

Amendment No. 1

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED                                         (Y/N)  
ADOPTED AS AMENDED                         (Y/N)  
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION                     (Y/N)  
FAILED TO ADOPT                             (Y/N)  
WITHDRAWN                                     (Y/N)  
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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Ways & Means Committee  
2 Representative Miller, M. offered the following:

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4        **Amendment (with title amendment)**

5        Between lines 1772 and 1773, insert:

6        Section 27. Effective October 1, 2017, Section 382.0235,  
7 Florida Statutes, is created to read:

8        382.0235 Records; custody proceedings involving minor  
9 children.-

10        (1) The clerk of each circuit court shall create a  
11 statistical information sheet to be completed by the presiding  
12 judge in each action involving custody of a minor child under  
13 chapters 61 and 742. The statistical information sheet shall  
14 contain the following information:

15        (a) Whether the action involves dissolution of marriage or  
16 determination of parentage.

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17 (b) The number and age of each minor child.

18 (c) Whether the parties agreed to a parenting plan or a  
19 parenting plan was established by the court, in which case:

20 1. Whether the plan provides for shared or sole parental  
21 responsibility.

22 2. Whether ultimate parental responsibility was awarded  
23 and, if so, to whom the responsibility was awarded and over  
24 which aspects of decisionmaking.

25 3. Whether the court awarded equal time-sharing to each  
26 parent, or if not, which parent received greater time-sharing.

27 4. The percentage of overnights per year, calculated from  
28 January 1 through December 31, awarded to the mother and the  
29 father, respectively.

30 (d) Whether any domestic violence proceeding, including an  
31 injunction for protection against domestic violence, was filed  
32 by either party against the other party or on behalf of a minor  
33 child within 6 months before the custody action.

34 (2) The clerk of each circuit court shall provide the  
35 information required in subsection (1) monthly to the Office of  
36 Vital Statistics on a form prescribed by the department by rule.

37 (3) The office shall compile the information received from  
38 the clerks of circuit court and shall prepare a chart, on a form  
39 prescribed by the department by rule, with the following  
40 information broken down by county:

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41 (a) Total number of reported cases involving custody of a  
42 minor child under chapters 61 and 742.

43 (b) Total number of children under 2 years of age and  
44 total number of children between 2 years of age and 6 years of  
45 age involved in custody proceedings.

46 (c) Total number of cases in which the court established a  
47 parenting plan.

48 (d) Total number of cases that involved a domestic  
49 violence proceeding.

50 (e) Total number of cases in which shared, sole, or  
51 ultimate parental responsibility was awarded, respectively.

52 (f) In cases involving ultimate parental responsibility,  
53 total number of cases in which ultimate parental responsibility  
54 was awarded to the mother or the father, respectively.

55 (g) Total number of cases in which the court ordered equal  
56 time-sharing.

57 (h) Total number of cases in which the court ordered a  
58 time-sharing plan in which one parent was awarded greater time-  
59 sharing than the other.

60 (i) Total number of cases in which the court ordered  
61 greater time-sharing to the mother than to the father.

62 (j) Total number of cases in which the court ordered  
63 greater time-sharing to the father than to the mother.

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Remove line 137 and insert:  
term "primary or attending physician"; creating s. 382.0235,  
F.S.; requiring circuit courts to create, and presiding judges  
to complete, statistical information sheets relating to custody  
proceedings; requiring circuit courts to provide such  
information sheets to the Office of Vital Statistics within the  
Department of Health; requiring the office to compile specified  
information relating to custody proceedings; amending s.