1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA 2 2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024) 3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 3696 4 By: George 5 6 7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE An Act relating to crimes and punishments; making 8 certain acts unlawful; providing penalties; providing 9 for codification; and providing an effective date. 10 11 12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: 1.3 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified 14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 650.12 of Title 21, unless there 15 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows: Any person who, without justifiable or excusable cause, commits 16 17 during the commission of a crime, a battery or an assault and 18 battery upon an employee of the retail establishment while such 19 employee is in the performance of his or her duties shall, upon 20 conviction, be quilty of a felony punishable by a term of 21 imprisonment in the custody of the Department of Corrections for a 22 term not exceeding two (2) years, or by a fine not exceeding Two 23 Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00), or by both such fine and 24 imprisonment.

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