

**Georgia Commission on Child Support
Parenting Time Deviation Study Committee
Kathleen Connell, Esq., Chair
Monday, April 25, 2022
10:00 a.m.**

Meeting Summary

The Parenting Time Deviation Study Committee (“Study Committee”) of the Georgia Commission on Child Support held this hybrid meeting in person at the State Bar building in Atlanta and via videoconferencing using Zoom webinar. Eight (8) Study Committee members attended in total, five (5) in person and three (3) via Zoom. Study Committee members in attendance were:

Katie Connell	William Alexander	Pat Buonodono	Adam Gleklen
Johanna Kiehl	Jill Massey	Charles Spinardi	Carol Walker

Executive Program Manager, Elaine Johnson, Staff Attorney, Noelle Lagueux-Alvarez, and Program Coordinator, Latoinna Lawrence, served as staff for the meeting. Six (6) members of the public also attended virtually. There were some technical difficulties with the Zoom audio for virtual attendees, and resolving that issue delayed the start of the meeting by about 15 minutes. Once that technical issue was resolved, the meeting ran smoothly.

Chair Connell opened the meeting and welcomed all. Staff attorney, Noelle Lagueux-Alvarez established that a quorum of eight (8) Study Committee members was present. Study Committee Member, Pat Buonodono, moved to approve the meeting minutes from the Study Committee’s March 22, 2022, meeting. That motion was seconded by Study Committee Member Carol Walker and passed unanimously.

The Study Committee met for its final time primarily to discuss and vote on its final report to the Child Support Commission. Study Committee Member Pat Buonodono opened the discussion by noting a typo in the final report. The Study Committee discussed whether the appendices to the final report should be page numbered. The Study Committee discussed whether the members should be identified by their job role/professional title in the list of members included in appendix B of the final report. Study Committee member William Alexander opened a discussion around the wording of item number twelve on page six and the Study Committee agreed it should be edited slightly. Chair Connell recapped the few changes to the final report that were discussed and adopted. Study Committee Member Carol Walker moved to approve the Study Committee’s final report as circulated by Study Committee Member Johanna Kiehl on Friday, April 22, 2022, and as edited by the Study Committee during this meeting. Study Committee Member Pat Buonodono seconded that motion and it passed unanimously.

Chair Connell then discussed next steps noting that the final report would be edited as discussed today. Once edited, the final report will be distributed to the Child Support Commission in advance of its meeting on Friday, April 29, 2022. Chair Connell, who is also a member of the Child Support Commission, will attend that Child Support Commission meeting and formally present the final report to the Commission thereby concluding the work of this Study Committee. Chair Connell thanked all Study Committee Members for their many efforts and dedication.