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DIGEST

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Proposed law (C.C. Art. 2315(C)) provides that to recover for mental anguish or emotional distress absent physical injury pursuant to present law, the injured person shall suffer severe, debilitating, and foreseeable mental anguish or emotional distress, supported by competent medical evidence, as a result of outrageous conduct on the part of the defendant, who shall be shown to have breached a special, direct duty the defendant owed to the plaintiff.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Adds C.C. Art. 2315(C))