## **CHAPTER 1125**

## CHILD SUPPORT — LIENS — MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION — INCOME WITHHOLDING H.F. 2135

AN ACT relating to support obligations and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 252B.22, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows: 252B.22 STATEWIDE SUPPORT LIEN INDEX LIENS — MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRA-TION — TASK FORCE.

1. The child support recovery unit created in this chapter shall establish a task force to assist in the development <u>and implementation</u> of a <u>plan for a statewide support lien index</u>. <u>all of the following:</u> The unit, in consultation with the task force, may recommend additional statutory changes to the general assembly by January 1, 1999, to facilitate implementation of a statewide index.

2. The plan shall provide for an index pertaining to any person against whom a support judgment is entered, registered, or otherwise filed with a court in this state, against whom the unit is enforcing a support judgment, or against whom an interstate lien form promulgated by the United States secretary of health and human services is filed. The plan shall also provide for implementation and administration of an automated statewide support lien index, access to at least one location in every county, and the development of procedures to periodically update the lien information.

a. The filing of notices of liens and actions to release liens.

b. The process for delaying the renewal of a motor vehicle registration due to a support delinquency and recommendations for additional statutory changes to the general assembly.

3. 2. Members of the task force may include, but shall not be limited to, representatives, appointed by the respective entity, of the Iowa land title association, the Iowa realtors' association, the Iowa state bar association, the Iowa county recorders' association, the Iowa clerks of court association, the Iowa bankers association, the Iowa recreational vehicle dealers' association, the Iowa bankers association, the Iowa recreational vehicle dealers' association, the Iowa motorcycle association, the Iowa credit union league, department of revenue and finance, state department of transportation, the office of the state court administrator, and other constituency groups and agencies which have an interest in a statewide support lien index to the record liens. Appointments are not subject to sections 69.16 and 69.16A. Vacancies shall be filled by the original appointment authority and in the manner of the original appointments.

Sec. 2. Section 252D.17, subsection 6, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

6. The payor may combine amounts withheld from the obligors' income in a single payment to the clerk of the district court or to the collection services center, as appropriate. Whether combined or separate, payments shall be identified by the name of the obligor, account number, amount, and, until October 1, 1999, the date withheld. If payments for multiple obligors are combined, the portion of the payment attributable to each obligor shall be specifically identified.

Sec. 3. RESCINDING OF RULES. The department of human services shall rescind any administrative rules in conflict with this Act.

Sec. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

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