

## **IC 31-19-23**

### Chapter 23. Release of Nonidentifying Information

#### **IC 31-19-23-1**

##### **Entities required to release nonidentifying information**

Sec. 1. The following persons shall release nonidentifying information concerning an adoption in the entity's possession to any person described in IC 31-19-18-2(a) upon request:

- (1) The state registrar.
- (2) The department.
- (3) A county office of family and children.
- (4) A licensed child placing agency.
- (5) A professional health care provider (as defined in IC 34-6-2-117).
- (6) The attorney who arranged the adoption.
- (7) A court.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.11. Amended by P.L.1-1998, SEC.162; P.L.145-2006, SEC.258.*

#### **IC 31-19-23-2**

##### **Access to nonidentifying adoption information regarding child in need of services**

Sec. 2. (a) This section applies to an adopted child if:

- (1) the county office of family and children; or
- (2) the prosecuting attorney;

has filed a petition alleging that the child is a child in need of services under or IC 31-34-1.

(b) The:

- (1) county office of family and children;
- (2) child's guardian ad litem or court appointed special advocate; and
- (3) juvenile court;

may have access to nonidentifying adoption information regarding the child.

*As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.11.*