

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS31267 / S1309

Idaho law currently requires that any birth mother expenses over \$500 that need to be paid are subject to court approval. This legislation will raise that limit to \$2000, so visits to the court will be lessened. These expenses are not paid in cash to the birth mother.

FISCAL NOTE

This is changing code references to expense limits between adoption entities, it has no affect on Idaho financial appropriations.

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