
4 consideration of evidence under any other rule.

5 D. For purposes of this rule, "offense of domestic abuse" means
6 a crime under federal law or the laws of this state that involve any
7 conduct proscribed by Section 644 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma
8 Statutes or any attempt or conspiracy to engage in conduct described
9 in Section 644 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

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