

AMENDMENTS TO LB 457

Introduced by Hansen, 42

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following
2 new sections:

3 Section 1. (1) The court shall provide a caregiver
4 information form to the foster parent, preadoptive parent,
5 guardian, or relative providing care for the child when giving
6 notice of a court review described in section 43-1314. The form is
7 to be dated and signed by the caregiver and shall, at a minimum,
8 request the following:

9 (a) The child's name, age, and date of birth;

10 (b) The name of the caregiver, his or her phone number
11 and address, and whether the caregiver is a foster parent,
12 preadoptive parent, guardian, or relative;

13 (c) How long the child has been in the caregiver's care;

14 (d) A current picture of the child;

15 (e) The current status of the child's medical, dental,
16 and general physical condition;

17 (f) The current status of the child's emotional
18 condition;

19 (g) The current status of the child's education;

20 (h) Whether or not the child is a special education
21 student and the date of the last individualized educational plan;

22 (i) A brief description of the child's social skills and
23 peer relationships;

1 (j) A brief description of the child's special interests
2 and activities;

3 (k) A brief description of the child's reactions before,
4 during, and after visits;

5 (l) Whether or not the child is receiving all necessary
6 services;

7 (m) The date and place of each visit by the caseworker
8 with the child;

9 (n) A description of the method by which the guardian ad
10 litem has acquired information about the child; and

11 (o) Whether or not the caregiver can make a permanent
12 commitment to the child if the child does not return home.

13 (2) A caregiver information form shall be developed by
14 the Supreme Court. Such form shall be made a part of the record in
15 each court that reviews the child's foster care proceedings.

16 Sec. 2. Section 43-1318, Reissue Revised Statutes of
17 Nebraska, is amended to read:

18 43-1318 Sections 43-1301 to 43-1318 and section 1 of this
19 act shall be known and may be cited as the Foster Care Review Act.

20 Sec. 3. Original section 43-1318, Reissue Revised
21 Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.