

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2018 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 182 by Representative Johnson

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 3, between "(B)," and "1122(A)(3)" insert "1515(B)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 12, between "(B)," and "1122(A)(3)" insert "1515(B)"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 3

6 On page 15, between lines 27 and 28, insert the following:

7 Art. 1515. Petition; contents; form
8 * * *

9 B. The form for the petition shall be as follows:

10 "PETITION FOR VOLUNTARY TRANSFER OF CUSTODY

11 The petition of _____ (all legal custodians of the child unless otherwise indicated
12 in Paragraph III of the petition), domiciled in the parish of _____, respectfully
13 represent(s):

14 I.

15 That petitioner(s) reside at the following address(es):
16 _____
17 _____

18 II.

19 That petitioner(s) is/are the parent(s) and legal custodian(s) of the minor child(ren),
20 namely _____, whose date of birth is _____ (add
21 same information for all children subject to the petition), as more fully appears from the
22 attached certificate(s) of birth.

23 Is the child an Indian child?

24 _____
25 Yes

_____ No

26 III.

27 That there are no other legal custodians of the child(ren) OR that a legal custodian,
28 namely _____, is unable to join in this petition for the following
29 reasons:
30 _____
31 _____
32 _____
33 _____.

34 IV.

35 That petitioner(s) desire(s) to knowingly and voluntarily transfer custody of the
36 above named children to _____, which individual(s), institution
37 or agency reside(s) at the following address:
38 _____ and who have the

39 following relationship with the children:
40 _____
41 _____.

42 V.

43 That petitioner(s) desire to transfer physical custody OR legal custody of the person
44 of the children (indicate one) for the period of time _____ (specify intended

1 duration) in accordance with the following terms and conditions
2 _____
3 _____
4 (may include provisions for support and/or visitation).

5 VI.

6 That petitioners desire this transfer of custody for the following reasons:
7 _____
8 _____
9 _____
10 _____
11 _____.

12 Has the Department of Children and Family Services recommended to you that this
13 petition be filed?

14 _____
15 Yes

_____ No

16 If yes, state name of the Department of Children and Family Services worker
17 making the recommendation and the reasons for the recommendation with particularity.

18 If the department has recommended that this petition be filed, you have a right to
19 counsel. Have you consulted with an attorney?

20 _____
21 Yes

_____ No

22 VII.

23 That _____ has/have agreed to and does/do desire to accept
24 custody of the child(ren) to the extent and under the terms and conditions stated in this
25 petition, as more fully appears in the attached Affidavit of Acceptance.

26 WHEREFORE, petitioner(s) pray(s) that there be judgment herein transferring
27 custody of the child(ren), _____, _____, _____,
28 _____, to _____, to the extent and under the terms and
29 conditions set forth in this petition.
30 _____

31 (Signature and address of Petitioner(s))
32 or counsel for Petitioner(s)

33 (If in proper person, petition should be signed in presence of a notary.)

34 SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME ON THIS THE _____ DAY OF
35 _____, 20 ____.
36 _____