

PODER JUDICIÁRIO
DO ESTADO DE RORAIMA

SPECIAL TESTIMONY

BY CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS



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The protection and promotion of the rights of children and adolescents is an absolute priority in the justice system. The Federal Constitution itself, in its Art. 227, states that the protection of this audience from all forms of neglect, discrimination, exploitation, violence, cruelty and oppression is a priority.

Thus, there are many ways to ensure the protection of children and adolescents during their time in court, especially when they are victims of or have witnessed physical violence, sexual violence such as abuse or exploitation, or psychological or institutional violence.

This is where the Special Testimony (D.E.).

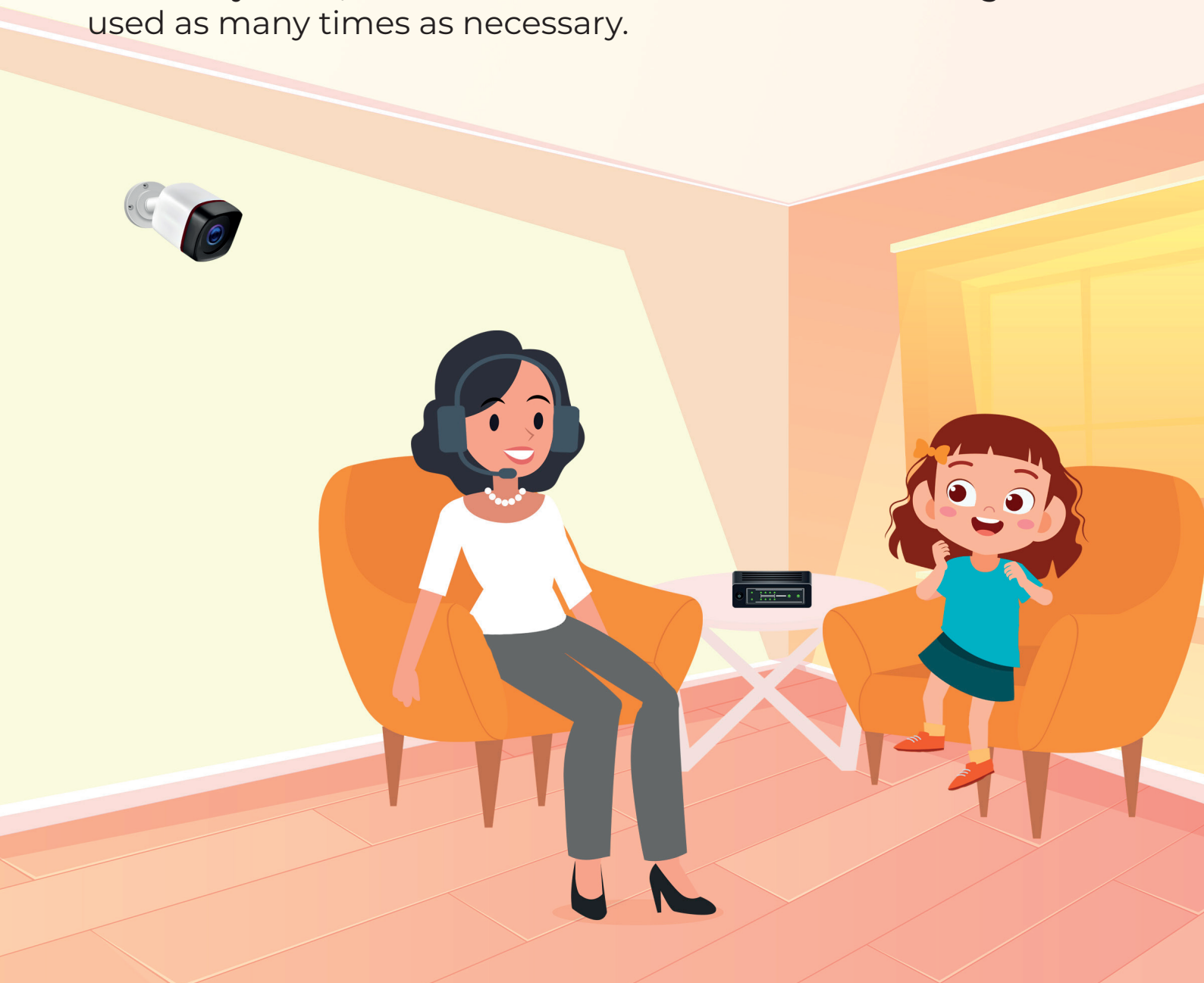


**comes in.
Let's understand
a little better
how it works?**

The Special Testimony is a form of judicial hearing, in other words, listening to children and adolescents who have been victims or witnesses involved in a court case in which there is a crime or an infraction.

In lawsuits in general, it is common for those involved to end up telling their stories over and over again throughout the process. This causes concern when children/adolescents are involved, as they could relive the trauma or situation of violence they witnessed.

The D.E. is one of the ways of protecting the person from having to repeat a bad story many times, which can cause suffering for those who have already been victims or witnesses of violence. This way, the child/adolescent will only have to give their testimony once, as it will be recorded and the recording will be used as many times as necessary.



The Court of Justice of the State of Roraima offers the Special Testimony Service, both in Boa Vista/RR and throughout the interior of the state.

The child/adolescent will be received 30 minutes before the hearing and, after being heard and welcomed, will be taken to the Special Testimony Room.

In the Special Testimony Room, where the testimony takes place, there is audiovisual equipment, such as cameras and microphones, which will be directly connected to others installed in the Hearing Room, where the Judge, Prosecutor and Lawyer/Public Defender will be watching and following the testimony on television, in real time.



Another important difference is that only the child/adolescent and a person specially trained to conduct the interview on the subject of the case, the Forensic Interviewer, will be present in the D.E. room. No one else will be allowed in the room and parents or guardians must wait outside or with the judge.

In fact, the Forensic Interviewer will be responsible for listening to the questions asked by the judge and relaying them in the most appropriate way to the child/adolescent. The hearing will only be closed once all the main questions and doubts about the judicial process and the situation of violence have been clarified.

The Special Testimony is an important form of protection for our children and adolescents, as it ensures that they don't go through embarrassing or intimidating situations again, and that they are heard in the most respectful and appropriate way for their stage of development.



Important for the Special Testimony:

- The child/adolescent must arrive at the venue at least 30 minutes in advance;
- The child/adolescent must be accompanied by parents/guardians;
- Parents/guardians must ensure that the child/adolescent arrives at the D.E. well, fed, rested and calm;
- Parents/guardians should advise the child to stay calm and answer questions truthfully.

To report violations against children and adolescents:

- Call 100 (free)

In your city, you can also look for:

- Social Service;
- Child and Youth Courts;
- Justice Court;
- Child and Youth Prosecutor's Offices;
- Police Stations.







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