

## CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House Comm: RCS 4/8/2008

The Committee on Judiciary (Joyner) recommended the following amendment:

## Senate Amendment

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Delete line(s) 397 through 408, and insert:

(3) (a) Pursuant to chapter 48, an adoption entity shall may serve a notice of intended adoption plan upon any known and locatable unmarried biological father who is identified to the adoption entity by the mother by the date she signs her consent for adoption or who is identified by a diligent search of the Florida Putative Father Registry, or upon an entity whose consent is required. Service of the notice of intended adoption plan is not mandatory when the unmarried biological father signs a consent for adoption or an affidavit of nonpaternity. The notice may be served, a notice of intended adoption plan at any time before the child's birth or before placing prior to the placement 18

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 $\frac{1}{2}$  of the child in the adoptive home, including prior to the birth of the child. The recipient of the notice may waive service of process by executing a waiver and acknowledging receipt of the plan. The notice of intended adoption plan must