

SB 821 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

**Senate Committee On Judiciary and Ballot Measure 110
Implementation**

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Creates a process for objecting to the presumption of inability to pay after the suspension of a child support order and requires that if presumption is found to be rebutted by court or administrative law judge, the support order will be reinstated at 50 percent of the previously ordered support amount. Removes language providing that 180 consecutive days of incarceration or release from incarceration qualifies for a change in circumstances for child support modification and instead states that reinstatement of support after an order has been suspended is considered a substantial change of circumstances for purposes of child support modification proceedings. Modifies requirement that all child support orders be reviewed every three years so that if an order has been suspended, the review must take place for those suspended orders only after the support order has been reinstated.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND: