

## LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

## AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 162

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1 Amend Bill, page 3, line 12, by striking out "a"

2 Amend Bill, page 3, line 12, by inserting after "~~summary~~"  
3 the adoptee's

4 Amend Bill, page 3, line 13, by striking out "the adoptee's"

5 Amend Bill, page 3, line 13, by striking out "The" and  
6 inserting

7 Subject to subsection (b), the

8 Amend Bill, page 3, lines 14 and 15, by striking out "the  
9 adoptee's"

10 Amend Bill, page 3, line 17, by striking out "(b)" and  
11 inserting

12 (c)

13 Amend Bill, page 3, by inserting between lines 17 and 18

14 (b) Contact preference.--The Department of Health shall  
15 develop and, upon request, make available to each birth parent  
16 named on the original birth certificate a contact preference  
17 form on which the birth parent may state a preference regarding  
18 contact by an adoptee who is the birth child of the birth  
19 parent. Upon such request, the Department of Health shall also  
20 provide the birth parent with an updated medical history form,  
21 which shall be completed and returned, together with the  
22 completed contact preference form, by the birth parent to the  
23 Department of Health. The contact preference form shall provide  
24 the birth parent with options, in substantially the following  
25 form, from which the birth parent shall select one:

26 (1) I would like to be contacted. I have completed the  
27 contact preference form and an updated medical history form  
28 and am filing them with the Department of Health.

29 (2) I would prefer to be contacted only through an

1	<u>intermediary. I have completed the contact preference form</u>
2	<u>and an updated medical history form and am filling them with</u>
3	<u>the Department of Health.</u>
4	<u>(3) Do not contact me. I may change this preference by</u>
5	<u>filling out another contact preference form. I have completed</u>
6	<u>the contact preference form and an updated medical history</u>
7	<u>form and am filling them with the Department of Health.</u>
8	Amend Bill, page 3, line 18, by striking out "(b)" and
9	inserting
10	(c)
11	Amend Bill, page 4, line 1, by striking out "a"
12	Amend Bill, page 4, line 2, by inserting after "summary"
13	<u>the adoptee's</u>
14	Amend Bill, page 4, line 2, by striking out "the adoptee's"
15	Amend Bill, page 4, line 4, by striking out "(c)" and
16	inserting
17	(d)
18	Amend Bill, page 4, line 8, by striking out "(d)" and
19	inserting
20	(e)
21	Amend Bill, page 4, line 9, by striking out "an adoptee's"
22	Amend Bill, page 4, line 17, by striking out "180 days" and
23	inserting
24	one year
25	Amend Bill, page 4, line 18, by striking out "2937(c)" and
26	inserting
27	2937(d)