

**FRIEND OF THE COURT ACT (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 294 of 1982**

**552.520 Information requested by department of human services.**

Sec. 20. (1) If the department of human services requests information from an office of the friend of the court, that office may provide the information requested on a quarterly basis. Not less often than quarterly, the department of human services shall publish the information received under this section.

(2) If an office of the friend of the court receives notice from the department of human services under section 8 of the child protection law, 1975 PA 238, MCL 722.628, regarding a child as to whom the establishment or modification of custody or parenting time is pending in an open friend of the court case, the office shall notify the department of human services of procedural developments in the case until a final order regarding the pending custody or parenting time dispute is entered.

**History:** Add. 1996, Act 366, Eff. Jan. 1, 1997;—Am. 2008, Act 405, Imd. Eff. Jan. 6, 2009.

**Popular name:** Friend of the Court