
Name

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IN THE _____ JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
OF _____ COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH

_____ (court address)

_____,
Petitioner,

vs.

_____,
Respondent.

* **ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE**
* **APPEARANCE, CONSENT, AND**
* **WAIVER**
*
* Case No. _____
*
* Commissioner: _____
*
* Judge: _____

1. I am the Respondent in this case.
2. I have received and read a copy of the Verified Parentage Petition.
3. I understand that I have the right to have a Summons and the Verified Parentage Petition served on me if I were not to sign this Acceptance of Service, Appearance, Consent, and Waiver.
4. I understand that after service I would have the right to answer the Verified Parentage Petition within the time set out in the Summons (21 days if served in the state of Utah; 30 days if served outside the state of Utah) if I were not to sign this Acceptance of Service, Appearance, Consent and Waiver.
5. I understand that I have the right to retain an attorney to consult with me about this case, to review and advise me on all of the documents relating to this case and to otherwise assist and represent me in this case.
 - a. I am aware of the Modest Means Lawyer Referral Program administered by the Utah State Bar: <http://www.utahbar.org/members/lawyer-referral/modest-means/>

b. I am aware of the Self-Help Center at the Utah State Courts: 888-683-0009,
<https://www.utcourts.gov/selfhelp/contact/>

c. I am aware of the Utah State Courts web page for Finding Legal Help:
<https://www.utcourts.gov/howto/legalassist/>

6. I understand the allegations in the Verified Parentage Petition.

7. Being familiar with the requirements of the Summons and the allegations in the Verified Parentage Petition, and of my rights to seek legal advice of my own choosing, I voluntarily do the following:

a. I enter my appearance in this parentage action;

b. I consent to the personal jurisdiction of this court;

c. I waive the statutory time in which to answer or otherwise respond to the Verified Parentage Petition;

d. I consent that judgment by default may be entered against me at any time and without further notice to me in accordance with the terms of the Verified Parentage Petition;

8. It is my intention in signing this Acceptance of Service, Appearance, Consent, and Waiver that a Parentage Decree be granted to Petitioner in accordance with the terms of the Verified Parentage Petition.

(This document must be dated and signed in front of Notary Public or Deputy Court Clerk)

Date _____

Respondent's Signature _____

I certify that _____ (name),
who is known to me or who presented satisfactory identification in the form of _____
(form of identification), has, while in my presence
and while under oath or affirmation, voluntarily signed this document and declared that it is true.

Date _____ Sign here _____

Typed or printed name: _____

Clerk or Notary Public