

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS MIAMI COUNTY, OHIO

JUVENILE DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF: : CASE NO. _____
_____: :
_____: :
_____: : JUDGE W. MCGREGOR DIXON, JR.

DECLARATION UNDER UNIFORM CHILD CUSTODY
JURISDICTION AND ENFORCEMENT ACT (UCCJEA)
CHILD CUSTODY AFFIDAVIT (ORC 3127.23)

I, (full legal name) _____ being sworn according to law, certify that these proceedings involve the custody of a child, or children and the following statements are true:

1. **A Minor Child/ren is subject to this proceeding as follows:** (Insert the information requested below. The address(es) must be given for the last FIVE years.)

Child's name: _____, d/o/b: _____

This child/ren currently lives with _____ at the following address _____, and has resided there since _____.

The child/ren previously lived with _____ from _____ until _____. The present address of this adult is: _____.

The child/ren previously lived with _____ from _____ until _____. The present address of this adult is: _____.

The child/ren previously lived with _____ from _____ until _____. The present address of this adult is: _____.

*For additional children and/or addresses, please use additional sheet(s) providing the above information.

2. Participation in custody proceeding(s): (check only one)

_____ I **HAVE NOT** participated as a party, witness, or in any capacity in any other litigation, in this or any other state, concerning the custody of or visitation (parenting time) with any child subject to this proceeding.

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Explain: (only if you marked "I HAVE")

a. Name of each child _____

b. Type of proceeding _____

c. Court and state _____

d. Date of court order or judgment (if any): _____

3. Information about custody proceeding(s): (check only one)

_____ I **HAVE NO INFORMATION** of any proceedings that could affect the current proceeding, including any proceedings relating to custody, domestic violence or protection orders, dependency, neglect or abuse allegations or adoptions concerning any child subject to this proceeding .

_____ I **HAVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION** concerning proceedings that could affect the current proceeding, including any proceedings relating to custody, domestic violence or protection orders, dependency, neglect or abuse allegations or adoptions concerning any child subject to this proceeding, other than set out in item 3.

Explain: (only if you marked "I HAVE")

a. Name of each child _____

b. Type of proceeding _____

c. Court and state _____

d. Date of court order or judgment (if any): _____

4. Persons not a party to this proceeding: (check only one)

_____ I **DO NOT KNOW OF ANY PERSON** not a party to this proceeding who has physical custody or claims to have custody or visitation rights with respect to any child subject to this proceeding.

_____ I **KNOW THAT THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSON(S)** not a party to this proceeding has/have physical custody or claim(s) to have custody or visitation rights with respect to any child subject to this proceeding:

a. Name and address of person _____

() has physical custody () claims custody rights () claims visitation rights

Name of each child _____

b. Name and address of person _____

() has physical custody () claims custody rights () claims visitation rights

Name of each child _____

5. Knowledge of prior child support proceedings: (check only one)

_____ The child described in this affidavit is **NOT** subject to existing child support order(s) in this or any state or territory.

_____ The child described in this affidavit **IS** subject to the following existing child support order(s):

a. Name of each child _____

b. Type of proceeding _____

c. Court and address _____

d. Date of court order or judgment (if any): _____

e. Amount of child support paid and by whom: _____

f. SETS number: _____

6. I acknowledge that I have a continuing duty to advise this Court of any custody, visitation, child support, or guardianship proceeding (including dissolution of marriage, child neglect, or dependency) concerning the child (ren) in this state or any other state, that could affect the current proceeding.

OATH OF AFFIANT

I hereby swear or affirm that the answers above are true, complete and accurate. I understand that falsification of this document may result in a contempt of court finding against me which could result in a jail sentence and fine, and that falsification of this document may also subject me to criminal penalties for perjury. (R.C. 2921.11).

Dated: _____
_____ (Signature of Party)

Printed name: _____ Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public

*If a party alleges in an affidavit or a pleading under oath that the health, safety, or liberty of a party or child would be jeopardized by the disclosure of identifying information, the information shall be sealed and may not be disclosed to the other party or the public unless the court orders the disclosure to be made after a hearing in which the court take into consideration the health, safety, and liberty of the party or child and determines that the disclosure is in the best interests of justice.