

**609.31 LEAVING STATE TO EVADE ESTABLISHMENT OF PATERNITY.**

Whoever with intent to evade proceedings to establish his paternity leaves the state knowing that a woman with whom he has had sexual intercourse is pregnant or has given birth within the previous 60 days to a living child may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than two years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$4,000, or both.

**History:** *1967 c 507 s 8; 1984 c 628 art 3 s 11*