(B) A COURT OF THIS STATE MAY REQUEST THE APPROPRIATE COURT OF ANOTHER STATE TO ORDER A PARTY TO CUSTODY PROCEEDINGS PENDING IN THE COURT OF THIS STATE TO APPEAR IN THE PROCEEDINGS, AND IF THAT PARTY HAS PHYSICAL CUSTODY OF THE CHILD, TO APPEAR WITH THE CHILD. THE REQUEST MAY STATE THAT TRAVEL AND OTHER NECESSARY EXPENSES OF THE PARTY AND OF THE CHILD WHOSE APPEARANCE IS DESIRED WILL BE ASSESSED AGAINST ANOTHER PARTY OR WILL OTHERWISE BE PAID.

[[3-1019]] 202.

- (A) UPON REQUEST OF THE COURT OF ANOTHER STATE THE COURTS OF THIS STATE WHICH ARE COMPETENT TO HEAR CUSTODY MATTERS MAY ORDER A PERSON IN THIS STATE TO APPEAR AT A HEARING TO ADDUCE EVIDENCE OR TO PRODUCE OR GIVE EVIDENCE UNDER OTHER PROCEDURES AVAILABLE IN THIS STATE OR MAY ORDER SOCIAL STUDIES TO BE MADE FOR USE IN A CUSTODY PROCEEDING IN ANOTHER STATE. A CERTIFIED COPY OF THE TRANSCRIPT OF THE RECORD OF THE HEARING OR THE EVIDENCE OTHERWISE ADDUCED AND ANY SOCIAL STUDIES PREPARED SHALL BE FORWARDED BY THE CLERK OF THE COURT TO THE REQUESTING COURT.
- (B) A PERSON WITHIN THIS STATE MAY VOLUNTARILY GIVE HIS TESTINONY OR STATEMENT IN THIS STATE FOR USE IN A CUSTODY PROCEEDING OUTSIDE THIS STATE.
- (C) UPON REQUEST OF THE COURT OF ANOTHER STATE A COMPETENT COURT OF THIS STATE MAY ORDER A PERSON IN THIS STATE TO APPEAR ALONE OR WITH THE CHILD IN A CUSTODY PROCEEDING IN ANOTHER STATE. THE COURT MAY CONDITION COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUEST UPON ASSURANCE BY THE OTHER STATE THAT STATE TRAVEL AND OTHER NECESSARY EXPENSES WILL BE ADVANCED OR REINBURSED.

[[3-1020]] 203.

IN ANY CUSTODY PROCEEDING IN THIS STATE THE COURT SHALL PRESERVE THE PLEADINGS, ORDERS AND DECREES, ANY RECORD THAT HAS BEEN MADE OF ITS HEARINGS, SOCIAL STUDIES, AND OTHER PERTINENT DOCUMENTS UNTIL THE CHILD REACHES 18 YEARS OF AGE. UPON APPROPRIATE REQUEST OF THE COURT OF ANOTHER STATE THE COURT SHALL FORWARD TO THE OTHER COURT CERTIFIED COPIES OF ANY OR ALL OF SUCH DOCUMENTS.

[[3-1021]] 204.

IF A CUSTODY DECREE HAS BEEN RENDERED IN ANOTHER STATE CONCERNING A CHILD INVOLVED IN A CUSTODY PROCEEDING PENDING IN A COURT OF THIS STATE, THE COURT OF THIS STATE UPON TAKING JURISDICTION OF THE CASE SHALL REQUEST OF THE COURT OF THE OTHER STATE A CERTIFIED COPY OF THE