
DIGEST

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HB 252 Reengrossed

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Edmonds

Abstract: Removes the juvenile court in the parish where the act of surrender was executed as a potential venue for child adoptions.

Present law provides that venues for child adoptions be in the juvenile court in the parish of any of the following:

- (1) Petitioner's domicile.
- (2) Custodian of the child's domicile.
- (3) Location where the voluntary act of surrender was executed.
- (4) Location where the child in need of care proceeding is pending or adjudicated.
- (5) Location where the parental rights of a parent of the adopted child were terminated.

Proposed law removes the juvenile court in the parish where the act of surrender was executed as a potential venue.

(Amends Ch.C. Art. 1180(A))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Restore the juvenile court in the parish where the parental rights of a parent of the adopted child were terminated as an eligible venue for child adoptions.