## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## State of Illinois

## 2021 and 2022

#### SB0259

Introduced 2/17/2021, by Sen. Michael E. Hastings

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

750 ILCS 5/603.5

Amends the Illinois Marriage and Dissolution of Marriage Act. Allows a court to order the relocation of a child on a temporary basis before the entry of a final allocation judgment if it is in the best interests of the child. Provides that a temporary relocation shall not prejudice either parent in the allocation of parental responsibilities contained in a final allocation judgment.

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AN ACT concerning civil law.

# 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Illinois Marriage and Dissolution of 5 Marriage Act is amended by changing Section 603.5 as follows:

6 (750 ILCS 5/603.5)

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Sec. 603.5. Temporary orders.

8 (a) A court may order a temporary allocation of parental 9 responsibilities in the child's best interests before the 10 entry of a final allocation judgment. Any temporary allocation 11 shall be made in accordance with the standards set forth in 12 Sections 602.5 and 602.7: (i) after a hearing; or (ii) if there 13 is no objection, on the basis of a parenting plan that, at a 14 minimum, complies with subsection (f) of Section 602.10.

(a-5) A court may order the relocation of the child on a 15 16 temporary basis before the entry of a final allocation judgment if it is in the best interests of the child. Any 17 relocation shall be considered temporary in nature and shall 18 19 not prejudice either parent in the allocation of parental 20 responsibilities contained in a final allocation judgment. Any 21 relocation shall be made in accordance with the protocol set 22 forth in subsections (c) through (g) of Section 609.2.

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(b) A temporary order allocating parental responsibilities

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1 shall be deemed vacated when the action in which it was granted 2 is dismissed, unless a parent moves to continue the action for 3 allocation of parental responsibilities filed under Section 4 601.5.

5 (Source: P.A. 99-90, eff. 1-1-16.)