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CHANGE DEFINITION OF "CHILD BORN OUT OF WEDLOCK"

House Bill 4195

Sponsor: Rep. Nick Ciaramitaro

Committee: Judiciary and Civil Rights

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4195 AS INTRODUCED 1-30-95

House Bill 4195 would amend the Paternity Act to expand the definition of a "child born out of wedlock." Current law defines the term to mean a child born to a woman who was not married from the child's conception to the child's date of birth, or a child who the court has determined to have been born or conceived during a marriage but not the issue of that marriage.

The bill would add to the definition a child born to a woman who was married at the time of conception or birth, but was no longer married to the man to whom she was married at the time of the child's conception or birth, unless a court order existed directing the man to whom the child's mother was married to pay child support for that child.

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