

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 2377**

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT AN ADJUDICATED FATHER IS ENTITLED TO ONE  
PATERNITY TEST AT ANY TIME DURING THE PERIOD OF HIS CHILD SUPPORT  
OBLIGATION."

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**Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2377.**

Amend House Bill No. 2377 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 1 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 9-10-115(f) is amended to read as follows:

(f) ~~In no event shall the adjudication or voluntary acknowledgment of paternity be modified later than three (3) years after such adjudication or voluntary acknowledgment.~~ When any man voluntarily acknowledges paternity or has been adjudicated to be the father of a child, without the benefit of scientific testing for paternity, and as a result ordered to pay child support, he shall be entitled to one (1) paternity test at any time during the period of time that he is required to pay child support upon the filing of a motion for testing or a motion for modification of the support order. If the paternity test administered under this subsection indicates, and a court so finds that he is not the father, the adjudication of paternity shall be set aside."

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The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_

By: Representative Cleveland

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Chief Clerk