

**GUILTY PLEA ACKNOWLEDGMENT
(INDIRECT CONTEMPT FOR WILLFULLY FAILING TO PAY CHILD SUPPORT)**

CASE NUMBER: _____

CASE STYLE: _____

RESPONDENT'S TRUE AND CORRECT LEGAL NAME: _____

OTHER NAMES USED BY RESPONDENT: _____

RESPONDENT'S ADDRESS: _____

RESPONDENT'S DATE OF BIRTH: _____

RESPONDENT'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____

DATE OF PLEA: _____

QUESTIONS:

(Mr.) (Ms.)

Are you electing to proceed in this quasi-criminal process without the benefit of legal counsel? YES/NO

Do you understand that you will be held to the same standard as if you were represented by legal counsel? YES/NO

Are you under the influence of any substance that interferes with your ability to understand what is occurring here today? YES/NO

Are you currently taking any medication? YES/NO

1. Does that medication impair your ability to understand what is going on around you? YES/NO

Have you ever been hospitalized for mental illness? YES/NO

1. Are you under a doctor's care now? YES/NO

Do you understand why you are here today? YES/NO

Do you understand that you have been cited for indirect contempt of court for willfully failing to pay child support as ordered by the court? YES/NO

Do you wish to give up your absolute right to trial and enter a guilty plea to this charge? YES/NO

Do you understand that you are giving up your absolute right:

1. To force the Moving Party to bring witnesses into this court to prove by clear and convincing evidence that you willfully failed to pay child support as ordered by the court? YES/NO

2. To confront the Moving Party's witnesses at trial? YES/NO

3. To bring your own witnesses into court and present testimony in defense of these allegations to prove, by a preponderance of the evidence, that you did not willfully fail to pay child support or that your non-compliance of the court order should be excused? YES/NO

Do you understand your right to appeal if you elected to go to trial and were found guilty of indirect contempt of court? YES/NO

Did anyone promise you anything, threaten you, or attempt to force you into giving up your rights today? YES/NO

Are you freely and voluntarily entering this guilty plea because you are guilty and for no other reason? YES/NO

The terms of the plea agreement are: _____

Do you understand and agree with the terms of the plea agreement? YES/NO

I, the Respondent have read this Plea Acknowledgment and affirm the answers to the questions asked by Judge _____, as reflected on this form.

Respondent _____

Date _____

APPROVED BY:

Movant _____

Date _____

Counsel for Movant _____

Date _____

THE COURT FINDS AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS: _____

Judge : _____

Date: _____