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CLERK'S ALERT

Notice Regarding Agreed Petitions for Modification

Historically the King County Clerk's Office has had a practice of not charging a filing fee for agreed petitions for modification in family law matters. However, this long term local practice is not in keeping with the laws of the state of Washington.

In order to get in compliance with the appropriate fee laws, as of November 1, 2019, the Clerk's office will be charging the statutory fee of \$56* for a modification of a King County decree.

*This fee is related to RCW 36.18.016(2)(a), 26.09.480,and 36.18.016(16)