

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 SB1063

Introduced 1/24/2013, by Sen. John J. Cullerton

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

750 ILCS 50/9

from Ch. 40, par. 1511

Amends the Adoption Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the time for taking a consent or surrender.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- 4 Section 5. The Adoption Act is amended by changing Section
- 5 9 as follows:
- 6 (750 ILCS 50/9) (from Ch. 40, par. 1511)
- 7 Sec. 9. Time for signing a waiver, consent, or surrender.
- 8 A. A consent or a surrender signed not less than 72 hours
- 9 after $\underline{\text{the}}$ birth of the child is irrevocable except as
- 10 provided in Section 11 of this Act.
- 11 B. No consent or surrender shall be signed within the 72
- 12 hour period immediately following the birth of the child.
- 13 C. A consent or a surrender may be signed by the father
- 14 prior to the birth of the child. Such consent or surrender
- 15 shall be revoked if, within 72 hours after the birth of the
- 16 child, the father who gave such consent or surrender, notifies
- in writing the person, agency or court representative who
- 18 acknowledged the surrender or consent or any individual
- 19 representing or connected with such person, agency or court
- 20 representative of the revocation of the consent or surrender.
- D. Any consent or surrender signed in accordance with
- 22 paragraph C above which is not revoked within 72 hours after
- 23 the birth of the child is irrevocable except as provided in

- 1 Section 11 of this Act.
- 2 E. Consent may be given to a standby adoption by a parent
- 3 whose consent is required pursuant to Section 8 of this Act to
- 4 become effective when the consenting parent of the child dies
- 5 or that parent requests that the final judgment of adoption be
- 6 entered.
- 7 F. A waiver as provided in subsection S of Section 10 of
- 8 this Act may be signed by a putative father or legal father of
- 9 the child at any time prior to or after the birth of the child.
- 10 A waiver is irrevocable except as provided in Section 11 of
- 11 this Act.
- 12 (Source: P.A. 97-493, eff. 8-22-11.)