



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 542

HOUSE BILL NO. 1268

By Representatives Littleton, Hazlewood, Calfee, Todd, Lynn

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1145

By Senators White, Rose, Haile, Pody

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 37 and Title 39, relative to the department of children's services.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-2-414, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

The department of children's services shall notify the appropriate court when the department has knowledge that a foster parent from a kinship placement violated a court order by allowing a child to visit the child's parent within ninety-six (96) hours of the department's knowledge of the information.

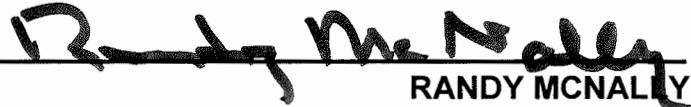
SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: May 4, 2021



CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RANDY MCNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 25th day of May 2021



BILL LEE, GOVERNOR