



LAWS OF ALASKA

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Chapter No.

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AN ACT

Relating to adoption by stepparents.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

* Section 1. AS 20.15.100(a) is amended to read:

(a) After the filing of a petition to adopt a minor, the court shall fix a time and place for hearing the petition. At least 20 days before the date of hearing, notice of the filing of the petition and of the time and place of hearing shall be given by the petitioner to (1) the department, unless the adoption is by a stepparent of the child; (2) any agency or person whose consent to the adoption is required by this chapter, but who has not consented; and (3) a person whose consent is dispensed with upon any ground mentioned in secs. 50(a)(1), (2), (3), (6), (7), (8) and (9) of this chapter, but who has not consented. The notice to the department shall be accompanied by a copy of the petition. In this subsection, "stepparent" means the spouse of a natural parent of the child residing in the same household.

Approved by governor: June 8, 1976
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