

2745-S

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Brief Description: Changing provisions relating to orders for protection and antiharassment orders.

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(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Revises the types of relief which a court can grant on petitions alleging domestic violence.

Establishes a procedure for service by publication in designated circumstances.

Authorizes the court to issue an order of protection for one year if the respondent fails to appear at a hearing after notice is given.

Specifies situations when an order may be effective for a period exceeding one year.

Requires petitioners to pay the cost of publication.