

## Class Notes

### Judicial Academy

Adoption and Termination of Parental Rights

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#### Attached

SDC Original Materials

Which TPR Method

Which Fathers To Terminate

Surrender Revocation Calculator

Default Judgement Calculator

Checklists

Grounds & Best Interest Laws

Involuntary TPR

Relative / Step Parent

Independent, Agency, DCS &

Intercountry

State Forms:

Surrender

Putative Father Registry

Birth Cert. Application

ICPC 100A

Consent of child 14+

Fee Affidavit - Attorney

Fee Affidavit - Agency

Affidavit of Indigency

Tennessee Bar Journal Articles

Best Interest Article

Post Adoption Contact Agreements (PACAs) Article

#### Types of Terminations

Uncontested

Surrender, waiver, consent by joining petition (Relative cases only), denial of parentage, proof of death, prior court orders & other state's Consents

Default Judgement (Needs Findings and Conclusions)

Contested Default Judgement (Needs Findings and Conclusions)

#### Types of Adoption

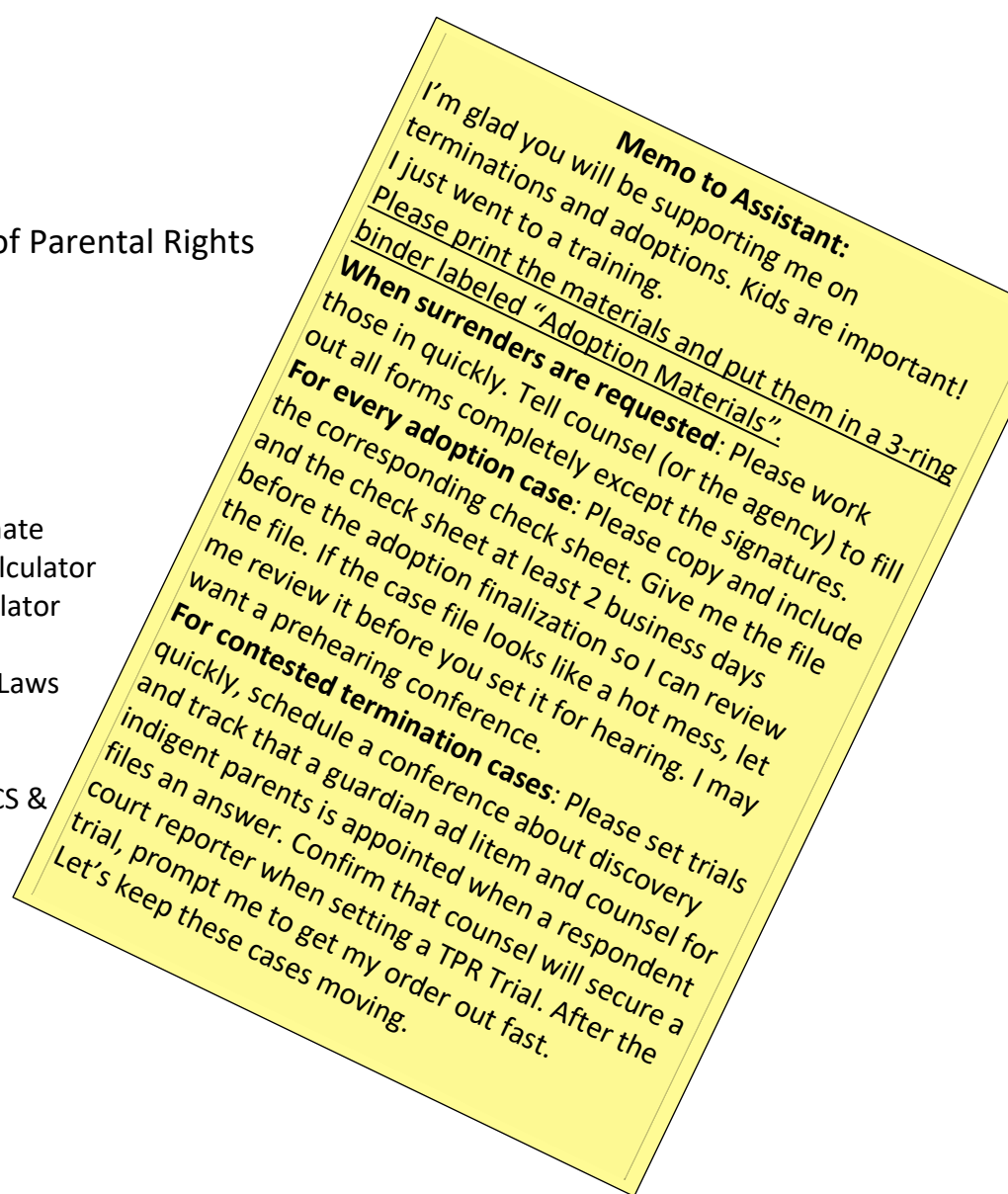
 DCS Private

 Agency Adoption

 Private, Unrelated Adoption

 International Adoption (also an agency adoption)

 Relative/Stepparent Adoption



See Coppock on Tennessee Adoption Law and [Dawncoppock.com](http://Dawncoppock.com)  
for more forms & information