



Media Advisory...

from State Representative La Shawn K. Ford

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State Rep. La Shawn K. Ford

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Ford, Leving, HFS to Host Hearing to Review DNA Clauses and Clarify Child Support Processes

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. – In an effort to ensure high qualities of life for children in Illinois while promoting fairness in the child support system, State Rep. La Shawn Ford, D-Chicago, Fathers’ Rights attorney, Jeffery Leving, the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services and the House Restorative Justice Committee will hold an official hearing on child support laws and nuances. The hearing will take place Thursday, May 25 at 3 p.m. in Room C-1 in the Stratton Building in Springfield, IL.

“I continue to hear from many families about the unfair child support laws in Illinois and they are demanding change,” said Ford. “In certain cases in Illinois, a man is deemed responsible for paying child support even though DNA testing shows that he is not the father. Nuances in the law like this must be reviewed for the best interest of the families of our state.”

Ford, renowned Fathers’ Rights attorney, Jeffery Leving, Illinois Fathers for Equality, the House Restorative Justice Committee and more will discuss details on child support laws in Illinois, as well as processes for changing child support orders, what to do when child support is owed and more.

This event is free and open to the public. For more information, please contact Ford’s constituent service office at 773-378-5902 or repford@lashawnford.com

WHO:	State Rep. La Shawn Ford Jeffery Leving, The Law Offices of Jeffery M. Leving, Ltd. Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services Illinois Fathers for Equality Illinois House Restorative Justice Committee
WHAT:	House Restorative Justice Committee Hearing: Child Support/Paternity
WHEN:	Thursday, May 25 3:00 p.m.
WHERE:	Room C-1 Stratton Building 401 S Spring St. Springfield, IL

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