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1 3 AN ACT  
1 4 RELATING TO CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION PROVISIONS.  
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1 6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
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1 8 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 598.14B CHILD VISITATION ==  
1 9 TEMPORARY CUSTODY ORDERS.  
1 10 In order to encourage compliance with a visitation order, a  
1 11 temporary order for custody shall provide for a minimum  
1 12 visitation schedule with the noncustodial parent, unless the  
1 13 court determines that such visitation is not in the best  
1 14 interest of the child.  
1 15 Sec. 2. Section 600B.40, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code  
1 16 2003, is amended to read as follows:  
1 17 The mother of a child born out of wedlock whose paternity  
1 18 has not been acknowledged and who has not been adopted has  
1 19 sole custody of the child unless the court orders otherwise.  
1 20 If a judgment of paternity is entered, the father may petition  
1 21 for rights of visitation or custody in the same paternity  
1 22 action or in an equity proceeding separate from any action to  
1 23 establish paternity.

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1 28 JEFFREY M. LAMBERTI  
1 29 President of the Senate

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1 33 CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS  
1 34 Speaker of the House

1 35 I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and  
2 1 is known as Senate File 2234, Eightieth General Assembly.

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2 6 MICHAEL E. MARSHALL  
2 7 Secretary of the Senate

2 8 Approved \_\_\_\_\_, 2004  
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2 11 THOMAS J. VILSACK  
2 12 Governor