

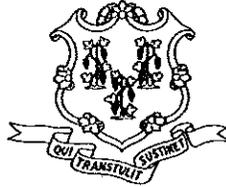
The Connecticut General Assembly

Task Force To Study Legal Disputes Involving the Care and Custody of Minor Children

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PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA

Thursday, January 9, 2014

10:00 AM IN ROOM 2C OF THE LOB

I. Charge of the Task Force pursuant to SA 13-24:

Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) There is established a task force to study (1) the role of a guardian ad litem and the attorney for a minor child in any action involving parenting responsibilities and the custody and care of a child, (2) the extent of noncompliance with the provisions of subdivision (6) of subsection (c) of section 46b-56 of the general statutes and the role of the court in enforcing compliance with said subdivision, and (3) whether the state should adopt a presumption that shared custody is in the best interest of a minor child in any action involving the custody, care and upbringing of a child. Such study shall include, but not be limited to, an examination of state statutes applicable to an action involving the custody, care and upbringing of a child, and the costs associated with contested divorce actions, including, but not limited to, expert witness fees and attorneys' fees including the fees of guardians ad litem and attorneys for the minor children. Such study may include recommendations for legislation on matters studied by the task force.

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