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## Unofficial translation of Mexican enactment on Parental Alienation

The information hereunder was published on the 9<sup>th</sup> May 2014 in the official Government Gazette.

### ***Lay man's translation:***

ASSEMBLY FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT.

LEGISLATURE VI) LEGISLATURE DISTRICT FEDERAL VI LEGISLATURE. DECRET ORDER TO ADD SEVERAL PROVISIONS FOR THE CIVIL CODE FEDERAL DISTRICT.

SINGLE ARTICLE.

Septimus Article 323 of the Civil Code for the Federal District is added, taken across the other and subsequent way, to read as follows :

CHAPTER III  
FAMILY VIOLENCE  
Article 323 Septimus.

"Commits family violence the family member that transforms the consciousness of a child in order to prevent, hinder or destroy its links with one of their parents.

The conduct described in the preceding paragraph, is called parental alienation when performed by one of the parents, who credited such conduct will be suspended in the exercise of parental rights of the child and, therefore, visitation and cohabitation that, if any, have decreed.

Also, if the alienating parent has custody of the

child, this will go immediately to the other parent, if it is a case of mild or moderate alienation.

In the event that the lowest present a degree of severe parental alienation, in any case, remain under the care of the alienating parent or family thereof, all contact with the alienating parent and the child will be suspended will be subjected to treatment indicating the specialist diagnosed the disorder.

To ensure the welfare of the child, and if, because of age, it is impossible to live with the other parent, the department of psychology Superior Court of Justice of the Federal District, assessing a child 's closest relatives, determine which person will be responsible for their care; while receiving the respective treatment that enables the coexistence with the non- alienating parent.

Treatment for the alienated child will be carried out in the Department of Parental Alienation Medical Examiner of the High Court of Justice of the Federal District."

This Decree shall enter into force on the day following its publication in the Official Gazette of District Federal."

**NB: Take note, this is not an official translation.**

### ***Criminal offence:***

Under Article 60 of the Federal Criminal Code,

an offence under this enactment can carry a  
prison sentence of up to 10 years imprisonment. | is an offence.  
Even knowing about the offence and not acting

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