

2. the presence in the household of either parent of other children to whom that parent owes a duty of support and the expenses for whom that parent is directly contributing.

(IV) THE PRESUMPTION MAY NOT BE REBUTTED SOLELY ON THE BASIS OF EVIDENCE OF THE PRESENCE IN THE HOUSEHOLD OF EITHER PARENT OF OTHER CHILDREN TO WHOM THAT PARENT OWES A DUTY OF SUPPORT AND THE EXPENSES FOR WHOM THAT PARENT IS DIRECTLY CONTRIBUTING.

[(iv)] (V) 1. If the court determines that the application of the guidelines would be unjust or inappropriate in a particular case, the court shall make a written finding or specific finding on the record stating the reasons for departing from the guidelines.

2. The court's finding shall state:

A. the amount of child support that would have been required under the guidelines;

B. how the order varies from the guidelines;

C. how the finding serves the best interests of the child; and

D. in cases in which items of value are conveyed instead of a portion of the support presumed under the guidelines, the estimated value of the items conveyed.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall apply only to cases filed on or after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act may not be considered to be a material change in circumstances for the purpose of modifying a child support order issued before the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2000.

Approved April 25, 2000.

CHAPTER 122

(House Bill 406)

AN ACT concerning

Deer Hunting - Bonus Stamps

FOR the purpose of altering certain provisions relating to the issuance of bonus deer stamps; authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to issue a limited number of bonus antlerless deer stamps; specifying the fee for a bonus antlerless deer stamp for residents and nonresidents; making certain stylistic and