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**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Judiciary to Original House Bill No. 278  
by Representative Edmonston

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 12 On page 1, line 3, after "to require" delete "live streaming, remote public access" and insert  
3 "audio recording"4 AMENDMENT NO. 25 On page 1, line 4, after "conferences;" delete the remainder of the line and line 5 in its  
6 entirety7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, at the beginning of line 6, delete "proceedings and status conferences;"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 410 On page 1, line 17, after "provide for" delete the remainder of the line and insert "audio  
11 recording"12 AMENDMENT NO. 513 On page 1, at the beginning of line 18, delete "access" and after "including" insert "bench  
14 and"15 AMENDMENT NO. 6

16 On page 1, after line 18, insert the following:

17 "C. Status conferences shall be held in open court in the presence of the  
18 parties. A copy of the audio recording shall be provided at cost upon the request of  
19 a party to the litigation in The Family Court."20 AMENDMENT NO. 7

21 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

22 AMENDMENT NO. 823 On page 2, line 19, after "Section 2. The" delete "live streaming, remote public access" and  
24 insert "audio recording"25 AMENDMENT NO. 9

26 On page 2, line 21, change "January 1, 2027" to "August 1, 2026"

27 AMENDMENT NO. 10

28 On page 2, delete line 22 in its entirety