

# FORMS

## PETITION FOR MODIFICATION OF AN EXISTING CUSTODY ORDER

*IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED THAT YOU  
CONSULT AN ATTORNEY*

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\_\_\_\_\_ : IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
 Plaintiff (Name of Plaintiff(s) on Attached Custody Order) : DAUPHIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
 :  
 v. : NO. \_\_\_\_\_ CV \_\_\_\_\_ CU  
 : (Docket Number on Attached Custody Order)  
 : CIVIL ACTION - LAW  
 Defendant (Name of Defendant(s) on Attached Custody Order) : IN CUSTODY  
 Order)

ORDER OF COURT

AND NOW, upon consideration of the attached Petition for Modification of Custody Order, it is hereby directed that the parties and their respective counsel appear before the Custody Conference Officer on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_.m. at the Dauphin County Courthouse, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Front and Market Streets, Harrisburg, PA for a Custody Conference. At such Conference, an effort will be made to resolve the issues in dispute; or if this cannot be accomplished, to define and narrow the issues to be heard by the Court, and to enter into a Temporary Order. Children should not attend the Conference unless requested by the Custody Conference Officer.

For the Court,

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Custody Conference Officer

**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.**

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 Harrisburg, PA 17101  
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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Your Name)

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Your Address)

City \_\_\_\_\_, PA Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
(Your Telephone Number)

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Your Email Address)

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**PETITION FOR MODIFICATION OF A CUSTODY ORDER**

1. The petition of \_\_\_\_\_ respectfully  
 Your Name (You are the Petitioner.)  
 represents that on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ a Custody Order of Court was  
 (Date of the Custody Order Currently in Effect)  
 entered, **a true and correct copy of which is attached.**

2. The Plaintiff is \_\_\_\_\_, an adult individual currently  
 (Name of Plaintiff on Attached Custody Order)  
 residing at \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (Complete Mailing Address of Plaintiff)

3. The defendant is \_\_\_\_\_, an adult individual currently  
 (Name of Defendant on Attached Custody Order)  
 residing at \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (Complete Mailing Address of Defendant)

