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# HOUSE BILL NO. 432

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE KELLY (141).

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 210, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the birth match program.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 210, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 210.157, to read as follows:

**210.157. 1. This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Birth Match Program".**

**2. (1) The director shall provide to the director of the department of health and senior services information regarding an individual who, as to any child, has had his or her parental rights terminated and has been identified in the central registry as being responsible for abuse or neglect.**

**(2) A court shall provide to the director of the department of health and senior services identifying information regarding an individual who has been convicted under section 565.020, 565.021, 565.023, or 565.024.**

**3. The director of the department of health and senior services shall provide to the director birth record information for a child born to an individual whose identifying information has been provided to the director of the department of health and senior services by the director or a court within the previous ten years. If such information is provided to the director, the director shall:**

**(1) Verify that the parent of the child is the same individual as described in subsection 2 of this section; and**

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

17           **(2) Immediately notify the division where the child is believed to be located so that**  
18 **the division shall review its records and provide an assessment of the family and offer**  
19 **services if needed.**

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