

Amend HB 2668 as follows:

1. On page 1, line 23, strike the word "only" and insert the word "either".

2. On page 1, line 24, before the period, insert ", or under an appointment by a court".

3. Section 234.008, Family Code, is amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (d) to read as follows:

(a) Except as provided by Subsection (c) or (d), not later than the second business day after the date the state disbursement unit receives a child support payment, the state disbursement unit shall distribute the payment to the Title IV-D agency or the obligee.

(d) The signature of an obligee on a final order in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship, or another order under this title, that designates an individual or entirety for the purpose of receiving, disbursing, and monitoring child support payments constitutes written consent by the obligee to the distribution of the child support payments by the state disbursement unit to the designated individual or entity. The state disbursement unit shall distribute each child support payment to the designated individual or entity by the date required by Subsection (a). The designated individual or entity shall deduct any amount of the individual's or entity's authorized fee from the payment and promptly disburse the remainder of the amount to the Title IV-D agency or obligee.