

**CHAPTER 252A****MENTAL RETARDATION PROTECTION**

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*[For text of subds 1 to 3, see M.S.1988]*

Subd. 4. **Alternatives.** Public guardianship or conservatorship may be imposed only when no acceptable, less restrictive form of guardianship or conservatorship is available. The commissioner shall seek parents, near relatives, and other interested persons to assume private guardianship for persons with developmental disabilities who are currently under public guardianship. If a person seeks to become a private guardian or conservator, costs to the person may be reimbursed under section 525.703, subdivision 3, paragraph (b). The commissioner must provide technical assistance to parents, near relatives, and interested persons seeking to become private guardians or conservators.

**History:** 1989 c 282 art 6 s 23