

**UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 255 of 2015**

**552.2201 Tribunal; personal jurisdiction over nonresident.**

Sec. 201. (1) In a proceeding to establish or enforce a support order or to determine parentage of a child, a tribunal of this state may exercise personal jurisdiction over a nonresident individual or the individual's guardian or conservator if 1 or more of the following apply:

- (a) The individual is personally served with notice within this state.
  - (b) The individual submits to the jurisdiction of this state by consent in a record, by entering a general appearance, or by filing a responsive document having the effect of waiving any contest to personal jurisdiction.
  - (c) The individual resided with the child in this state.
  - (d) The individual resided in this state and provided prenatal expenses or support for the child.
  - (e) The child resides in this state as a result of the acts or directives of the individual.
  - (f) The individual engaged in sexual intercourse in this state and the child may have been conceived by that act of intercourse.
  - (g) The individual asserted parentage of a child in the central paternity registry maintained in this state by the department of health and human services.
  - (h) There is any other basis consistent with the constitutions of this state and the United States for the exercise of personal jurisdiction.
- (2) The bases of personal jurisdiction set forth in subsection (1) or in any other law of this state may not be used to acquire personal jurisdiction for a tribunal of this state to modify a child support order of another state unless the requirements of section 611 are met, or in the case of a foreign support order, unless the requirements of section 615 are met.

**History:** 2015, Act 255, Eff. Jan. 1, 2016.