

**CHAPTER 1061**

## CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION

S.F. 2234

**AN ACT** relating to child custody and visitation provisions.

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

Section 1. NEW SECTION. 598.14B CHILD VISITATION — TEMPORARY CUSTODY ORDERS.

In order to encourage compliance with a visitation order, a temporary order for custody shall provide for a minimum visitation schedule with the noncustodial parent, unless the court determines that such visitation is not in the best interest of the child.

Sec. 2. Section 600B.40, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:

The mother of a child born out of wedlock whose paternity has not been acknowledged and who has not been adopted has sole custody of the child unless the court orders otherwise. If a judgment of paternity is entered, the father may petition for rights of visitation or custody in the same paternity action or in an equity proceeding separate from any action to establish paternity.

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**CHAPTER 1062**

## SPANISH LANGUAGE INTERPRETER QUALIFICATIONS

H.F. 2441

**AN ACT** relating to the statutory duties of the commission of Latino affairs regarding Spanish language interpreter qualifications.

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

Section 1. Section 216A.15, subsection 9, Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:

9. ~~Maintain information on~~ Adopt rules, with stakeholder input, pursuant to chapter 17A to develop a mechanism to ensure the qualifications of Spanish language interpreters and maintain and provide a list of those deemed qualified to Iowa courts, ~~or~~ administrative agencies, ~~social service agencies, and health agencies,~~ as requested.

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