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Chapter No.: 75

Prime Sponsor: Ross

Catch Title: Uniform Interstate Family Support Act.

Subject: Amends the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act (UIFSA).

Summary/Major Elements:

- This Bill:
 - Incorporates changes made to the UIFSA proposed by the Uniform Laws Commission in 2001 and 2008;
 - The 2001 amendments were minor changes to ensure uniformity of language and procedures among participating states and foreign countries;
 - The 2008 amendments were made to incorporate changes proposed by the Hague Convention in 2007 to ensure that member nations, including the United States, have uniform procedures to facilitate establishment, modification and enforcement of international family support orders and determinations of parentage of children when parties to those actions live in different countries;
 - Provides for recognition, registration and cooperation in issuing, modifying and enforcing family support and modification orders and determinations of parentage of children involving parties that live in foreign countries;
 - Provides for severability of provisions of the act;
 - Provides for applicability of the act.

Comments:

- Creates/amends a major program: The Uniform Interstate Family Support Act.

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