

| 1 2 | An act to ensure that child support monies are being used to support the child's welfare. |
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| 3 | Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky |
| 4 5 6 7 | Section 1: Recipients of child support through Kentucky Cabinet of Health and Family Services will be required to provide legitimate documentation that funds/payments received are being used to support the child. |
| 8 9 10 11 | Section 2:This bill will be enforced on any person(s) in the state of Kentucky who receives monthly child support benefits through the Kentucky Cabinet of Health and Family Services. |
| 12 13 14 15 | Section 3: In order to continue receiving monthly child support benefits, the recipient must provide legitimate documentation (i.e., receipts or formal documentation, etc.) revealing that the monies are being used solely for the child's welfare. |
| 16 17 18 19 | Section 4: The Kentucky Cabinet of Health and Family Services will be responsible for enforcing that all recipients provide the documentation each quarter. |
| 20 21 22 | Section 5: The funding will come from the collection or retention of benefits from violators of this bill, including a 250.00 fine and or through the violator's state and or federal income tax returns. |
| 23 24 25 26 | Section 6: Possible penalties to violators may include; a minimal fine of 250.00, possible prosecution for fraud, decrease or loss of child support benefits, and the possible loss of custodial care if in the best interest of the child. |
| 27 | Section 7: This bill will become effective July 1, 2014 |