

NEW KENTUCKY FAMILY LAW LEGISLATION

Representative Stephanie Dietz and Judge Denise Brown

HB 87

Bill Sponsor: Representative John Blanton

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on 4/4/2024

Permits the child, grandchild, or sibling of a deceased birth parent or deceased adoptee to be given the right to inspect adoption papers and letters.

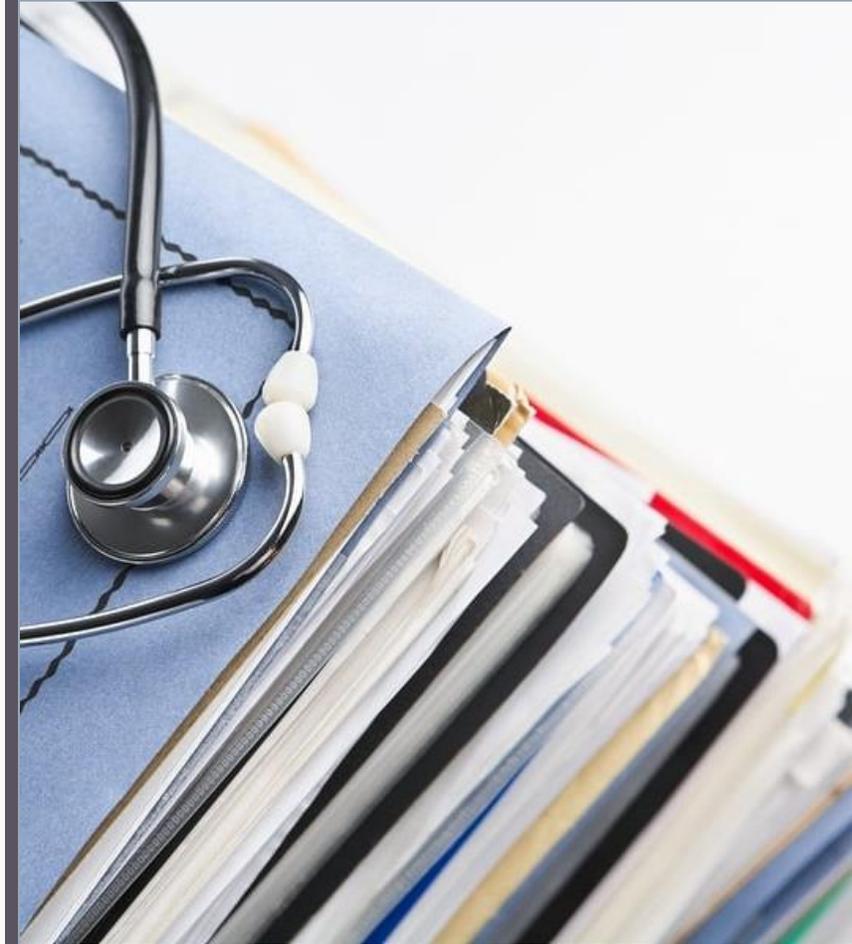


HB 174

Bill Sponsor: Representative Rebecca Raymer

Last Action: Became law without the Governor's signature 4/10/2024

Allows parents to access their children's medical records after a child turns 12, unless records are protected by HIPAA or state law.



HB 320

Bill Sponsor: Representative Daniel Elliott

Last Action: Became law without the Governor's signature

Reduces the SOL from 5 to 3 years for employment-related claims.



HB 179

Bill Sponsor: Representative Samara Heavrin/Co-Sponsor
Stephanie Dietz

Last Action: Signed by the Governor 4/5/2024

Allows employers to offer their employees paid family medical leave as an insurance product. Voluntary paid family leave insurance would provide a temporary wage replacement for workers who need to take leave to provide care to a sick family member; bond with a child after its birth, adoption, or placement for foster care; care for a family member in the military who was injured in the line of duty; or for other reasons as outlined in the employer's benefit plan.



HB 244

Bill Sponsor: Representative Stephanie Dietz

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on
4/19/2024

More clearly defines Kentucky's child support laws regarding shared parenting time, tax credits, and the discretion of judges.



HB 333

Bill Sponsor: Speaker Pro Tem David Meade

Last Action: Signed by the Governor 4/9/2024

Requires any attorney for the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to first receive permission from the county attorney and a judge before being permitted to prosecute a case involving children.



HB 436

Bill Sponsor: Representative Stephanie Dietz

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on 4/9/2024

Updates the procedures for court appointed guardianship of children by mandating their appointment in cases in which children are named in protective order petitions, and also provides compensation for those court appointed guardians.

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Commonwealth of Kentucky
Court of Justice www.courts.ky.gov
KRS Chapter 403; KRS Chapter 456;
FCRPP Part IV


PETITION/MOTION FOR ORDER OF PROTECTION

Case No.
Court
County
Division

PETITIONER
First Middle Last
(check one or both if applicable) Petitioner filing on his/her own behalf VS.
 Petitioner filing on behalf of minor identified on Page 2

RESPONDENT
First Middle Last

Information about Respondent:
Current Residence: _____
Usual Residence: _____
Occupation: _____
Employer Name: _____
Employer Address: _____
School/Postsecondary Institution (if currently attending): _____
Address: _____

Sex	Race	Birthdate	Height	Weight	Eyes	Hair	Social Security #	Drivers License #	State	Exp. Date

CAUTION: Weapon involved Believed to be armed and dangerous
Petitioner and Respondent are involved in a divorce custody visitation case in _____ Court.
Petitioner says that on _____, 2____, in _____ County, Kentucky, the above-named Respondent engaged in act(s) of domestic violence and abuse, dating violence and abuse, stalking, or sexual assault in that:

* If additional space is needed please use a separate sheet of paper and attach to the Petition/Motion.

