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5-206. RIGHT TO SUE FOR SEDUCTION OR WRONGFUL INJURY OF MINOR CHILD.

(A) PARENT'S RIGHT TO SUE.

ONE PARENT, TO THE EXCLUSION OF THE OTHER PARENT, MAY SUE FOR THE LOSS OF SERVICES AND EARNINGS OF THE PARENT'S MINOR CHILD IF:

(1) THE LOSS WAS CAUSED BY:

(I) THE SEDUCTION OF THE CHILD; OR

(II) AN INJURY WRONGFULLY OR NEGLIGENTLY INFLICTED ON THE CHILD; AND

(2) THAT PARENT HAS BEEN AWARDED CUSTODY OF THE CHILD OR THE OTHER PARENT HAS ABANDONED THE CHILD OR IS DEAD.

(B) SCOPE OF SECTION.

THIS SECTION DOES NOT AFFECT ANY PROVISION OF THE STATE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAWS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from the first and third sentences of former Article 72A, § 3.

In the introductory language of subsection (a) of this section, the phrase "services and earnings" is substituted for "wages or services", to conform to the language used throughout this subtitle.

Also in the introductory language of subsection (a) of this section, the term "minor child" is substituted for the former phrase "child under eighteen years of age", for brevity and to conform to the language used throughout this title.

In subsection (b) of this section, the reference to "any provision of the State Workmen's Compensation Laws" is substituted for the former reference to "Article 101", for clarity.

Also in subsection (b) of this section, the former terms "supersede", "limit", and "modify" are deleted as included in "affect".

The second sentence of former Article 72A, § 3, which gave the mother of an illegitimate child the right to sue for the loss of services and earnings of her minor child caused by the seduction of the child or by an