



or more, the court shall provide written reasons for its finding concerning reunification including the following:

- (1) Attachment and stability of the child in the current placement.
- (2) Correction of conditions requiring the child to be in need of care.
- (3) Substantial risk of harm in returning the child after consideration of the child's need for safety and permanency.

Proposed law provides that completion of services or technical compliance with a case plan shall not create a presumption in favor of reunification absent a finding that the underlying risk to a child in need of care has been eliminated.

Proposed law provides that the court shall have discretion for the termination of parental rights of the parent of a child in need of care in placement pursuant to the provisions of proposed law.

Proposed law provides that nothing in proposed law shall be construed to supercede or conflict with federal law, including the Adoption and Safe Families Act.

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