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**SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR COUNTY OF YAKIMA**

**JUVENILE DIVISION**

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| In re Dependency of:     DOB: | NO.        declaration of ACTIVE EFFORTS |

I,\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, certify and declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct.

1. I am a social worker employed by the Washington State Department of Children, Youth & Families (DCYF).
2. I am the assigned social worker in this case. I have been assigned since \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
3. As part of my work on this case, I have requested and obtained the following information about the family’s Indian status:
   1. **Parent 1:**
   2. **Parent 2:**
4. After obtaining the above-mentioned information, there is reason to know/it is confirmed that the child is an Indian child as defined in RCW 13.38.040 and 25 U.S.C. § 1903(4), and the Federal and Washington State Indian Child Welfare Acts apply.
5. I have made the following active efforts in this case by actively working with the parent(s) to engage them in remedial services and rehabilitative programs to prevent the breakup of the Indian family. Those efforts include the following:
   1. **Phone Calls:** I have made the following attempts at phone contact with the family.
      1. Date of call- Parent 1/Parent 2 (and significant relatives if involved)- whether parent answered or not- if answered, topics discussed- if no answer, whether voicemail was left and what was referenced in voicemail.
      2. Repeat (i) for each phone call in last review period.
   2. **Text Messages:** I have sent the following text messages to known phone numbers for the family.
      1. Date of text message- Parent 1/Parent 2 (and significant relatives if involved)- brief description of content of message- whether parent answered or not- if answered, brief description of response.
      2. Repeat (i) for each text message in last review period.
   3. **Visits:** I have completed or attempted to have face-to-face contact with the family.
      1. Date of visit/attempted visit- Parent 1/Parent 2 (and significant relatives if involved)- where visit was attempted- if successful, brief description of topics discussed during visit.
      2. Repeat (i) for each visit/attempted visit in last review period.
   4. **Referrals:** I have completed the following service referrals for the family.
      1. Parent 1: List all referrals made for Parent 1, including where referral made, date referral made, staff names if possible, information that was passed on to parent.
      2. Parent 2: List all referrals made for Parent 2, including where referral made, date referral made, staff names if possible, information that was passed on to parent.
6. In addition to the aforementioned active efforts, I have made efforts to ensure visitation between the parents and child as follows:
   1. Parent 1: List all visitation referrals made, any transportation provided to either parent or child to/from visit, any resources provided to parent to get to/from visits.
   2. Parent 2: List all visitation referrals made, any transportation provided to either parent or child to/from visit, any resources provided to parent to get to/from visits.
7. In the last review period, I have provided or offered to provide the following tangible resources to the family:
   1. Parent 1: List all resources provided to parent (gas cards, cell phone, etc.) and what parent accepted/did not accept.
   2. Parent 2: List all resources provided to parent (gas cards, cell phone, etc.) and what parent accepted/did not accept.
8. In the last review period, I have made the following phone calls on behalf of the family in attempts to facilitate the engagement of services or resources:
   1. Parent 1: List all calls made to facilities, etc. on behalf of parent- who spoke to- brief description of purpose of call- result.
   2. Parent 2: List all calls made to facilities, etc. on behalf of parent- who spoke to- brief description of purpose of call- result.
9. I have conducted a diligent relative search for relevant family members in this case.
   1. I have identified the following relatives/potential relatives:
   2. I have made the following efforts to identify and contact relatives/potential relatives:
10. I have considered all culturally relevant resources available when referring and providing resources to the family.
11. I have made active efforts to involve the relevant tribes in this case. Those efforts include the following:
    1. **Contact with Tribe:** List all contact with tribal party in last review period, date contacted, method of contact (email, phone call, etc.) and brief description of content of contact.
12. In addition to the aforementioned efforts, I have engaged in the following actions that may be considered active efforts:
    1. Include any additional information about efforts/contact with other family members, time spent finding culturally appropriate activities/resources, etc.

Signed and dated at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Washington this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 202\_\_.

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DCYF Social Worker