

**IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF BRADLEY COUNTY, TENNESSEE**  
**AFFIDAVIT OF INDIGENCY & APPOINTMENT ORDER**

Docket number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Before the Honorable \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_  
 Court of Bradley County, Tennessee, I make oath that because of my poverty, I am unable to bear the expense  
 of this case and that I am entitled the relief sought and that to the best of my belief the following facts support  
 my poverty:

Full legal name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

My employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I have had the Public Defender in other cases: Yes No I don't know || If yes, When \_\_\_\_\_

**I am requesting the following relief (check what applies):**

- Reduced fee mediation  Reduced court costs  Appointed attorney  
 Appointed attorney for my child/children

**My expenses per month:**

**Property that I own:**

	Amount
Rent/Home	
Gas/Transport	
Food/Groceries	
Medical/Dental	
Childcare	
Other	
Other	
<b>Total</b>	

	Amount
Vehicle(s)	
Boat(s)	
Jewelry	
Camper(s)	
Home / Furnishings	
Other	
Other	
<b>Total</b>	

**My debts:**

**My income (per month):**

Who I owe	Amount
<b>Total</b>	

My job	
My job after taxes	
Disability	
Workers' Comp	
Child Support	
Unemployment	
Other	
<b>Total</b>	

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing answers are true, correct, and complete to the best  
 of my knowledge and that I am financially unable to pay for the cost of this Court action.

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature

**ORDER**

This cause came before the Court upon affidavit of indigency completed by the affiant. Whereupon, based upon the pleading being filed and testimony of the party, the Court **FINDS** as follows:

- The affiant is an  indigent person  partially indigent person.
- The affiant is NOT an indigent person as defined by law.

It is therefore **ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED** as follows:

1. That the affiant is granted the following:
  - Reduced fee mediation (to be completed by separate order)
  - Reduced court costs
  - Appointed attorney  Appointed attorney for my child/children
  - No relief if granted pursuant to findings above
2.  \_\_\_\_\_, an attorney in good standing, is appointed as  counsel  Guardian Ad Litem for \_\_\_\_\_, who was found to be indigent and/or entitled to appointed counsel, and he/she shall be compensated at the rate set by Supreme Court Rule 13 and paid by the Administrative Office of the Courts. Appointed counsel shall represent the respondent in the following matters, unless relieved of this appointment by this court in a subsequent order:
  - from the filing of the dependency petition through disposition;
  - in post disposition, foster care review and permanency proceedings;
  - from the filing of the termination of parental rights petition to conclusion of that trial;
  - on appeal to circuit court
  - on appeal to the Tennessee Court of Appeals and/or Tennessee Supreme Court.

For purposes of compensation pursuant to Rule 13, each of the above is considered a separate proceeding. Counsel is entitled to submit separate claim forms for each proceeding and to be compensated up to the maximum amount allowed for each case as if it were the result of a separate appointment. Counsel is entitled to reimbursement for expenses reasonably necessary to the representation provided in this matter, including long distance telephone calls (which must be supported by a log showing the date, the person called, the purpose and duration of the call), copying, postage, printing and travel within the state. Counsel may be reimbursed for other expenses necessary to the effective representation of the responded only upon filing a motion and receiving prior approval by this court in accordance with Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 13, Sec. 4, (a)(2).

3.  The affiant is ordered to pay into the clerk of court the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ per  month  week until the total sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is paid in full.
4. **OTHER** \_\_\_\_\_

**ENTER** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**JUDGE/MAGISTRATE**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, hand-delivered, e-mailed, faxed and/or deposited in the U. S. mail, with sufficient postage thereon, a copy of the foregoing addressed to:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk