

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

IN THE INTEREST OF:

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Case No: _____

_____ A MINOR.

Date of Hearing: _____

PARTIES PRESENT FOR HEARING:

Minor:

GAL for
Minor:

Mother:

Attorney for
Mother:

Father:

Attorney for
Father:

Other:

Attorney for
Other:

Case
Worker

DCFS
Legal:

ADJUDICATORY ORDER
[705 ILCS 405/2-21]

This matter comes before the Court for hearing on the date noted above with the parties indicated being present. The parties have been advised of the nature of the proceedings as well as their rights and the dispositional alternatives available to the Court. The case is called for hearing on the Petition for Adjudication of Wardship. The Court makes the following findings:

1. The Court has jurisdiction of the subject matter.
2. The Court has jurisdiction of the parties in that the Court file shows that:
 - a. The Minor has:

been served with a summons.
not been served with a summons but has entered an appearance and is under the age of eight (8) years old.

b. The mother of the minor has:

been served with a summons

been notified by publication.

not been served with summons, but service is not required because:

c. The father of the minor has:

been served with a summons

been notified by publication.

not been served with summons, but service is not required because:

d. The responsible relative / guardian / custodian of the minor has:

been served with a summons

been notified by publication.

not been served with summons, but service is not required because:

e. A diligent search has been conducted but the following cannot be found:

3. Those respondents who have been served with summons or by publication, and have not entered an appearance, are in default.
4. The guardian ad litem has had in person contact with the minor and with the foster parents or caregivers of the minor or
Upon motion of the Guardian ad Litem, the court finds good cause to excuse the required face-to-face interview. [705 ILCS 405/2-17(8)].
5. The minor is not abused, neglected or dependent.
6. The Court finds that the minor is abused or neglected as defined by 705 ILCS 405/2-3 in that the conduct toward the minor violates:

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| 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (1)(a) | lack of support, education, remedial care |
| 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (1)(b) | injurious environment |
| 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (1)(c) | drug exposed infant |
| 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (1)(d) | minor, under age 14, left without supervision for an unreasonable period of time |
| 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (2) (i) | physical abuse |

- 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (2) (ii) substantial risk/physical injury
- 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (2) (iii) sexually abused
- 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (2) (iv) tortured
- 705 ILCS 405/2-3 (2) (v) excessive corporal punishment

This finding is based on the following facts:

7.. The Court finds that the minor is dependent as defined by 705 ILCS 405/2-4 in that the minor:

- 705 ILCS 405/2-4 (1) (a) is without a parent, guardian, or legal custodian.
- 705 ILCS 405/2-4 (1) (b) is without proper care because of the physical or mental disability of a parent, guardian, or legal custodian.
- 705 ILCS 405/2-4 (1) (c) is without necessary and proper medical or remedial care through no fault, neglect, or lack of concern of a parent, guardian, or legal custodian.
- 705 ILCS 405/2-4 (1) (d) has a parent, guardian, or legal custodian who with good cause wishes to be relieved of all residual parental rights and responsibilities.

This finding is based on the following facts:

8. Upon admission or stipulation, findings of abuse, neglect, or dependency are reserved pursuant to a Continuance Under Supervision (705 ILCS 405/2-20):

9. The allegations of the Petition with respect to the minor have been proven by:

a preponderance of the evidence

clear and convincing evidence (if ICWA applies)

10. An Order of Supervision pursuant to 705 ILCS 405/2-20 is attached, and minor is returned to parents, guardian, or legal custodian, or continues in such custody, by agreement and an admission or stipulation is attached. Findings are reserved.

11. The minor is placed, or remains placed, outside the home, as it is contrary to the health, welfare, and safety of the minor to remain in the home, and reasonable efforts have been offered or engaged in by the responsible agency.

Therefore, it is the order of this Court that:

- a. The Petition is Dismissed and the minor is discharged.
- b. The dispositional hearing will be held:
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on _____ at _____
- c. The 30-day requirement of 705 ILCS 405/2-21 (2) is waived by the parties and the waiver is consistent with the health, safety, and best interests of the minor and approved by the Court.
- d. An investigation shall be made, and a report prepared by the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services detailing the physical and mental history of the minor, the family situation and such other relevant information deemed appropriate.
- e. The parents are directed to immediately contact the office of the agency preparing the investigation to make an appointment concerning the report. They are to provide the information requested and execute releases allowing the agency to collect information for the report.
- f. The report is to be submitted to the Court and the parties not less than seventy-two (72) hours prior to the dispositional hearing.
- g. Terms and conditions concerning the temporary custody of the minor remain as previously set forth in the Temporary Custody Order. (If custody is removed at the adjudicatory hearing, a written temporary custody order must be used.)
- h. The 2-25 Order of Protection entered against _____,

on _____, is incorporated herein.
- i. Case is set for hearing on _____, _____,

at _____ a.m. _____ p.m. for:

Progress Report

Status

Judicial Determination

Other

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j. **The parents are admonished that they must cooperate with the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services. The parents must comply with the terms of the service plan and correct the conditions that require the minor to be in care or they risk termination of their parental rights.**

Date Entered

Signature of Judge

Mother:

Attorney for Mother:

Father:

Attorney for Father:

GAL for
Minor:

State's Attorney:

Case Worker:

Attorney for Other:

Other:

DCFS Legal:

_____ is to send notice to the parties.