

ALEC EXPOSED

"ALEC" has long been a secretive collaboration between Big Business and "conservative" politicians. Behind closed doors, they ghostwrite "model" bills to be introduced in state capitols across the country. This agenda—underwritten by global corporations—includes major tax loopholes for big industries and the super rich, proposals to offshore U.S. jobs and gut minimum wage, and efforts to weaken public health, safety, and environmental protections. Although many of these bills have become law, until now, their origin has been largely unknown. With **ALEC EXPOSED**, the Center for Media and Democracy hopes more Americans will study the bills to understand the depth and breadth of how big corporations are changing the legal rules and undermining democracy across the nation.

ALEC's Corporate Board
--in recent past or present

- AT&T Services, Inc.
 - centerpoint360
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 - Bayer Corporation
 - GlaxoSmithKline
 - Energy Future Holdings
 - Johnson & Johnson
 - Coca-Cola Company
 - PhRMA
 - Kraft Foods, Inc.
 - Coca-Cola Co.
 - Pfizer Inc.
 - Reed Elsevier, Inc.
 - DIAGEO
 - Peabody Energy
 - Intuit, Inc.
 - Koch Industries, Inc.
 - ExxonMobil
 - Verizon
 - Reynolds American Inc.
 - Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.
 - Salt River Project
 - Altria Client Services, Inc.
 - American Bail Coalition
 - State Farm Insurance
- For more on these corporations, search at www.SourceWatch.org.

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DID YOU KNOW? Corporations VOTED to adopt this. Through ALEC, global companies work as "equals" in "unison" with politicians to write laws to govern your life. Big Business has "a VOICE and a VOTE," according to newly exposed documents. **DO YOU?**

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Child Relocation Notification Act

Did you know that global pharmaceutical company Bayer Healthcare was the corporate co-chair in 2011?

Summary

This act required that, in any custody or visitation proceeding, advance written notice be given to either the court, the other party, or both by any party intending to relocate the permanent residence of the child at least 60 days prior to the intended relocation.

Model Legislation

{Title, enacting clause, etc.}

Section 1. In any custody or visitation proceeding, the court shall include as a condition of any custody or visitation order a requirement that advance written notice be made to either the court, the other party, or both by any party intending to relocate the permanent residence of a child. Such notice must be given at least 60 days prior to the intended relocation. The court may require that such notice be in such form and contain such information as the court may deem proper and necessary under the circumstances of the case.

Section 2. {Repealer clause}.

Section 3. {Severity clause}.

Were your laws repealed?

Section 4. {Effective date}.

1995 Sourcebook of American State Legislation

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