



CHAPTER 7B

ARTICLE 20 - BASIC RIGHTS

N.C.G.S. § 7B-2001.

Appointment of guardian.

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In any case when no parent, guardian, or custodian appears in a hearing with the juvenile or when the court finds it would be in the best interests of the juvenile, the court may appoint a guardian of the person for the juvenile. The guardian shall operate under the supervision of the court with or without bond and shall file only such reports as the court shall require. Unless the court orders otherwise, the guardian:

Shall have the care, custody, and control of the juvenile or may arrange a suitable placement for the juvenile.

May represent the juvenile in legal actions before any court.

May consent to certain actions on the part of the juvenile in place of the parent or custodian, including (i) marriage, (ii) enlisting in the Armed Forces of the United States, and (iii) enrollment in school.

May consent to any necessary remedial, psychological, medical, or surgical treatment for the juvenile.

The authority of the guardian shall continue until the guardianship is terminated by court order, until the juvenile is emancipated pursuant to Subchapter IV of this Chapter, or until the juvenile reaches the age of majority.

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APPARATUS I

4 ACTS

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02	1997	S.L. 1997-390, s. 7	AMENDED
03	1998	S.L. 1998-202, s. 6	AMENDED
04	2011	S.L. 2011-183, s. 5	AMENDED

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

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