

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA
AT _____

In the Matter of

DOB: _____ CASE NO. _____

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ORDER OF REFERRAL TO MEDIATION – MINOR GUARDIANSHIP

FINDINGS

1. Mediation was requested by one or more parties proposed by the court.
2. Mediation is permitted under Civil Rule 100, AS 25.20.080, and AS 25.30.909 because there are no active domestic violence orders concerning any of the parties, and
 there are no allegations of domestic violence concerning any of the parties, **or**
 there are allegations of domestic violence, but the victim has agreed to mediate, the victim may bring an attorney or other person to mediation sessions, and the mediator is trained in domestic violence issues as required by statute.
3. The next hearing is scheduled for _____ [date] has not been scheduled.

ORDER

1. The Dispute Resolution Coordinator will assign a mediator. Mediation sessions are usually about three hours.
2. The issues referred for mediation include, but are not limited to:

3. Mediation should occur before _____ [date]
 is scheduled for _____ at _____ am pm
4. The mediator may have access to confidential information, including the court file.
5. Lawyers may attend mediation.
6. **Mediation is confidential.** No person, including the mediator, may testify about anything said or done in mediation, except to tell the judge about an agreement. This does not relieve anyone of a duty imposed by statute. Before the first joint meeting, participants and the mediator will discuss and sign a mediation agreement that explains confidentiality.
7. **Mediation is voluntary.** Participants must attend the initial meeting with the mediator and the first joint mediation session. If a participant thinks mediation is not helpful, that participant may choose to return to court. Deciding not to mediate will not bias the court's future decisions.
8. If your mediation is by phone or Zoom, make sure that no one else is around you or can overhear the mediation. If you are attending a mediation in person, please note that childcare is not provided.
9. Other: _____

Date: _____
 Superior Court Judge Master

I certify that on _____ a copy of this order was sent or given to: Petitioner/Lawyer GAL
 Parent A/Lawyer _____ Parent B/Lawyer _____
 Minor(s)/Lawyer(s) _____
 Guardian Disp. Res. Coord. Other _____

JA/Clerk: _____