

SENATE BILL No. 170

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 29-3-3-1.

Synopsis: Payment of debt owed to a minor. Increases from \$3,500 to \$10,000 the maximum amount of debt owed to a minor and the maximum value of property possessed by another person but belonging to a minor that may be paid or delivered to a person having the care and custody of the minor without giving a bond or an order of a court.

Effective: July 1, 1998.

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January 6, 1998, read first time and referred to Committee on Corrections, Criminal and Civil Procedures.



Introduced

Second Regular Session 110th General Assembly (1998)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1997 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning probate.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 29-3-3-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
2 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. (a) Any person indebted to a
3 minor or having possession of property belonging to a minor in an
4 amount not exceeding ~~three ten thousand five hundred~~ dollars (~~\$3,500~~)
5 (**\$10,000**) may pay the debt or deliver the property without the
6 appointment of a guardian, giving of bond, or other order of court
7 directly to any person having the care and custody of the minor with
8 whom the minor resides.
9 (b) Persons receiving property for a minor under this section are
10 obligated to apply the property to the support, use, and benefit of the
11 minor.
12 (c) This section does not apply if the person paying or delivering the
13 property knows that a guardian has been appointed for the minor or that
14 proceedings for appointment of a guardian for the minor are pending.
15 (d) A person who pays or delivers property in accordance with this
16 section in good faith is not responsible for the proper application of that
17 property.

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