

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, in child custody, further providing
3 for consideration of criminal conviction.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 5329 of Title 23 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:
8 § 5329. Consideration of criminal conviction.

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10 (b.1) Rape or incest.--No court shall award custody, partial
11 custody or visitation to a parent who is the father of a child
12 conceived as a result of a rape or incest when the child is the
13 subject of the order, unless the child is of suitable age and
14 consents to the order.

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16 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.