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# PRELIMINARY DRAFT

## No. 3660

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### DIGEST

**Citations Affected:** IC 31-15-7-10; IC 31-16-12-1.

**Synopsis:** Income withholding orders. Makes certain changes concerning income withholding orders in enforcing dissolution of marriage, legal separation, and child support decrees.

**Effective:** July 1, 2006.



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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1           SECTION 1. IC 31-15-7-10 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 10. Notwithstanding  
3 any other law, all orders and awards contained in a dissolution of  
4 marriage decree or legal separation decree may be enforced by:  
5           (1) contempt;  
6           (2) ~~assignment of wages or other income;~~ **an income withholding**  
7           **order;** or  
8           (3) any other remedies available for the enforcement of a court  
9           order;  
10          except as otherwise provided by this article.  
11          SECTION 2. IC 31-16-12-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
12 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006]: Sec. 1. Notwithstanding any  
13 other law, all orders and awards contained in a child support decree or  
14 an order directing a person to pay a child support arrearage may be  
15 enforced by:  
16           (1) contempt, including the provisions under section 6 of this  
17           chapter;  
18           (2) ~~assignment of wages or other income;~~ **an income withholding**  
19           **order;** or  
20           (3) any other remedies available for the enforcement of a court  
21           order;  
22          except as otherwise provided by IC 31-16-2 through IC 31-16-11 or  
23          this chapter.

