<div align="center">**CASE NO.**</div>

	IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
vs.	**HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS**
	JUDICIAL DISTRICT

<div align="center">**ORDER OF REFERRAL TO MEDIATION**</div>

Pursuant to Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code Ann. §154.001, et seq. and Rule 6 of the Rules of Judicial District Courts of Harris County, Texas Family Trial Division, the cause is hereby ORDERED referred to mediation. The parties;

☐ shall report immediately to;

☐ Harris County Domestic Relations Office, Family Court Services Division, Intake Offices, 17th Floor, Civil Courthouse, 201 Caroline, Houston, Texas (713-755-5706) for screening.

☐ Harris County Dispute Resolution Center, 1302 Preston, Suite 100, Houston, Texas (713-755-8274).

<div align="center">**AND ALL PARTIES SHALL BEGIN MEDIATION;**</div>

☐ as directed;
☐ Prior to trial currently set on .

☐ It is ORDERED that is appointed mediator in this cause.

It is ORDERED that the parties and attorneys of record shall timely and fully cooperate with all reasonable requests of the mediator. No subpoenas, citations, writs or other process shall be served at or near the location of the mediation upon any person entering, leaving or attending the mediation. Upon completion of the mediation the mediator is directed to advise the court in writing, when the process was completed, whether the parties appeared as directed, whether attorneys appeared and whether a settlement, in whole or in part resulted. The confidentiality provisions of Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code Ann. §154.053 and 154.073 shall be observed, and except as permitted by statute, neither the mediator nor the mediator's files shall be subject to subpoena or to a request for production filed by any persons.

If a settlement, in whole or in part, results, the parties/attorneys should soon thereafter as is practical, submit the settlement to the court for approval in accordance with Rule 11, Texas Rules of Civil Procedure and Texas Family Code § 6.602 and 153.0071.

MEDIATION IS AN ALTERNATIVE TO AND NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR TRIAL. THIS MATTER WILL BE TRIED IF NOT SETTLED.

SIGNED:

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Judge
District Court, Harris County, Texas