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AN ACT

RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT; CLARIFYING LICENSE
REVOCATION REFERRAL AUTHORITY FOR JUDGMENTS AND ORDERS FOR
SUPPORT; AMENDING A SECTION OF THE PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY
ACT.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 40-5A-3 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1995,
Chapter 25, Section 3, as amended) is amended to read:

"40-5A-3. DEFINITIONS.--As used in the Parental
Responsibility Act:

A. "applicant" means an obligor who is applying
for issuance of a license;

B. "board" means:

(1) the construction industries commission,
the construction industries division and the electrical
bureau, mechanical bureau and general construction bureau of
the construction industries division of the regulation and
licensing department;

(2) the manufactured housing committee and
manufactured housing division of the regulation and licensing
department;

(3) a board, commission or agency that
administers a profession or occupation licensed pursuant to
Chapter 61 NMSA 1978;

1 (4) any other state agency to which the
2 Uniform Licensing Act is applied by law;

3 (5) a licensing board or other authority
4 that issues a license, certificate, registration or permit to
5 engage in a profession or occupation regulated in New Mexico;

6 (6) the department of game and fish;

7 (7) the motor vehicle division of the
8 taxation and revenue department; or

9 (8) the alcohol and gaming division of the
10 regulation and licensing department;

11 C. "certified list" means a verified list that
12 includes the names, social security numbers and last known
13 addresses of obligors not in compliance;

14 D. "compliance" means that:

15 (1) an obligor is no more than thirty days
16 in arrears in payment of amounts required to be paid pursuant
17 to an outstanding judgment and order for support; and

18 (2) an obligor has, after receiving
19 appropriate notice, complied with subpoenas or warrants
20 relating to paternity or child support proceedings;

21 E. "department" means the human services
22 department;

23 F. "judgment and order for support" means the
24 judgment entered against an obligor by the district court or
25 a tribal court in a case enforced by the department pursuant

1 to Title IV-D of the Social Security Act;

2 G. "license" means a liquor license or other
3 license, certificate, registration or permit issued by a
4 board that a person is required to have to engage in a
5 profession or occupation in New Mexico; "license" includes a
6 commercial driver's license, driver's license and
7 recreational licenses, including hunting, fishing or trapping
8 licenses;

9 H. "licensee" means an obligor to whom a license
10 has been issued; and

11 I. "obligor" means the person who has been ordered
12 to pay child or spousal support pursuant to a judgment and
13 order for support." _____

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