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### **Highlights**

This update includes opinions and legislation through June 2025.

Some highlights of this year's developments include:

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- *State v. Foster*, 20 N.W.3d 6 (Minn. 2025) held that a defendant may be allowed to call as a witness an alleged alternative perpetrator who will assert the privilege against self-incrimination.
- In *State v. Oberton*, 10 N.W. 3d 64 (Minn. 2024) the court reviewed and refined the requirements for summary criminal contempt punishment.
- *State v. Sardina-Padilla*, 7 N.W.3d 585 (Minn. 2024) examined the requirements for warrants to search social media.
- *State v. Valdez*, 12 N.W.3d 191 (Minn. 2024) held that where defense of another is involved the accused has no duty to retreat.
- *State v. Heller*, 12 N.W.3d 452 (Minn. 2024) examined at length alternative perpetrator evidence.
- The Court of Appeals examined the use of support animals for witnesses in *State v. Fernandez Sorto*, 12 N.W.3d 207 (Minn. App. 2024).

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