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Subject: Raised fees

I just wanted to add our comments about raising the fees for adoption paperwork. Since the majority of our stateside fees were to the government, it really bothers us with the kind of service that we received for those fees.

We would suggest that BEFORE a fee adjustment (upward) is made, that consideration be made of raising the services and the professionalism that those services are administered be taken care of FIRST. We were really bothered by the fact of having to involve a senator of our great state had to happen before services were taken seriously.

It bothered us how unprofessionally we were treated in the Salt Lake City office, as compared to the government offices around the world (having been treated in Latvia as well as Poland, MUCH better than we were locally). It really bothered us that WE spoke English, and simply needed paperwork filed for adoptions, and yet when we watched how immigrants were treated, we were bothered by their treatment as well.

Anyway, that's our two cents' worth, but we feel that the charges are ALREADY too high, especially for the service that is rendered. Why not consider lowering them instead????