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STATE OF INDIANA)
) SS:
COUNTY OF _____)

IN THE _____ COURT
CAUSE NO. _____

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF:)
)
_____ (parent name) _____)
)
PETITIONER,)
)
AND)
)
_____ (parent name) _____)
)
RESPONDENT)
)
AND)
)
_____ (intervener name) _____)
)
INTERVENER(S).)

CHILD IN NEED OF SERVICES DISCLOSURE FORM

Comes now, _____ (name of party/parties filing this form) _____, and respectfully files a CHINS Disclosure Form. Pursuant to IC 31-17-2-26, this CHINS Disclosure Form hereby discloses to the Court, under seal, that:

1. A petition to modify or establish custody of the child(ren) has been filed by _____ (name of party/parties who filed to modify custody) _____ in this case.
2. The parties to this custody proceeding are: _____
_____ (names of the parties/adult people in this case) _____
3. I have knowledge that: (Check the box/fill in all the applicable sections)
 - A party to these custody proceedings in this case has been determined to be a perpetrator of a substantiated report of child abuse or neglect. The name of the party is: _____ (list names of applicable persons) _____; **AND/OR**
 - The child(ren) named in the petition for modification of custody in this case has/have been the subject of a substantiated report of child abuse or neglect; **AND/OR**

- The child(ren) named in the petition for modification of custody in this case has/have been determined to be a child(ren) in need of services under IC 31-34; **AND/OR**
 - The child(ren) named in the petition for modification of custody in this case has/have been involved in an informal adjustment under IC 31-34-8.
4. I/we understand my/our duty under IC 31-17-2-26 to continue to keep the Court informed, in writing, of any changes to this information.
 5. I/we understand that if this information is not given to the Court, a hearing on the petition regarding custody may be delayed until the information is provided to the Court.
 6. I/we understand that the Court reviewing the petition to establish or modify custody of the child(ren) may request information from the Department of Child Services regarding the custody petition or the proceedings described in IC 31-17-2-26(b).
 7. I/we understand that the Department of Child Services is required to provide a response, under seal, to the Court's request for information.

Date

Signature

Printed Name

Distribution:

Self-represented parties' names and addresses

Attorneys' names and addresses