

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CIVIL ACTION – LAW

_____,
Name Plaintiff, : Case No. _____
v. :
_____,
Name Defendant :

ORDER OF COURT

You, _____ (*name of Defendant/Respondent*) have been sued in court to (obtain / modify) custody of the child/ren: _____. (*Insert INITIALS of child/ren*).

You are ordered to appear in person in Courtroom #3 located on the 2nd floor of the Adams County Courthouse, 117 Baltimore Street, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania on _____ at 1:00 PM for a presentation of the pleading. If you fail to appear as provided by this order, an order for custody may be entered against you or the court may issue a warrant for your arrest.

You must file with the court a written verification regarding any criminal record or abuse history regarding you and anyone living in your household on or before the initial in-person contact with the court but not later than thirty days after service of the complaint or petition.

No party may make a change in the residence of any child which significantly impairs the ability of the other party to exercise custodial rights without first complying with all of the provisions of 23 Pa. C.S. §5337 and Pa. R.C.P. No. 1915.17 regarding relocation.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW. THIS OFFICE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE.

Adams County Court Administrator

Adams County Courthouse

117 Baltimore Street, 4th Floor

Gettysburg, PA 17325

717-337-9846

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BY THE COURT:

DATE : _____

JUDGE