

State of Arkansas
90th General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1670

By: Representative Lowery

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO PROTECT THE PARENTAL RIGHTS OF A PUTATIVE
FATHER; TO VACATE AN ADOPTION WITHIN SIX (6) MONTHS
FROM THE FINAL ADOPTION ORDER UPON EVIDENCE OF FRAUD
OR A LACK OF KNOWLEDGE OF THE CHILD'S EXISTENCE; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO PROTECT THE PARENTAL RIGHTS OF A
PUTATIVE FATHER; AND TO VACATE AN
ADOPTION WITHIN SIX (6) MONTHS FROM THE
FINAL ADOPTION ORDER UPON EVIDENCE OF
FRAUD OR A LACK OF KNOWLEDGE OF THE
CHILD'S EXISTENCE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this act is to protect the parental rights
of a putative father and to vacate an adoption within six (6) months from the
final adoption order upon evidence of fraud or a lack of knowledge of the
child's existence.

