

CHAPTER 257A

CHILDREN; CUSTODY, DESIGNATED CAREGIVER

257A.01 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

NOTE: Subdivision 2 was also amended by Laws 2000, chapter 444, article 2, section 2, to read as follows:

"Subd. 2. **Consents and notice required.** (a) The agreement must be executed by all parents with legal custody of the child and must have the consent of every parent who has court-ordered parenting time rights to the child. As soon as practicable after executing an agreement, a copy of the agreement must be given to every child age 14 or older to whom the agreement applies.

(b) Consent of a parent required under paragraph (a) may be given in writing or may be established by mailing a notice regarding the designated caregiver agreement to the parent's last known address. The notice must include the name of the proposed designated caregiver and inform the parent whose consent is required that the parent's consent to the agreement will be implied if the parent does not object within 30 days. If the parent does not object to the agreement orally or in writing within 30 days, the consent of the parent is implied."

257A.02 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

257A.03 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

NOTE: Subdivision 2 was also amended by Laws 2000, chapter 444, article 2, section 10, to read as follows:

"Subd. 2. **Notice to noncustodial parent; rights.** (a) As soon as practicable after assuming care of a child, the designated caregiver shall notify any noncustodial parent that the designated caregiver has assumed care of the child.

(b) Court-ordered parenting time rights of a noncustodial parent continue while the child is in the care of the designated caregiver, unless otherwise modified by the court. A designated caregiver agreement does not affect the right of a parent without physical custody to bring a custody motion under chapter 518. If a parent with legal custody is not the designated caregiver, the parent may bring a motion for temporary physical custody, which may continue until the parent with physical custody is able to resume care of the child. The court shall award that parent temporary physical custody unless it finds it would not be in the best interests of the child."

257A.04 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

257A.05 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

257A.06 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

257A.07 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

257A.08 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

257A.09 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]

257A.10 [Repealed, 2000 c 404 s 13]