HB0083/163825/1

BY: Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 83

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike "Emancipation of a Minor and Authorization to Marry" and substitute "Authorization for a Minor to Marry"; in line 3, strike "emancipation of a minor and"; in line 4, after "requirements;" insert "authorizing a married minor to file an action for divorce and sign contracts;"; in lines 5 and 6, strike "emancipation of a minor and"; in line 6, after "authorization" insert "for a minor"; in line 8, strike "emancipation and"; in line 17, strike "5–2A–05" and substitute "5–2A–06"; and in line 18, strike "Emancipation of a Minor and Authorization to Marry" and substitute "Authorization for a Minor to Marry".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2 in line 19, and on page 4 in lines 8 and 19, in each instance, strike "EMANCIPATION OF A MINOR AND".

On page 2, in line 20, after "AUTHORIZATION" insert "FOR A MINOR".

On page 3 in line 1, on page 4 in lines 28 and 30, on page 5 in line 15, on page 6 in lines 9, 19 and 20, and 23 and 24, and on page 7 in lines 14 and 15, in each instance, strike "EMANCIPATION OF A MINOR AND".

On page 4, in line 25, strike "EMANCIPATION OF A MINOR AND AUTHORIZATION TO MARRY" and substitute "AUTHORIZATION FOR A MINOR TO MARRY".

On page 4, in lines 9 and 19, after "AUTHORIZATION" insert "FOR A MINOR".

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On page 5, in line 10, strike "AND"; in line 13, after "GUARDIAN," insert "LEGAL CUSTODIAN,"; in the same line, after "SPOUSE" insert "; AND

(6) THE NAME AND LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF EACH LIVING PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR LEGAL CUSTODIAN OF THE PETITIONER";

in line 19, strike "AND"; in line 22, strike "AN EMANCIPATED MINOR AND" and substitute ":

1. A MINOR GRANTED AUTHORIZATION TO MARRY
UNDER THIS SUBTITLE, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO DIVORCE AND ENTER INTO
CONTRACTS; AND

2.";

in line 23, strike "AND"; and in line 25, after "TRAFFICKING" insert "; AND

- (IV) INFORMATION RELATED TO IMPACTS AND OUTCOMES OF CHILD MARRIAGE IN THE UNITED STATES; AND
- (4) NOTIFY EACH LIVING PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR LEGAL CUSTODIAN WHOM THE COURT IS ABLE TO LOCATE OF THEIR RIGHT TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE THE PETITION".

On page 5 in line 28, and on page 6 in lines 1 and 7, in each instance, strike "OR" and substitute a comma.

On page 5 in line 29, and on page 6 in lines 1 and 7, in each instance, after "GUARDIANS" insert ", OR LEGAL CUSTODIANS".

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On page 6, in line 1, strike "LEGAL"; in lines 5 and 6, strike "EMANCIPATION AND"; in lines 6 and 21, in each instance, strike "ARE" and substitute "<u>IS</u>"; and in line 21, strike "EMANCIPATION AND".

On page 7, in line 14, strike "(A)"; and strike in their entirety lines 17 through 31, inclusive, and substitute:

"5-2A-05.

A MINOR WHO IS MARRIED MAY FILE AN ACTION FOR DIVORCE UNDER TITLE 7 OF THIS ARTICLE AND SIGN AND ENTER INTO CONTRACTS.".

On page 8, in line 1, strike "**5–2A–05.**" and substitute "**5–2A–06.**".