OPINION SUMMARY
MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS EASTERN DISTRICT

DIVISION TWO

A.O.,	)	No. ED107707
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Respondent,	)	Appeal from the Circuit Court of
	)	St. Louis County
vs.	)	
	)	Honorable Mary B. Schroeder
V.O.,	)	
	)	
Appellant.	)	Filed: February 11, 2020

V.O. ("Father") appeals the trial court's judgment of full order of protection entered against him under the Adult Abuse Act, section 455.010 et seq., claiming the trial court's finding he engaged in stalking against A.O. ("Mother") was not supported by substantial evidence.

AFFIRMED.

DIVISION II HOLDS: There was insufficient evidence to support a finding that Father engaged in stalking against Mother because no evidence was presented that Mother feared a danger of physical harm because of Father's conduct. However, the trial court's judgment found Mother "prove[d] allegations of domestic violence, stalking, *and/or* sexual assault against [Father] and [Father] c[ould not] show that his . . . actions alleged to constitute abuse were otherwise justified under the law." (emphasis added). There was substantial evidence Father harassed Mother and, therefore, committed an act of domestic violence. Accordingly, we affirm the judgment of the trial court

Opinion by: Philip M. Hess, P.J.
Kurt S. Odenwald, J. and Lisa P. Page, J. concur.

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