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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 11 (house committee printing) by adding
2 the following appropriately numbered SECTIONS to the bill and
3 renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill as appropriate:

4 SECTION _____. Section 107.002(b-1), Family Code, is amended
5 to read as follows:

6 (b-1) In addition to the duties required by Subsection (b),
7 a guardian ad litem appointed for a child in a proceeding under
8 Chapter 262 or 263 shall:

9 (1) review the medical care provided to the child;
10 ~~and~~

11 (2) in a developmentally appropriate manner, seek to
12 elicit the child's opinion on the medical care provided; and

13 (3) for a child at least 16 years of age, ascertain
14 whether the child has received the following documents:

15 (A) a certified copy of the child's birth
16 certificate;

17 (B) a social security card or a replacement
18 social security card;

19 (C) a driver's license or personal
20 identification certificate under Chapter 521, Transportation Code;
21 and

22 (D) any other personal document the Department of
23 Family and Protective Services determines appropriate.

24 SECTION _____. Section 107.003(b), Family Code, is amended
25 to read as follows:

26 (b) In addition to the duties required by Subsection (a), an
27 attorney ad litem appointed for a child in a proceeding under
28 Chapter 262 or 263 shall:

29 (1) review the medical care provided to the child;

1 (2) in a developmentally appropriate manner, seek to
2 elicit the child's opinion on the medical care provided; and
3 (3) for a child at least 16 years of age;
4 (A) [-] advise the child of the child's right to
5 request the court to authorize the child to consent to the child's
6 own medical care under Section 266.010; and
7 (B) ascertain whether the child has received the
8 following documents:
9 (i) a certified copy of the child's birth
10 certificate;
11 (ii) a social security card or a
12 replacement social security card;
13 (iii) a driver's license or personal
14 identification certificate under Chapter 521, Transportation Code;
15 and
16 (iv) any other personal document the
17 Department of Family and Protective Services determines
18 appropriate.