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

\_\_\_\_\_,  
 Plaintiff / Petitioner / Joint Petitioner, Case No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 vs. Dept. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_,  
 Defendant / Respondent / Joint Petitioner.  
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MOTION FOR SCHOOL CHOICE FOR MINOR CHILD(REN)

*(If you need more room on any section of this form, attach additional sheets.)*

**1. The child(ren)'s names, grade levels, and proposed schools are:**

Child(ren)'s Name	Grade Level	Your Preferred School	Other Parent's Preferred School

**2. What is/are the child(ren)'s current school(s)?** \_\_\_\_\_

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1 **3. Attempt to Resolve.** Did you try to resolve this matter with the other parent before filing  
2 this motion? ( check one)

3  Yes, but we could not come to an agreement. (*Explain when and how you tried to*  
4 *resolve this with the other party and why they will not agree to the school you are*  
5 *proposing.*)

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8  No. Any attempt to resolve the issue would have been useless or impractical because:  
9 (*Explain why you did not try to resolve this issue directly with the other party before*  
10 *filing this motion.*)

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14 **4. Reasons for school selection.** (*Answer the following questions and explain in detail why your*  
15 *school selection is in the best interest of the child(ren). Compare your proposed school to the*  
16 *other parent's desired school where applicable.*)

17 a. Is/are the child(ren) old enough and/or capable of having a preference in the school they  
18 attend? If so, what are the child(ren)'s wishes? ( check one)

19  No.

20  Yes, their age and preference is: \_\_\_\_\_

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23 b. What are the child(ren)'s educational needs and each school's ability to meet them?

24 Your preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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28 Other parent's preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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c. Describe the curriculum, method of teaching, and quality of instruction at each school:

Your preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other parent's preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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d. Describe the child(ren)'s past scholastic achievement/predicted school performance:

Past achievement and expected performance at your preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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Past achievement and expected performance at other parent's preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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e. What medical needs does/do the child(ren) have and how can each school meet those needs?

Your preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other parent's preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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f. What extracurricular activities is/are the child(ren) involved and/or interested in and what is each school's ability to satisfy them?

Your preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other parent's preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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g. If the child(ren) leave(s) their current school, how will it affect the child(ren)'s academic progress? \_\_\_\_\_

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h. Explain the child(ren)'s ability to adapt to an unfamiliar environment: \_\_\_\_\_

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i. Describe the length of commute to each school and any other logistical concerns:

Your preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other parent's preferred school: \_\_\_\_\_

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j. Would enrolling the child(ren) at either school alienate the child(ren) from the other parent?

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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k. Why do you believe that attending your school of choice is in the best interest of your child(ren)? \_\_\_\_\_

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l. Is there anything else the Court should consider in deciding where the child(ren) should attend school? \_\_\_\_\_

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1 **5. UCCJEA Declaration.**

2 **a. Persons Other Than You or the Other Party Who Claim Custody/Visitation.**

3 Is there anyone other than you or the other party who has custody of the child(ren) or who  
4 claim a right to custody or visitation with the child(ren)? ( *check one*)

5  No.

6  Yes, the following people have custody or claim custody/visitation of the  
7 child(ren): (*list names and addresses of anyone who claims custody/visitation*  
8 *rights*):

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11 **b. Participation in Other Cases:** Have you ever participated in any case concerning the  
12 child(ren) as a party, witness, or in some other capacity? ( *check one*)

13  No.

14  Yes, I have participated in the following cases concerning the child(ren) (*provide all*  
15 *specifics including the state, the court name, child(ren) involved, the case number,*  
16 *and the date of the child custody order, if any*):

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20 **c. Knowledge of Other Cases:** Do you know of any other case that could affect this case, such  
21 as other custody cases, domestic violence cases, protection order cases, or  
22 adoption/terminations? ( *check one*)

23  No.

24  Yes, the following cases that could affect this case (*give all specifics including the*  
25 *state, the court name, the parties involved, the case number, and the type of case*):

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1 **6. Motion/Opposition Notice.**

A.	Mark the CORRECT ANSWER with a <b>X</b> .	Yes	No
	1. Has a final decree or custody order been entered in this case? If <b>yes</b> , then continue to Question 2. If <b>no</b> , you do not need to answer any other questions.		
	2. Is this a motion or an opposition to a motion filed to change a final order? If <b>yes</b> , then continue to Question 3. If <b>no</b> , you do not need to answer any other question.		
	3. Is this a motion or an opposition to a motion filed only to change the amount of child(ren) support?		
	4. Is this a motion or an opposition to a motion for reconsideration or a new trial <b>and</b> the motion was filed within 14 days of the Judge's Order?		
	<b>If</b> the answer to Question 4 is <b>yes</b> , write in the <b>filing date</b> found on the front page of the Judge's Order.	<b>Date</b>	
B.	If you answered <b>NO</b> to either Question 1 or 2, or <b>YES</b> to Question 3 or 4, you are <u>exempt</u> from the filing fee. However, if the Court later determines you should have paid the filing fee, your motion will <u>not</u> be decided until the fee is paid.		

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15 This document does not contain the personal information of any person as defined by NRS  
16 603A.040.

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

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20 DATED this (*day*) \_\_\_\_\_ day of (*month*) \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

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22 Submitted By: (*Your signature*) \_\_\_\_\_

23 (*Print your name*) \_\_\_\_\_

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25 **When to File:** If you do not file an opposition/response to this request with the Court within  
26 fourteen (14) days, beginning the day after service upon you, the person who filed this request may  
27 submit it to the Court for decision. **Please note: parties who are served only by U.S. Mail have**  
28 **three (3) additional days.**