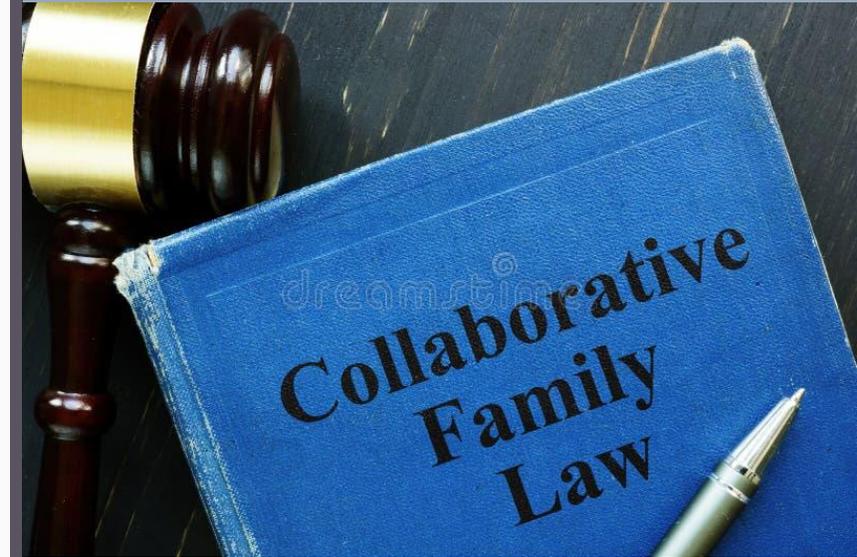
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Petitioner _____

HB 206

Bill Sponsor: Representative Stephanie Dietz

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on 3/28/2024

Creates new sections of KRS Chapter 403 to enact the Uniform Collaborative Law Act and regulates the use of collaborative law participation agreements as a voluntary form of alternative dispute resolution.



HB 207

Bill Sponsor: Representative Stephanie Dietz

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on 3/28/2024

Amends KRS 17.500 to include distribution of matter portraying sexual performance by a minor in the definition of “sex crime”; amends KRS 531.010 to define “child sex doll”, “computer”, “computer-generated image”.



HB 715

Bill Sponsor: Representative Stephanie Dietz

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on 4/4/2024

Expands funds for Veterans and Adoption reimbursement.



HB 258

Bill Sponsor: Representative Susan Witten

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on
4/4/2024

Makes it a Class D felony to abuse a dog or cat,
as opposed to a misdemeanor.



HB 10/SB 74

Bill Sponsor: Representative Kim Moser

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on 4/5/2024

Improves access to maternal healthcare across the state, while also providing financial relief and expanded health insurance coverage to mothers during the perinatal stage of pregnancy.



SB 20

Bill Sponsor: Senator Matt Deneen

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Curbs youth gun violence. Juveniles will stand trial as an adult if they use a firearm in the commission of certain felonies and are at least 15 years of age.



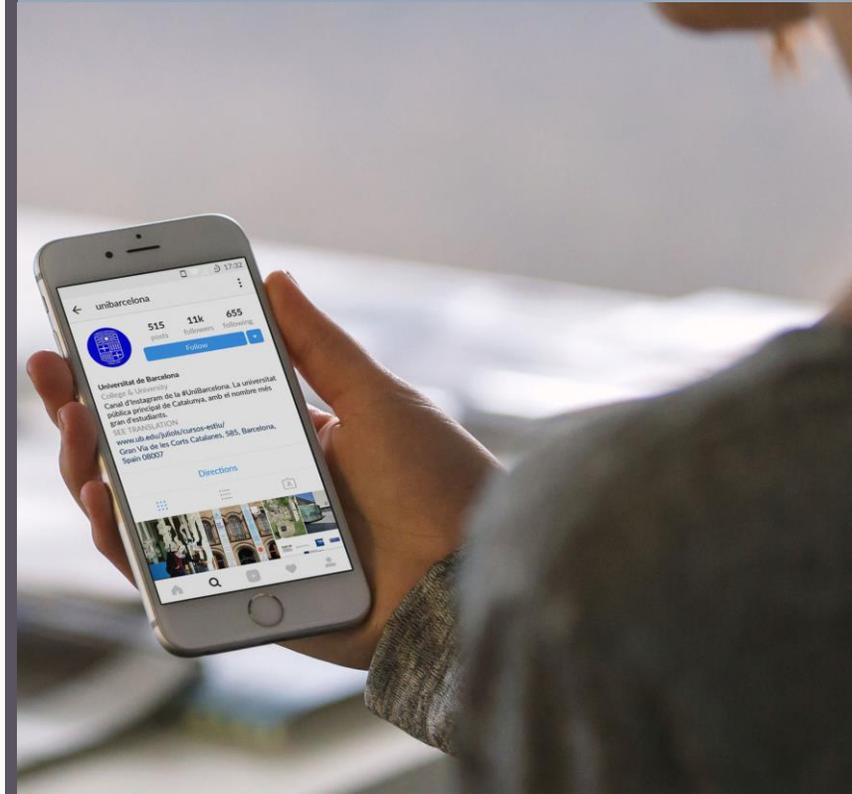
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SB 249

Bill Sponsor: Senator L. Tichenor

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on
4/17/2024

Requires sex offenders who have been convicted of abusing a minor to use their legal names on social media platforms.



SB 240

Bill Sponsor: Senator C. Armstrong

Last Action: Signed by the Governor on
4/4/2024

Clarifies that foster parents who work remotely
can receive childcare subsidies.



