

MALISEET NATION JUDICIAL SYSTEM

IN RE: _____

TRIBAL COURT
Location: Littleton, ME
Docket No: _____

CASE MANAGEMENT/PRETRIAL ORDER

- as to parent one: _____
- as to parent two: _____

By prior Order in this matter or by Motion, Case Management Conference Pretrial was set for (mm/dd/yyyy) _____. Other than noted herein, all parties were fully seasonably notified of the pendency of the proceeding. Judge _____ presided over these proceedings.

1. Parties Present:

- Parent One _____ Parent One Attorney _____
- Parent Two _____ Parent Two Attorney _____
- DSS Representative _____ DSS Attorney _____
- Youth _____ GAL _____
- Relative _____ Participant _____
- Other _____ Intervenor _____

2. Case Status/other hearings held in conjunction with this conference:

- Preliminary Hearing Judicial Review Termination Motion
- Jeopardy Perm. Planning Post-TPR Adoption
- Reinstatement of PRR

3. Preliminary Issues:

- A. Service of Process
 - Completed on all parties
 - Incomplete in: _____
- B. Age appropriate youth was was not notified of this proceeding.
- C. Department has has not filed a copy of notice of this proceeding provided to the resource family (i.e foster parents, pre-adoptive parents, and/or relative caregivers).
 - The Court hereby directs that notice be provided to _____ as follows: _____.
- D. Child(ren) entered foster care on (mm/dd/yyyy) _____
- E. Date of GAL's last visit with child(ren) (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

GAL's last report dated (mm/dd/yyyy) _____. The report of the GAL
 was was not admitted into evidence and has been circulated to the parties.

F. There are ancillary actions pending in _____ Court regarding
contact between/among parties and others involved in this case.

G. Financial affidavits:

completed and filed by parent _____ parent _____
 parent _____ parent _____ to file by (mm/dd/yyyy)

H. Placement:

No placement issues
 Alternative placement suggested
 non-custodial parent: _____
 relative/other resource: _____
 other: _____
 Interstate Compact study required on: _____

I. Paternity:

No paternity issues Paternity issue regarding: _____
 Paternity tests to be completed by (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

4. Order currently in place:

Custody to the Department of Social Services
 Reunification required with: _____
 No reunification required with: _____
 Custody to parents parent one parent two other: _____
 with conditions as specified.
 Permanent plan established
 Parental rights of parents parent _____
 parent _____ terminated

5. Evaluations/Services ordered by Court: _____

6. Child(ren)'s Needs:

All necessary services in place
 To be arranged: _____
 Child(ren) is/are in school _____ is/are not in school _____
 Educational liaison regarding school issues: _____

7. Special Considerations:

Interpreter required for: _____
 Habeas required for: _____
 Other: _____

8. Unresolved Issues:

- Jeopardy Services Compliance with reunification plan
- Placement Visitation Other: _____

9. Witnesses and Exhibits:

Estimated number of witnesses: _____ DSS _____ GAL _____ Intervenor _____ Other _____
 _____ Parent: _____
 _____ Parent: _____

10. Estimated Time Required for Trial: _____ days hours

11. Special Scheduling Considerations:

- 120 days expire (*mm/dd/yyyy*): _____
- Other: _____
- A good cause extension to the 120-day deadline was granted on _____ and the jeopardy hearing will be set for no later than _____.

12. Discovery shall be completed in a manner that ensures trial is not delayed. Failure to complete discovery shall not delay trial nor constitute grounds for a continuance.

13. Counsel shall file and exchange a list of witnesses and exhibits and copies of proposed exhibits, and/or an updated Child Protection Financial Affidavit:

- Ten days prior to trial
- Other: _____

14. Parties shall timely execute any “release of information” forms necessary for the full exchange of information among counsel, caseworker and GAL.

15. All exhibits, other than those intended for rebuttal, must be pre-marked and exchanged with all counsel in advance of trial.

16. Other issues:

- Written reports and evaluations shall be admitted into evidence in lieu of direct testimony of the authors provided the proponent makes the author available for cross examination.
- Other: _____
- GAL shall file written report by (*mm/dd/yyyy*) _____

17. A settlement conference shall be held

- on (*mm/dd/yyyy*) _____ at _____ a.m. p.m.
- as arranged by the parties.

18. Other: _____

PLEASE NOTE: Any objection to this Order shall be filed with this Court within ten (10) days from the date hereof or be deemed waived.

The clerk shall enter the following in the docket:

- Case Management/Pretrial Order dated (mm/dd/yyyy) _____ filed.
- A _____ hearing is set for (mm/dd/yyyy) _____ at _____ a.m. p.m.
- Trial in this matter is:
 - set for (mm/dd/yyyy) _____ at _____ a.m. p.m.
 - other: _____
- _____ was added as a _____ party in this case.

In accordance with M.R.Civ.P. 79(a), this Order is incorporated in the docket by reference at the specific direction of the Court.

Date: _____

Judge, Tribal Court

A True Copy Attest: _____, Clerk

SERVICE OF ORDER

The parties have been provided with copies of the Order by sending a copy by ordinary mail to the following individuals:

- PINDSS Attorney
- Guardian ad litem
- Attorney for parent one/parent one self-represented
- Attorney for parent two/parent two self-represented
- Intervenor: _____
- Other: _____

Date: _____

Clerk, Tribal Court