

**Department of Legislative Services**  
Maryland General Assembly  
2001 Session

**FISCAL NOTE**

House Bill 1373

(Delegate Montague)

Judiciary

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**Child in Need of Assistance - Permanency Plan - Appeal of Interlocutory Order**

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This bill prohibits a party from appealing an interlocutory (temporary) order entered by a circuit court that amends a permanency plan for a child in need of assistance.

The bill takes effect June 1, 2001.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** This bill would not materially affect State finances.

**Local Effect:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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**Analysis**

**Current Law:** A party may appeal an interlocutory order entered by a circuit court in a civil case that deprives a parent, grandparent, or natural guardian of the care and custody of his child, or changes the terms of the order, regardless of whether or not the order amends a permanency plan for a child in need of assistance.

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**Additional Information**

**Prior Introductions:** None.

**Cross File:** None.

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