2021 Kansas Statutes

23-36,401. Establishment of support order. (a) If a support order entitled to recognition under this act has not been issued, a responding tribunal of this state with personal jurisdiction over the parties may issue a support order if:

- (1) The individual seeking the order resides outside this state; or
- (2) the support enforcement agency seeking the order is located outside this state.
- (b) The tribunal may issue a temporary child support order if the tribunal determines that such an order is appropriate and the individual ordered to pay is:
- (1) A presumed father of the child;
- (2) petitioning to have his paternity adjudicated;
- (3) identified as the father of the child through genetic testing;
- (4) an alleged father who has declined to submit to genetic testing;
- (5) shown by clear and convincing evidence to be the father of the child;
- (6) an acknowledged father as provided by K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 23-2201 et seq., and amendments thereto;
- (7) the mother of the child; or
- (8) an individual who has been ordered to pay child support in a previous proceeding and the order has not been reversed or vacated.
- (c) Upon finding, after notice and opportunity to be heard, that an obligor owes a duty of support, the tribunal shall issue a support order directed to the obligor and may issue other orders pursuant to K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 23-36,305, and amendments thereto.

History: L. 1994, ch. 301, § 63; L. 1997, ch. 182, § 44; L. 2015, ch. 64, § 33; July 1.