

## 2006 MINNESOTA BILLS AFFECTING FATHERS & FAMILIES

These bills have advanced further than most of the other father-related legislation proposed in 2006. Each of the following bills has had a second hearing in both the House and Senate, or has advanced as shown below.

Learn more about each of these bills online at: <http://www.leg.state.mn.us>

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**Miscellaneous judicial procedures modifications; marriage solemnization modifications; family court division fourth judicial district orders and decrees appeal authority**

SF 2633: Neuville; Rest; Skoglund; Ranum; Hann

Companion HF2656: Smith; Johnson, J.; Simon; Nelson, M.; Ellison; Abrams; Hilstrom; Paulsen

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**Child support and maintenance provisions modifications**

S.F. No. 3199: Neuville

Companion HF3585: Smith

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**Paternity presumption provisions modified.**

HF No. 576: Meslow, Simon

SF 751 Betzold; Rest; Neuville (See also SF2633 and SF644, Sec. 3-5 )

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**Supervised visitation advisory committee established, marriage dissolution fees adjusted to fund parenting time centers, and money appropriated.**

HF 3158: Sykora; Johnson, J.; Lanning; Hilstrom; Soderstrom (re-referred to Public Safety Policy Finance)

SF 2991: McGinn; Pappas; Ruud; Skoglund; Wiger (re-referred to State and Local Government Operations)

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**Early childhood and family education funding provided, Head Start funds allocated, kindergarten readiness pilot program provided, grants provided, and money appropriated.**

SF3300: Robling; Hottinger; Clark; Michel (may become part of omnibus education bill)

HF3623: Meslow; Slawik; Sykora; Wardlow; Larson; Lillie; Ruud; Lenczewski; Sieben (this bill has been tabled in the House; further action may be possible if the committee takes up the bill by April 10)

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This list has been compiled by the Minnesota Fathers & Families Network. Visit us online at [www.mnfathers.org](http://www.mnfathers.org). Also on our website, view a comprehensive list of father-related bills proposed in the 2006 Minnesota Legislature that have not advanced during this session.

