

STATE OF ILLINOIS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE _____ CIRCUIT

_____ COUNTY



Case No. _____ - F - _____

_____,
Plaintiff,

Represented by:

versus

_____,
Defendant.

Represented by:

MEDIATION ORDER

THIS MATTER is before the Court for review. The Court **FINDS** that this case should be referred for mediation.

THEREFORE, it is the **ORDER** of this Court that:

1. Pursuant to the **Rules of the Circuit Court**, _____ **Circuit**, this case is referred to Court ordered mediation.
2. The parties are to contact the **Dispute Resolution Inst.; phone number (618)549-1200** or _____ ; phone number _____ within fifteen (15) days of the date of this Order.
3. Mediation shall commence promptly. Mediation shall be completed within sixty (60) days unless otherwise ordered by the Court.

4. When the Order is received naming a mediator, each side shall send the mediator:
 - The name of all the parties;
 - The names of the children;
 - A brief statement of the issues which brings the parties to mediation; and,
 - Any records or documents which relate to the issues being brought to mediation.
5. All parties **are required to be present** at the mediation.
6. The mediator may require that other persons also be present.
7. Both parties shall participate in mediation in good faith. *Failure to participate in good faith will subject that party to sanctions including the full costs of the mediation, the attorney fees for everyone present and the costs of attending for all parties.*
8. An agreement shall be placed in writing by the mediator or one of the parties at the direction of the mediator and signed by all of the parties.
9. Upon completion of mediation, the mediator shall report the outcome of the mediation to the Court and to the Office of the Chief Judge on forms prescribed by the Chief Judge.
10. The Clerk of the Court shall immediately send a copy of this Order to the Office of the Chief Judge.

Entered this _____ day of _____, 20____ .

Judge