

4 AAC 52.600(d) is repealed and readopted to read:

(d) The appointment of a surrogate parent is not required for a child who lives with a foster parent, if the foster parent affirms in writing that the foster parent is able and willing to serve as the parent of the child for purposes of special education, and that the foster parent expects the child to continue living with the foster parent on an ongoing basis. (Eff. 7/1/83, Register 86; am 8/22/2001, Register 159; am 8/9/2002, Register 163; am 8/31/2008, Register 187)

Authority: AS 14.07.060 AS 47.10.084 AS 47.12.150
AS 14.30.325

4 AAC 52.790(14) is amended to read:

- (14) "parent" means a
- (A) natural or adoptive parent of a child;
 - (B) guardian, but not the state if the child is a ward of the state;
 - (C) person who is acting in the place of a natural or adoptive parent, such as a grandparent or stepparent with whom the child lives, or a person who is legally responsible for the child's welfare; [AND]
 - (D) surrogate parent who has been appointed under AS [4 AAC] 14.30.325 and 4 AAC 52.590; **and**
 - (E) **foster parent who meets the conditions described in 4 AAC 52.600(d) for serving as the parent for purposes of special education;**

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(Eff. 8/22/2001, Register 159; am 8/29/2004, Register 171; am 1/17/2007, Register 181;
am 8/30/2007, Register 183; am 9/23/2007, Register 183; am 8/31/2008, Register 187)

Authority:	AS 14.07.060	AS 14.30.194	AS 14.30.285
	AS 14.30.180	AS 14.30.250	AS 14.30.325
	AS 14.30.186	AS 14.30.255	AS 14.30.350
	AS 14.30.193	AS 14.30.272	