

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 173

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “Abandonment” in line 2 down through “Child” in line 3 and substitute “Failure to Pay Child Support or Abandonment of Minor Child”; in line 4, strike “through a child” and substitute “by intestate succession from a minor child of the parent”; in line 5, strike “has”; in line 5, after “for” insert “the child in violation of a court order for”; strike beginning with “establishing” in line 6 down through “circumstances;” in line 11; in line 16, after “Section” insert “3-101 and”; in the same line, after “3-104(a)” insert “and (b)”; and strike in their entirety lines 19 through 23, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 7, insert:

“3-101.

Any part of the net estate of a decedent not effectively disposed of by his will shall be distributed by the personal representative to the heirs of the decedent in the order prescribed in this subtitle.”;

in line 12, in each instance, strike the bracket; in the same line, strike “SUBJECT TO §§ 3-111 AND 3-112 OF THIS SUBTITLE, IT”; in line 17, after the second “A” insert “MINOR”; in line 20, after “PAY” insert “ANY”; strike beginning with the second “FOR” in line 20 down through “SUPPORT” in line 22 and substitute “IN VIOLATION OF A COURT ORDER FOR AT LEAST 3 CONSECUTIVE YEARS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE DEATH OF THE CHILD”; in line 23, after the second “A” insert “MINOR”; in line 24, strike the second “THE” and substitute “THAT”; in line 25, strike “TO”; in the same line, after “INTENTIONALLY” insert “TO”; and strike in their entirety lines 28 through 35, inclusive.

(Over)

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 14, inclusive; and strike beginning with “the” in line 15 down through “2001” in line 17 and substitute “this Act shall apply only to an estate of a minor child who dies on or after the effective date of this Act”.