

1975 Assembly Bill 1313

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CHAPTER 261, Laws of 1975

AN ACT to amend 296.37 of the statutes, relating to name changes for minors in permanent foster homes.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

296.37 of the statutes is amended to read:

296.37 Change of name, notice of application. Before making an application to the court for changing or establishing a name the applicant must cause a notice thereof to be published, as a class 3 notice, under ch. 985, stating therein the nature of the application, the time and place when and where the same will be made. This section shall not apply to the name change of a minor if parental rights to the minor have been terminated and guardianship and legal custody transferred under s. 48.43, and the minor has been placed in a permanent foster home, where the guardian and legal custodian have petitioned to change such minor's name to the name or names of the minor's foster parents.
