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HOUSE FILE 321

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring certain information to be attached to an order
 2 modifying a custody order.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 598.41, Code 1995, is amended by adding
2 the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 7. The supreme court shall prescribe
4 rules to provide for the form of a notice which shall be
5 attached to all temporary and permanent orders which are
6 modified and result in the change of custody of a child named
7 in the order. The notice shall be written in clear,
8 understandable language and shall include, but is not limited
9 to, a statement that the order which modifies custody does not
10 necessarily modify a support obligation and that a separate
11 modification action may be necessary to effect a support
12 obligation.

13 EXPLANATION

14 This bill requires the supreme court to prescribe rules to
15 provide for the form of a notice to be attached to temporary
16 or permanent child custody modification orders. The notice is
17 to be written in clear, understandable language and is to
18 include a statement that the modification of custody order
19 does not necessarily modify a child support obligation and
20 that a separate modification action may be necessary.

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