

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA
FAMILY LAW DIVISION

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF:

Petitioner
and

CASE NO.:
DIVISION:

Respondent.
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FAMILY LAW STANDING PRETRIAL ORDER

The following Family Law Standing Pretrial Order ("Order") shall apply to both parties in an original action for dissolution of marriage. Service of this Order shall be made with service of process of a Petition for Dissolution of Marriage and shall be effective with regard to the Petitioner upon filing of the petition and with regard to the Respondent upon service of the summons and Petition for Dissolution of Marriage or upon waiver and acceptance of service. The following Order shall remain in place during the pendency of this action, unless modified, terminated or amended by further order of the Court upon motion of either of the parties:

1. Neither party shall sell, transfer, encumber, conceal, assign, remove or in any way dispose of, without the consent of the other party in writing, or without an order of the Court, any disputed property, individually or jointly held by parties, except in the usual course of business, for customary and usual household expenses or for reasonable attorney's fees and costs in connection with this action. This provision is not to be interpreted to control property which is co-owned with a third party. In such case, either party may file an appropriate motion with the Court with notice to all whose property rights may be affected.
2. Neither party shall incur any unreasonable or unnecessary debts, including but not limited to, further borrowing against any credit line secured by the family residence, further encumbering any assets, or unreasonably using credit cards or cash advances against credit or bank cards.
3. Neither party shall permanently remove the minor child or children of the parties over whom the Court has jurisdiction from the State of Florida, without written consent of the other party or an order of the Court.
4. Unless there is another order in effect, the parties shall share parental responsibility for any minor child(ren) of the marriage. The parties shall familiarize themselves with the provisions of the Santa Rosa County Shared Parental Responsibility Statement which may be obtained from the Clerk of the Court. Any timesharing schedule shall be established in writing. The parties may agree to any timesharing schedule they believe is in the best interest of the child(ren). Absent a written agreement to the contrary, each

parent shall have equal time (50%) with the minor child(ren) and each parent shall cooperate to facilitate equal timesharing (50%) with the minor child(ren) until further order of this Court. Parents are cautioned that in determining primary residence of the minor child(ren), one factor the Court will consider is the parent who is more likely to allow the child(ren) frequent and continuing contact with the other parent as set forth above. For cases in which child abuse and/or neglect is alleged by a party against the other parent, that party shall promptly file the appropriate pleadings with the Court to seek immediate relief from the above timesharing schedule.

5. Absent a written agreement to the contrary, holidays shall be governed by the Santa Rosa County Shared Parenting Schedule, a copy of which may be obtained from the Clerk of Court. For purposes of interpreting the schedule, the Petitioner shall follow the schedule for the primary residential parent (PRP) and the Respondent shall follow the schedule for the secondary residential parent (SRP). This provision shall not be construed in any way to mean that the Court is designating the Petitioner as the primary residential parent of the minor child(ren).
6. Neither party shall cause the other party or the child(ren) of the marriage to be removed from any medical, hospital and/or dental insurance coverage, and each party shall maintain the existing medical, hospital and dental insurance coverage in full force and effect.
7. Neither party shall change the beneficiaries of any existing life insurance policies, and each party who has traditionally paid the following shall maintain existing life insurance, automobile insurance, homeowner's or renter's insurance policies in full force and effect.
8. If the parties have a child or children, a party vacating the family residence shall notify the other party or the other party's attorney, in writing, within forty-eight (48) hours of such move, of an address and telephone number where the relocated party can receive communication. This provision shall not apply if there is a conflicting court order.
9. Failure to obey this Order may be punishable by contempt of court. If you wish to modify this Order, you must file an appropriate motion with the Santa Rosa County Family Law Clerk's Office.

DONE AND ORDERED at Milton, Santa Rosa County, Florida this _____ day of _____, 200 ____.

CIRCUIT JUDGE