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Rhode Island Statutes

Title 15. Domestic Relations

Chapter 15-8. Uniform Law on Paternity

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- (a) The obligation of the estate of the father for liabilities under §§ 15-8-1 - 15-8-26 are limited to those amounts accrued prior to his death. In order to hold the estate of the father liable under §§ 15-8-1 - 15-8-26 , an action under the provisions of this chapter must have been commenced during the lifetime of the father.
- (b) This section shall in no way limit the provisions of § 33-1-8 , permitting the inheriting or transmitting inheritance by a child born out of wedlock.

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History. P.L. 1979, ch. 185, § 2; P.L. 1986, ch. 194, § 2.