January 28, 2003

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1037

Page 1, line 3, after the first comma insert "and" and remove "and 50-12-09,"

Page 1, line 5, after "agencies" insert "and registration of adoption placement facilitators"

Page 1, line 15, after "2." insert "Facilitator services include:

- <u>a.</u> <u>Maintaining a list or other data base of birth parents or prospective</u> adoptive parents.
- b. Advertising that the person providing the services knows of a child who is available for adoption, is willing to accept a child for adoption, or knows of prospective adoptive parents of a child.

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- Page 1, line 19, after "licensed" insert "- Adoption placement facilitator registration"
- Page 1, line 20, after the period insert "The department of human services shall register, on forms prescribed and furnished by the department, adoption placement facilitators that provide or offer to provide facilitator services in this state."

Page 4, remove lines 3 through 12

- Page 5, line 19, after the first boldfaced period insert "<u>Licensure requirement Registration</u> requirement "
- Page 5, line 25, after "placement" insert ". A person may not offer or provide adoption placement facilitator services in this state unless that person is a facilitator registered with the department of human services" and after "who" insert "willfully"
- Page 5, line 27, replace the underscored semicolon with "or to"
- Page 5, line 28, replace "; facilitate placement of a child by maintaining a list in any form of birth parents or" with an underscored period

Page 5, remove lines 29 through 31

Renumber accordingly