## **2ESSB 6508** - H AMD TO WAYS COMM AMD (H-5513.1/10) **1490**By Representative Shea

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On page 2, line 2 of the striking amendment, after "death." insert
"When determining if the parents have had significant involvement in
the adult child's life, the court shall consider, but not be limited
to, objective evidence of personal, verbal, written, or electronic
contact with the adult child, and in-person interaction with the adult
child during holidays, birthdays, and other events."

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8 On page 4, line 8 of the striking amendment, after "<u>death</u>" insert 9 ". When determining if the parents have had significant involvement

10 in the child's life, the court shall consider, but not be limited to,

11 objective evidence of personal, verbal, written, or electronic contact

12 with the child, and in-person interaction with the child during

13 holidays, birthdays, and other events"

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On page 5, line 12 of the striking amendment, after "death."

16 insert "When determining if the parents have had significant

17 involvement in the child's life, the court shall consider, but not be

18 limited to, objective evidence of personal, verbal, written, or

19 electronic contact with the child, and in-person interaction with the

20 child during holidays, birthdays, and other events."

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**EFFECT:** When determining whether a parent had significant involvement in a child's life, requires the court to consider objective evidence of personal, verbal, written, or electronic contact with the child and in-person interaction with the child during holidays, birthdays, and other events.

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