IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COUNTY, ALABAMA
DOMESTIC RELATIONS DIVISION

Plaintiff	)	
	)	**CASE NO.: DR**
v.	)	
	)	
Defendant	)	

ORDER OF REFERRAL TO MEDIATION
IN THE PARENTS ARE FOREVER FAMILY MEDIATION PROGRAM

This matter comes before the court for appointment of a mediator to be utilized in this matter in conjunction with the Parents are Forever Family Mediation Program ongoing through the Alabama Center for Dispute Resolution, Inc. (Center) It is hereby **Ordered, Adjudged** and **Decreed** as follows:

1. That parties are ordered to participate in family mediation pursuant to §6-6-20 and §6-6-25 Code of Alabama (1975) and the Alabama Civil Court Mediation Rules **for the purpose of creating a parenting plan (covering parenting time, responsibilities, support of the children) and a financial plan specifically suited to their needs and the needs of their children. This plan will be submitted to the judge. Family income must be under $60,000. There must be minor children.**

2. Parties have selected _____as mediator. Mediator has the required 40 hours of divorce and family mediation training and is listed on the *Alabama State Court Mediator Roster as a domestic relations mediator*.

   Or
   Parties have 10 days to select a mediator with above qualifications and notify the court.

3. In mediation, attorneys and parents will work cooperatively and jointly with each other and the mediator toward the goals of a parenting plan and a financial plan. All financial and other materials requested by the mediator will be provided to the mediator prior to mediation.

4. Mediator is required to notify the Center to obtain a case ID number and copies of the forms that must be submitted for payment.

5. Upon completion of mediation, mediator shall submit confidential case summary and invoice to Center for payment.

DONE this day

09/2024