

## 93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2003 and 2004

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## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

750 ILCS 5/507

from Ch. 40, par. 507

Amends the Illinois Marriage and Dissolution of Marriage Act. Makes a stylistic change in provisions concerning the payment of support or maintenance to the clerk of the circuit court.

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1 AN ACT concerning child support.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Marriage and Dissolution of Marriage Act is amended by changing Section 507 as follows:
- 6 (750 ILCS 5/507) (from Ch. 40, par. 507)
- 7 Sec. 507. Payment of maintenance or support to court.
  - (a) In actions instituted under this Act, the court shall order that maintenance and support payments be made to the clerk of the circuit court as trustee for remittance to the person entitled to receive the payments. However, the court in its discretion may direct otherwise where circumstances so warrant.
    - Upon notification in writing or by electronic transmission from the Illinois Department of Public Aid to the clerk of the court that a person who is receiving support payments under this Section is receiving services under the Child Support Enforcement Program established by Title IV-D of the Social Security Act, any support payments subsequently received by the clerk of the court shall be transmitted in accordance with the instructions of the Illinois Department of Public Aid until the Department gives notice to the clerk of the court to cease the transmittal. After providing the notification authorized under this paragraph, the Illinois Department of Public Aid shall be entitled as a party to notice of any further proceedings in the case. The clerk of the court shall file a copy of the Illinois Department of Public Aid's notification in the court file. The failure of the clerk to file a copy of the notification in the court file shall not, however, affect the Illinois Department of Public Aid's right to receive notice of further proceedings.
    - (b) The clerk of court shall maintain records listing the amount of payments, the date payments are required to be made

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- 1 and the names and addresses of the parties affected by the 2 order. For those cases in which support is payable to the clerk 3 of the circuit court for transmittal to the Illinois Department 4 of Public Aid by order of the court or upon notification of the 5 Illinois Department of Public Aid, and the Illinois Department 6 Public Aid collects support by assignment, offset, withholding, deduction or other process permitted by law, the 7 8 Illinois Department shall notify the clerk of the date and 9 amount of such collection. Upon notification, the clerk shall 10 record the collection on the payment record for the case.
  - (c) The parties affected by the order shall inform the clerk of court of any change of address or of other condition that may affect the administration of the order.
  - (d) The provisions of this Section shall not apply to cases that come under the provisions of Sections 709 through 712.
  - (e) To the extent the provisions of this Section are inconsistent with the requirements pertaining to the State Disbursement Unit under Section 507.1 of this Act and Section 10-26 of the Illinois Public Aid Code, the requirements pertaining to the State Disbursement Unit shall apply.
- 21 (Source: P.A. 90-18, eff. 7-1-97; 90-673, eff. 1-1-99; 90-790,
- 22 eff. 8-14-98; 91-212, eff. 7-20-99; 91-357, eff. 7-29-99.)