,	: In the Court of Common Pleas
Plaintiff	: County, Pennsylvania
v.	: Docket No.: _____
	:
,	: Civil Action - In Law
Defendant	: In Divorce

PETITION FOR CIVIL CONTEMPT FOR DISOBEDIENCE OF A CUSTODY ORDER

    AND NOW, comes   , and in support of this Petition for Civil Contempt for Disobedience of a Custody Order respectfully avers as follows:

    1.   Petitioner is   , an adult individual currently residing in   County, Pennsylvania. They are the

(choose one)   Plaintiff   Defendant   in the above-captioned matter.

    2.   Respondent is   , an adult individual currently residing in   County, Pennsylvania. They are the

(choose one)   Plaintiff   Defendant   in the above-captioned matter.

    3.   Petitioner and Respondent are the natural parents of   (initials) ("the Child(ren)").

    4.   An Order of Court for legal and physical custody of the Child(ren) was entered on   by the Hon.   . A true and correct copy of the Custody Order is attached hereto.

    5.   Respondent has willfully failed to abide by the Custody Order in that:

6.   Pursuant to 23 Pa.C.S. §5323(g), a party who willfully fails to comply with any custody order, may be determined to be in contempt, and that contempt shall be punishable by any one or more of the following:

   a. Imprisonment for a period of not more than six months;

   b. A fine of not more than $500;

   c. Probation for a period of not more than six months;

   d. An order for non-renewal, suspension, or denial of operation privilege pursuant to 75 Pa.C.S. 4355;

   e. Counsel Fees and Costs

7.   Pursuant to Pa.R.C.P. 1915.3-2, Respondent has filed a Criminal Record/Abuse History Verification concurrently with this Petition for Civil Contempt for Disobedience of a Custody Order.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner humbly requests this Honorable Court find Respondent in Contempt of the Custody Order, award Petitioner with make-up time for the custodial periods missed due to Respondent's disobedience, and fine them $500.00.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated:

Printed Name

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Signature

Address

City, State, Zip Code