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Abstract: Amends the definitions of "shared custody" and "split custody" for purposes of child support.

Present law provides for the calculation of child support when there is a joint custody order for shared custody and defines "shared custody".

Proposed law expands present law to provide for the calculation of child support in the absence of a joint custody order for shared custody if the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that shared custody exists.

Present law provides a definition of "split custody".

Proposed law expands present law to provide that even in the absence of a custody order or plan providing for split custody, split custody may exist if the court finds that it does by a preponderance of the evidence.

(Amends R.S. 9:315.9(A)(1) and (2) and 315.10(A)(1) and (2))