

**§1863. Denial of parentage**

A person presumed to be a parent under section 1881 or an alleged genetic parent may execute a denial of parentage only in the limited circumstances set forth in this section. A denial of parentage is valid only if: [PL 2021, c. 141, §6 (AMD).]

**1. Acknowledgment.** An acknowledgment of parentage signed or otherwise authenticated is filed pursuant to this subchapter; [PL 2021, c. 141, §7 (AMD).]

**2. Under penalty of perjury.** The denial is in a record and is signed or otherwise authenticated under penalty of perjury; and [PL 2015, c. 296, Pt. A, §1 (NEW); PL 2015, c. 296, Pt. D, §1 (AFF).]

**3. Person executing.** The person executing the denial has not previously:

A. Acknowledged parentage, unless the previous acknowledgment has been rescinded pursuant to section 1867 or successfully challenged pursuant to section 1868; or [PL 2021, c. 141, §8 (AMD).]

B. Been adjudicated to be the parent of the child. [PL 2015, c. 296, Pt. A, §1 (NEW); PL 2015, c. 296, Pt. D, §1 (AFF).]  
[PL 2021, c. 141, §8 (AMD).]

**SECTION HISTORY**

PL 2015, c. 296, Pt. A, §1 (NEW). PL 2015, c. 296, Pt. D, §1 (AFF). PL 2021, c. 141, §§6-8 (AMD).

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