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## AFFIDAVIT FOR ORDER ESTABLISHING CUSTODY, VISITATION AND CHILD SUPPORT WITHOUT APPEARANCE OF PARTIES

You might choose or need to file this form if:

- The parties have reached an agreement and both have signed the Order Establishing Custody, Visitation, and Child Support; OR
- Either party defaulted and all default paperwork has been presented to the court and an Entry of Default was issued.

My name is \_\_\_\_\_\_

1. In this case, I am the

 $\Box$  Petitioner.

 $\Box$  Respondent.

2. 
The Petitioner lived in this county, and the Petitioner lived in Wyoming for at least 60 days immediately prior to (leading up to) the day the Petition was filed.

 $\Box$  The Respondent lived in this county, and the Respondent lived in Wyoming for at least 60 days immediately prior to (leading up to) the day the Petition was filed.

- 4. Respondent is currently a resident of the County of \_\_\_\_\_\_, and the State of \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5. The Children named in the Petition:
  □ Have been in the State of Wyoming for a period of 6 months or more immediately before filing the Petition.

 $\Box$  Have not been in the State of Wyoming for a period of 6 months or more immediately before filing the Petition.

- 6. Petitioner and Respondent are the natural or adoptive parents of children. The children listed below are:
  - under 18 years of age, OR
  - between the ages of 18 and 20 years and still in high school or a program equivalent to high school, OR
  - 18 years or older and unable to support themselves due to mental, emotional, or physical impairment.

Child's initials (Do not write full name): \_\_\_\_\_\_(John Bob Doe would be J.B.D.) Child's year of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's initials (Do not write full name): \_\_\_\_\_\_ Child's year of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's initials (Do not write full name): \_\_\_\_\_\_ Child's year of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's initials (Do not write full name): \_\_\_\_\_\_ Child's year of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

7. The proposed Order Establishing Custody, Visitation, and Child Support sets forth provisions for child custody, visitation, parental decision-making, and child support that I believe is in our children's best interests. In support of this statement, I provide the following evidence.

(Please address as many of the following factors as possible in your explanation of why the proposed Order serves the children's best interests.)

(i) The quality of the relationship each child has with each parent:

(ii) The ability of each parent to provide adequate care for each child throughout each period of responsibility, including arranging for each child's care by others as needed:\_\_\_\_\_\_

(iii) The relative competency and fitness of each parent:

(iv) Each parent's willingness to accept all responsibilities of parenting, including a willingness to accept care for each child at specified times and to relinquish care to the other parent at specified times:

(v) How the parents and each child can best maintain and strengthen a relationship with each other:

(vi) How the parents and each child interact and communicate with each other and how such interaction and communication may be improved:

(vii) The ability and willingness of each parent to allow the other to provide care without intrusion, respect the other parent's rights and responsibilities, including the right to privacy:\_\_\_\_\_\_

(viii) Geographic distance between the parents' residences:

(ix) The current physical and mental ability of each parent to care for each child:\_\_\_\_\_

(x) Has either parent had a conviction that would require them to register as a sex offender under W.S 7-19-301- 7-19-10:

(xi) Any other factors you want the court to consider necessary and relevant:

(xii) The law requires the court to consider evidence of spousal abuse (domestic violence) or child abuse as being contrary to the best interest of the children. Please state whether or not there has been any domestic violence or abuse in the relationship and whether the Order adequately makes arrangements for visitation that best protects the child(ren) and the abused party from further harm: 8. Based on the information provided above, I request the court enter an Order Establishing Custody, Visitation, and Child Support.

## <u>OATH</u>

I, being duly sworn upon my oath, state that I have completed the above information, and I believe the matters set forth are true and correct under penalty of perjury:

**DATED**\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Signature
Printed Name
Phone Number
Home Address (Physical)
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Mailing Address

 $\Box$  A Wyoming Court Navigator helped with this form.

STATE OF WYOMING ) ) ss COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this \_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_. Witness my hand and official seal.

## CLERK OF COURT/NOTARIAL OFFICER

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that th	e original	of this	document	was	filed	with	the	Clerk	of	the	District	Court	t in
County, Wyoming.													

I further certify that on \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, a true and accurate copy of this document was served on the other party in the following manner:

 $\Box$  Delivered by hand to: \_\_\_\_\_ (name)

□ Faxed to this number: \_\_\_\_\_

□ Mailed by United States Postal Service, postage pre-paid, to:

Signature:

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

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