

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2267

By: Representative Hammer

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING
THE VISITATION RIGHTS OF GRANDPARENTS; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Subtitle

*TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW
CONCERNING THE VISITATION RIGHTS OF
GRANDPARENTS.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 9-13-107(d)(2), concerning the visitation rights of grandparents when the parent does not have custody of the child, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) If the court grants visitation to the petitioner under this section, then the visitation shall be ordered and exercised in a manner consistent with ~~all orders regarding custody of or~~ an order for grandparent visitation with ~~the~~ a child awarded under § 9-13-103, which is distinct from a custody and visitation schedule awarded to a parent in a divorce case, unless the court makes a specific finding otherwise.

(B) If the court finds that the petitioner's visitation should be restricted ~~or~~, limited, or expanded in any way, then the court shall include the restrictions ~~or~~, limitations, or expansions in the order granting visitation.

/s/Hammer

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