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Cause No. _____

§ In the *(check one)*:
§
§ _____ District Court
§
§ County Court at Law No. ____
§
§ _____ County, Texas

Motion to Modify Temporary Orders

Print your answers
My name is:

First Middle Last

I am the Petitioner Respondent in this case.

The other party's name is:

First Middle Last

I ask the Court to modify temporary orders that were issued on _____
and in support show the following: *(check all that apply)* *(date)*

- 1. Temporary Conservatorship (Custody).** Since the issuance of the Temporary Orders, circumstances have materially and substantially changed, and modification of conservatorship has become necessary for the safety and welfare of the child[ren] in this case. It is requested that conservatorship in the Temporary Orders be changed for the following reasons: *(state specific reasons)*

I ask the court to modify temporary conservatorship orders naming: *(Check a, b, c, or d)*

a. Mother and Father Temporary Joint Managing Conservators with:

(If you checked a, check a-1 or a-2)

a-1. Father having the exclusive right to determine the residence of the children within the following geographic area: *(Check one box below)*

- this county this county or counties adjacent to this county
 in Texas anywhere other _____

a-2. Mother having the exclusive right to determine the residence of the children within the following geographic area: *(Check one box below)*

- this county this county or counties adjacent to this county
 in Texas anywhere other _____

b. Mother Temporary Sole Managing Conservator

c. Father Temporary Sole Managing Conservator

d. Other: _____

2. Temporary Possession and Access (Visitation). Since the issuance of the Temporary Orders, the orders relating to possession of and access to the child[ren] have become unworkable and are no longer in the best interest of the child[ren] because: *(state specific reasons)*

I ask that temporary possession and access be modified as follows: *(check a, b, c, d, or e)*

- a. Children should live primarily with Mother; Father should have the children at the times set out in the Texas Family Code's Standard Possession Order (See Texas Family Code Chapter 153, Subchapter F.)
- b. Children should live primarily with Father; Mother should have the children at the times set out in the Texas Family Code's Standard Possession Order (See Texas Family Code Chapter 153, Subchapter F.)
- c. The Texas Family Code's Standard Possession Order would be unworkable or inappropriate. Possession and access to the children should be as set out in the attached "*Proposed Possession Order*"
- d. One or more of the children is under 3. Until the child turns 3, possession should be as set out in the attached "*Proposed Possession Order for Child Under 3.*"
- e. I am concerned about my safety or the safety of the children when with the other parent. Therefore, I ask that: *(If you checked e, check all that apply below)*
 - e-1. exchanges of the children be supervised, or in the alternative, be in a public place
 - e-2. the other parent's possession of the children be limited to day visits
 - e-3. the other parent's possession of the children be supervised
 - e-4. the other parent has no right to possession or access to the children
 - e-5. the other parent be ordered not to use alcohol or illegal drugs 24 hours prior to or during possession of the children
 - e-6. the other parent's possession and access to the children be restricted as follows: _____

3. Temporary Child Support. Since the issuance of the Temporary Orders, financial circumstances have materially changed. It is requested that the child support provided in the Temporary Orders be changed for the following reasons:
(state specific reasons)

I ask the court to modify temporary child support orders as follows: *(check a, b, or c)*

a. Father should pay guideline child support, health insurance premiums for coverage of the children and _____% of the children's uninsured medical expenses.

b. Mother should pay guideline child support, health insurance premiums for coverage of the children and _____% of the children's uninsured medical expenses.

c. Other: _____

4. Temporary Orders Regarding Use of Property & Payment of Debt. Since the issuance of the Temporary Orders, circumstances have materially and substantially changed regarding property and modification is necessary for the preservation of property and/or protection of the parties. It is requested that orders regarding property be changed for the following reasons: *(state specific reasons)*

I ask the Court to modify the Temporary Orders regarding use of property and payment of debt as follows: *(Check any applicable boxes)*

I ask that the Court give temporary exclusive use and possession of the following property:

To me: Residence located at: _____

 Vehicle described as: _____
 Other: _____

To my spouse: Residence located at: _____

 Vehicle described as: _____
 Other: _____

I ask that the Court order the timely payment of the debts listed below:

Debts to be paid by me:

Debt and name of creditor	Monthly Amount Owed
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Debts to be paid by my spouse:

Debt and name of creditor	Monthly Amount Owed
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

5. Other Temporary Orders. Since the issuance of the Temporary Orders, circumstances have materially changed. It is requested that other orders that were issued that have not already been discussed above be changed for the following reasons: *(state specific reasons)*

I ask the Court to modify other temporary orders as follows:

I pray that the Court grant the Motion to Modify Temporary Orders.

Respectfully submitted,



Your Signature

Date

Your Printed Name

Phone

Mailing Address

City

State

Zip

Email Address

Fax # (if any)

Notice of Hearing

The above motion is set set for a hearing on the ____ day of _____,
20____, at _____ a.m. / p.m.

The hearing will be held in the _____
(Court)
located at _____
(Court's Location)

Signed this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Judge or Clerk

Certificate of Conference *(check one)*

I certify that I telephoned the other party's attorney or the other party (if the other party does not have an attorney), three times, but my phone calls were never returned. Therefore, we were not able to reach an agreement.

I certify that I telephoned the other party's attorney or the other party (if the other party does not have an attorney) and we were not able to reach an agreement.



Signature

Date

Certificate of Service

I certify that I delivered a copy of this document to each party in this case, or if a party is represented by a lawyer to the party's lawyer, by: *(Check one or more)*

Hand delivery to the other party _____

Hand delivery to the other party's lawyer _____

Email to this email address _____

Regular mail to this address: _____

Certified mail to this address: _____

Commercial delivery service (for example FedEx) to this address: _____

Fax to fax #: _____



Signature

Date