

**SURROGATE PARENTING ACT (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 199 of 1988**

\*\*\*\*\* 722.859 THIS SECTION IS REPEALED BY ACT 24 OF 2024 EFFECTIVE 91 DAYS AFTER  
ADJOURNMENT OF THE 2024 REGULAR SESSION SINE DIE \*\*\*\*\*

**722.859 Surrogate parentage contract for compensation prohibited; surrogate parentage contract for compensation as misdemeanor or felony; penalty.**

Sec. 9. (1) A person shall not enter into, induce, arrange, procure, or otherwise assist in the formation of a surrogate parentage contract for compensation.

(2) A participating party other than an unemancipated minor female or a female diagnosed as being intellectually disabled or as having a mental illness or developmental disability who knowingly enters into a surrogate parentage contract for compensation is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than \$10,000.00 or imprisonment for not more than 1 year, or both.

(3) A person other than a participating party who induces, arranges, procures, or otherwise assists in the formation of a surrogate parentage contract for compensation is guilty of a felony punishable by a fine of not more than \$50,000.00 or imprisonment for not more than 5 years, or both.

**History:** 1988, Act 199, Eff. Sept. 1, 1988;—Am. 2014, Act 69, Imd. Eff. Mar. 28, 2014.