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Comments:

As the child of a party who was ordered to pay child support but didn't uphold their end and who went through various issues - ie. assigned to handle the child support payments giving my mother the run around because she couldn't speak English very well or understand the system. Claiming that he couldn't read the fax that had my name, though they spoke on the phone and she had told him my name, and thought the child in question was named Kevin, etc. when there should have been documents that had my name on it. With payment records showing he hadn't paid child support, missed payments, etc. that it was "paid in full" (I was 10 yrs. old at the time and actually went to speak to the party assigned to my case) and who tried to tell me that my name was Kevin, where I pointed to his docs to show it wasn't from birth. Only to have him than claim the fax machine cut it off...ending on how that morning was past the deadline - regardless of the fact that it was faxed to him weeks prior; amidst countless phone calls, etc. With after I had already turned 35 yrs. old, a letter saying that the records showed he was still in the arears of over \$10k. Nothing since.

With knowing a number of single or since remarried parents of children who should be receiving child support payments, but due to the party leaving the state, supposedly 'unemployed' or other reason, feel that not enough is done to collect child support payments. Hope that more measures like this one will come into play and passed.