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6 Self-Represented Litigant

7 IN THE FAMILY DIVISION
8 OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
9 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

10 In the Matter of the Parental Rights as to:

11 _____,

12 A Minor Child.

Case No. _____

13 _____/

Dept. No _____

14 EX PARTE MOTION FOR PUBLICATION OF NOTICE AND
15 DECLARATION OF DUE DILIGENCE IN SUPPORT OF PUBLICATION

16 1. I am the Petitioner in this case, and I filed a verified Petition to Terminate Parental Rights. A
17 Notice of Hearing directed at (*name of parent whose parental rights you are asking to terminate*
18 *and/or the legal custodian or guardian of the minor child; if unknown, write "unknown"*):

19 _____
20 _____

21 was issued in this case on (*date the Notice of Hearing was filed*) _____.

22 The person(s) is/are (a) necessary and proper party/parties to this action and I am unable to
23 locate them.

24 They are the (*check all that apply*):

25 Parent Legal Guardian Legal custodian Unknown parent

26 The person I believe is the other parent

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1 2. The last-known address that I know for the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian is:

2 _____
3 _____

4 The parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian no longer lives there. To my knowledge, the last
5 time the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian lived there was: _____

6 _____
7 _____

8 3. **Attempts to Serve.** (check one)

9 No one has tried to serve the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian at the last-known
10 address because: _____

11 _____
12 _____
13 _____

14 Someone tried to serve the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian at the last-known
15 address but was unable to do so because the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian no
16 longer lives there.

17 The parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian is avoiding being served. The following
18 attempts to serve the parent, legal custodian or legal guardian have failed (*explain the*
19 *attempts to serve*): _____

20 _____
21 _____

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23 4. **Attempts to Locate.** (check boxes that apply and fill in the blanks)

24 a. **Email:**

25 I do not have an email address for the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian.

26 The following are all the email addresses I have for the parent, legal custodian, or legal
27 guardian: _____

28 _____

1 I emailed these addresses asking for a current address on: _____

2 I got the following response back: _____

3 _____

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5 **b. Phone / Text:**

6 I do not have a phone number for the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian.

7 The last-known phone number is: _____

8 I called and/or texted them to ask for their current address on: _____

9 I got the following response back: _____

10 _____

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12 **c. Mail:**

13 I do not have a last-known physical address or post office box for the parent, legal
14 custodian, or legal guardian.

15 I mailed an envelope to the last-known physical address or post office box through the
16 U.S. Post Office and wrote the words "Address correction requested / Do not forward"
17 on the front. The envelope was returned to me on (*date*) _____

18 with the following information for the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian: _____

19 _____

20 _____

21
22 **d. Social Media:**

23 I looked for the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian on the following social media sites:

24 Facebook LinkedIn

25 X (Twitter) Instagram

26 Other: _____

27 I found the following information on those sites on the following dates: _____

28 _____

1 e. **Child Support:**

- 2 There is no child support case against the parent or legal guardian.
- 3 There is a child support case against the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian with
- 4 the local child support agency, and the child support office has not been able to locate
- 5 the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian or will not release their information to me.
- 6

7 f. **Social Security Death Index:**

- 8 I did not check the Social Security Death Index.
- 9 I did check the Social Security Death Index and did not find the parent's, legal
- 10 custodian's, or legal guardian's name.
- 11

12 g. **Friends / Family:**

- 13 I do not know or was unable to contact any of the parent's, legal custodian's, or legal
- 14 guardian's friends or family.
- 15 I contacted the following people (*List their names, relationship to the parent, legal*
- 16 *custodian, or legal guardian, what they told you, and the dates*):

17 _____

18 _____

19

20 h. **Employers:**

- 21 I do not know any of the parent's, legal custodian's, or legal guardian's employers.
- 22 I contacted the following current or former employers (*List their names, what they told*
- 23 *you, and the dates*):

24 _____

25 _____

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27 ///

28 ///

1 **i. Neighbors:**

2 I do not know any of the parent's, legal custodian's, or legal guardian's former
3 neighbors.

4 I contacted the following former neighbor(s) (*List their names, what they told you, and*
5 *the dates*):

6 _____
7 _____

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9 **j. Online Searches:**

10 I looked for the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian on the following online databases:

- 11 Whitepages People Finders
12 Family Tree Now Other: _____
13 Spokeo Other: _____

14 I found the following information on those sites on the following dates:

15 _____
16 _____

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18 **k. Public Records:**

19 I looked for the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian on the following public records
20 databases:

- 21 Washoe County Assessor _____ District Court Records
22 Washoe County Recorder _____ Justice Court Records
23 Washoe County Registrar of Voters _____ Municipal Court Records
24 Other: _____

25 I found the following information in those databases on the following dates:

26 _____
27 _____

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1 **1. Jail / Prison:**

2 To my knowledge, the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian does not have a criminal
3 history.

4 The parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian is, was, or may be in jail or prison. I
5 searched these inmate records:

6 NV Dept. of Corrections

Washoe County Jail

7 Nationwide Inmate Locator

Other: _____

8 Federal Inmate Locator

Other: _____

9 I found the following information in those records on the following dates:

10 _____

11 _____

12
13 **m. Military:**

14 To my knowledge, the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian has never been in the
15 military.

16 The parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian is/was in the military. I contacted the
17 following agencies to locate the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian:

18 Air Force

19 Army

20 Coast Guard

21 Marines

22 Navy

23 The branch of the military told me on the date(s) listed below the following:

24 _____

25 _____

26
27 **n. Other:**

28 The following are other efforts that I made to try and locate the parent, legal custodian, or

1 legal guardian: _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5
6 **5.** I do not know the present physical address of the parent, legal custodian, or legal guardian,
7 where they live, or where they may be found. After due diligence, I cannot find them within the
8 State of Nevada; or if they were last known to live outside of the State of Nevada, I do not know
9 where they now live, where they may be found, and I have no knowledge, have never been
10 informed, and have no reason to believe that they currently live within the State of Nevada.

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12 **6.** The parent's nearest known relative who resides in Nevada is:

13 Name: _____

14 Address: _____

15 _____

16 This relative was personally served with a copy of the Notice of Hearing and Petition to
17 Terminate Parental Rights on _____

18 This relative was not served.

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20 **7.** The minor child's legal custodian or guardian resides at:

21 Name: _____

22 Address: _____

23 _____

24 This person was served with a copy of the Notice of Hearing and Petition to Terminate
25 Parental Rights on _____

26 This person was not served.

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1 **8.** I request that this Court issue an Order allowing service by publication in one of the following
2 newspapers or other periodicals which are reasonably expected to give the other party actual
3 notice of the proceedings:

4 (a) _____

5 (b) _____

6 (c) _____

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8 **9.** If there is insufficient time before my hearing to complete service by publication and allow time
9 for response, please reset my hearing to a later date.

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11 This document does not contain the personal information of any person as defined by NRS
12 603A.040.

13 I declare under penalty of perjury under the law of the State of Nevada that the foregoing is true
14 and correct.

15
16 DATED this (*day*) _____ day of (*month*) _____, 20____.

17
18 Submitted by: (*Your signature*) _____

19 (*Print your name*) _____