

IN THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR THE STATE OF FLORIDA

IN RE: SUBSTITUTION OF)
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE FOR)
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND)
REHABILITATIVE SERVICES)
IN TITLE IV-D CASES)
_____)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO: 1.8

WHEREAS, Chapter 94-124, Laws of Florida, transferred all of the powers, duties and other statutory functions of the Florida Child Support Enforcement Program created pursuant to Title IV-D of the Social Security Act from the Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services to the Florida Department of Revenue effective July 1, 1994; and,

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services is currently listed as a designated party for the Title IV-D client in all Title IV-D paternity and child support cases initiated, enforced, modified or currently being monitored by both the IV-D agency and the local depository for compliance; and

WHEREAS, effective July 1, 1994, pursuant to Chapter 94-124, Laws of Florida, the Department of Revenue shall be substituted and listed as a designated party for the Title IV-D client in all Title IV-D paternity and child support cases initiated, enforced, modified or currently being monitored by both the IV-D agency and the local depository for compliance;

NOW, THEREFORE, to provide for efficient and proper administration of the Title IV-D cases coming before the courts in this circuit, the following procedures shall be implemented:

I. APPLICABILITY

These provisions are intended to implement Chapter 94-124, Laws of Florida, and shall apply to actions in the Family Law Division of the Circuit Court in and for the Twentieth Judicial Circuit. This order shall be in addition to any other administrative orders applicable to the court generally, and is intended to complement the Rules of Civil Procedure and the Rules of Judicial Administration.

II. SUBSTITUTION OF PARTIES

A. Effective July 1, 1994, the Florida Department of Revenue shall be substituted as a designated party in all Title IV-D paternity and child support cases initiated, enforced, modified or currently being monitored by both the IV-D agency and the local depository for compliance.

B. Effective July 1, 1994, the style of each Title IV-D case shall read Florida Department of Revenue o/b/o (Custodial Parent) v. (Noncustodial Parent). Each pending Title IV-D case shall be stamped as set forth in paragraph II.C. below, or be styled (Custodial Parent) v. (Noncustodial Parent).

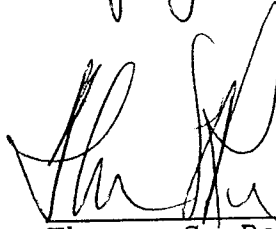
C. On or after July 1, 1994, each Title IV-D case brought before the court shall be styled as set forth in paragraph II.B. above, or be stamped or affixed with a sticker with the following language:

CAUTION - PLEASE NOTE: Effective 7/1/94 the Department of Revenue has been substituted for the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services pursuant to Chapter 94-124, Laws of Florida, and references in this document to the "Department" or the "Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services" shall mean references to the Department of Revenue, unless otherwise indicated by context.

It shall be the responsibility of the Department of Revenue to provide the stamps or stickers as set forth in this order.

Pursuant to this administrative order, there shall be no necessity to file an order substituting parties in each individual Title IV-D matter pending before this court.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Fort Myers, Lee County, Florida, this 7 day of July, 1994.



Thomas S. Reese
Chief Judge

History. - New. Chapter 94-124, Laws of Florida.

I CERTIFY THIS DOCUMENT TO BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN MY OFFICE, CHARLIE GREEN, CLERK CIRCUIT/COUNTY COURTS LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA
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