

**232.161 Department as authority in receiving state.**

As used in paragraph “a” of article V of the interstate compact on the placement of children under [section 232.158](#), the phrase “*appropriate authority in the receiving state*” with reference to this state means the state department of health and human services.

[C71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §238.36]

[83 Acts, ch 96, §157, 159](#)

[85 Acts, ch 173, §30](#)

CS85, §232.161

[2008 Acts, ch 1032, §201; 2023 Acts, ch 19, §636](#)

Referred to in [§232.166, 232.167](#)

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