

CHAPTER 5

COMBINED GUARDIANSHIP AND CONSERVATORSHIP PROCEEDINGS — REPORTING

H.F. 159

AN ACT relating to the administration of combined guardianship and conservatorship proceedings.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 633.27A, Code 2015, is amended to read as follows:

633.27A Docketing guardianship and conservatorship proceedings — applicability of separate reporting requirements.

When a petition is filed for a conservatorship or guardianship, or a combined petition as provided in section 633.627, the administration thereof shall be treated as ~~a separate one~~ proceeding, with ~~a separate one~~ docket number, from the date of the filing of the petition. The separate reporting requirements for conservatorships and guardianships shall continue to apply in a combined petition. The clerk shall clearly indicate on the docket whether the proceedings are voluntary or involuntary and whether a guardianship, a conservatorship, or combined.

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