

IMPORTANT NOTICE

A DeNovo Custody Hearing has been scheduled in this matter.

That hearing will be a FORMAL LEGAL PROCEEDING before a Common Pleas Judge.

THE HEARING WILL NOT BE A SECOND MEDIATION CONFERENCE.

You should come to the hearing prepared to proceed formally; calling witnesses who will be required to swear or affirm that they will give truthful testimony. Any witnesses you call may be questioned by any other party in this custody case.

You will be required to follow formal courtroom procedures and all court rules for formal hearings, including all rules governing the presentation of evidence, whether or not you have an attorney.

You should bring with you all witnesses you intend to call in your case, including any child who you feel the judge should talk to. Also, if you are residing with another adult who, therefore, interacts with the child(ren), you should have that person available to testify.

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA**

CIVIL – LAW

Plaintiff	:	
	:	
v.	:	No. _____
	:	
Defendant	:	
	:	
Intervenor	:	

REQUEST FOR DE NOVO CUSTODY HEARING

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, _____, the Plaintiff/Defendant/Intervenor,
_____, by his/her Attorney, _____,
respectfully requests the Court Administrator to schedule the above case for hearing De Novo before the
Court for the following reasons:

The hearing is De Novo and, therefore, is not limited in scope to the reasons set forth herein.

Plaintiff/Defendant/Intervenor

Attorney for Plaintiff: _____
Attorney for Defendant: _____
Attorney for Intervenor: _____
Name of Custody Mediator: _____
Date of Custody Order: _____
Judge (if any) who has heard previous custody matter(s): _____
Estimated Court time required: _____

I certify under penalty of 18 Pa. C.S.A. 4904, relating to Unsworn Falsification to Authorities, that a copy of this Request was mailed to all parties or counsel of record on the _____ day of _____, _____ by first class mail, postage prepaid.

By: _____

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	:	
Defendant	:	
	:	
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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

This form is associated with the pleading titled _____, dated _____, 20__.

I certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the *Public Access Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania: Case Records of the Appellate and Trial Courts* that require filing confidential information and documents differently than non-confidential information and documents.

Signature

Date

Name: _____

Attorney No. (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____