



**AN ACT CONCERNING MODIFICATION OF CERTAIN DIVORCE AGREEMENTS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 46b-66 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof:

3 (a) In any case under this chapter where the parties have submitted  
4 to the court an agreement concerning the custody, care, education,  
5 visitation, maintenance or support of any of their children or  
6 concerning alimony or the disposition of property, the court shall  
7 inquire into the financial resources and actual needs of the spouses and  
8 their respective fitness to have physical custody of or rights of  
9 visitation with any minor child, in order to determine whether the  
10 agreement of the spouses is fair and equitable under all the  
11 circumstances. If the court finds the agreement fair and equitable, it  
12 shall become part of the court file, and if the agreement is in writing, it  
13 shall be incorporated by reference into the order or decree of the court.  
14 If the court finds the agreement is not fair and equitable, it shall make  
15 such orders as to finances and custody as the circumstances require. If  
16 the agreement is in writing and provides for the care, education,  
17 maintenance or support of a child beyond the age of eighteen, it may  
18 also be incorporated or otherwise made a part of any such order and  
19 shall be enforceable to the same extent as any other provision of such  
20 order or decree, notwithstanding the provisions of section 1-1d.

21     (b) Agreements providing for the care, education, maintenance or  
22     support of a child beyond the age of eighteen entered into on or after  
23     July 1, 2001, shall be modifiable to the same extent as any other  
24     provision of any order or decree in accordance with section 46b-86.

25     Sec. 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2001.

**JUD**        **JOINT FAVORABLE SUBST.**