

5-314, as it related to adoption, and the substance of former FL § 5-301(h) and revised to apply to disabled, as well as minor, parents.

Subsection (b)(1) of this section is derived from former FL § 5-311(c), as it related to parents, and revised to provide an alternative deadline based on the filing date of the petition.

Subsection (c) of this section is substituted for former FL § 5-311(c), as it related to a local department, to expand the revocation period.

Subsection (d) of this section is derived from former FL § 5-311(c)(2) and revised to cover acquiescence by children not old enough for consent.

Former FL § 5-311(c)(3), which otherwise barred revocation, is omitted as surplusage.

As to "minor", see Art. 1, § 24 of the Code.

Defined terms: "Adoptive parent" § 5-101

"Child" § 5-301

"Disability" § 5-101

"Identifying information" § 5-301

"Includes" § 1-101

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"Juvenile court" § 1-101

"Local department" § 1-101

"Parent" § 5-301

"Party" § 5-301

#### 5-340. DISMISSAL.

IF A PETITION FOR ADOPTION UNDER THIS PART III OF THIS SUBTITLE IS CONTESTED, A JUVENILE COURT SHALL DISMISS THE PETITION.

COMMITTEE NOTE: This section is new and added to state expressly a requirement for dismissal of a contested proceeding under this Part III.

Defined term: "Juvenile court" § 1-101

#### 5-341. ORDER FOR ADOPTION.

##### (A) EFFECT ON PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP.

(1) THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT LIMIT THE RIGHT OF AN INDIVIDUAL TO PROVIDE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF PROPERTY BY WILL.

(2) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN § 2-123 OF THE REAL PROPERTY ARTICLE, AFTER A JUVENILE COURT ENTERS AN ORDER FOR ADOPTION UNDER THIS PART III OF THIS SUBTITLE: