

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999
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A Bill

Act 1229 of 1999
HOUSE BILL 2063

5 By: Representative Carson
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 9-9-224 TO DELETE
10 CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE ADOPTIVE
11 PARENTS AND THE CHILD TO BE ADOPTED BY GIVING NOTICE,
12 BUT NOT A COPY OF THE PETITION FOR ADOPTION, TO
13 REGISTERED PUTATIVE FATHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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26 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 9-9-224 is amended to read as follows:

27 "9-9-224. Child born to unmarried mother.

28 In all cases involving a child born to a mother unmarried at the time of the
29 child's birth, the following procedure shall apply:

30 (a) Upon filing of the petition for adoption and prior to the entry of
31 a decree for adoption a certified statement shall be obtained from the
32 putative father registry stating:

33 (1) The information contained in the registry in regard to the
34 child who is the subject of the adoption; or

35 (2) That no information is contained in the registry at the time
36 the petition for adoption was filed.

