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SURROGATE PARENTS NEEDED IN ST. CROIX DISTRICT SPECIAL ED. DIVISION

ST. CROIX, USVI - The Virgin Islands Department of Education, Division of Special Education, St. Croix District, has an immediate need for 3-5 persons to serve as surrogate parents.

The legal definition of a **surrogate parent** is *one who stands in the place of a child's parent, but who is not that parent. Either by virtue of voluntary or court-appointed status, that person assumes all rights, duties and responsibilities of the child's parent.*

Interested persons are urged to visit the Division of Special Education at its offices in La Grande Princesse or send email to Director Lyrhea Bryan at lyrhea.bryan@vide.vi.

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