

introductory language of (b) and revised to reflect that a petitioner's duty begins "on issuance" of a show cause order by a court.

Subsections (b)(2) and (c)(1)(i) of this section are new and added to provide additional methods for notification of a parent.

Subsection (c)(1) of this section is derived from the reference to "certified mail or private process" in the introductory language of former FL § 5-322(b), and the inconsistent reference to "both certified mail and private process", in former FL § 5-322(c)(2) is omitted.

Subsection (c)(2) of this section is new and added to state an express requirement for notice to counsel, as well as a parent.

Subsection (d) of this section is substituted for former FL § 5-322(b)(1) through (e), as it related to adoption, for brevity.

Defined terms: "Child" § 5-301

"CINA case" § 1-101

"Juvenile court" § 1-101

"Parent" § 5-301

"Party" § 5-301

5-335. HEARING ON ADOPTION PETITION.

(A) REQUIREMENT.

A JUVENILE COURT SHALL HOLD A HEARING BEFORE ENTERING AN ORDER FOR ADOPTION UNDER THIS PART III OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(B) NOTICE.

BEFORE A HEARING UNDER THIS SECTION, A JUVENILE COURT SHALL GIVE NOTICE TO ALL OF THE PARTIES.

COMMITTEE NOTE: Subsection (a) of this section is derived from former FL § 5-324.1.

Subsection (b) of this section is new and added for completeness.

In subsection (a) of this section, the word "order" is substituted for the former, more archaic "decree".

Defined terms: "Juvenile court" § 1-101

"Party" § 5-301

5-336. TIME LIMITS.

(A) MAXIMUM LIMIT.