

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
RICHLAND COUNTY, OHIO  
DOMESTIC RELATIONS DIVISION**

\_\_\_\_\_,  
Plaintiff/Petitioner,

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

vs./and

\_\_\_\_\_,  
Defendant/Second Petitioner.

**REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL - CONTEMPT ACTION ONLY**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby request that the Court appoint counsel to represent me in the pending contempt action in this case. I hereby state under oath as follows:

- 1. I am filing an affidavit of financial disclosure with this request. I have fully and accurately listed all of my income, assets and liabilities on that affidavit. I am financially unable to retain private counsel without substantial hardship to me or my family.
- 2. I understand that I must inform my attorney if my financial situation should change before the disposition of my case.
- 3. I understand that if it is determined by the Court that legal representation was provided for me to which I was not entitled, I may be required to reimburse the Court, Richland County or the State of Ohio for the costs of representation provided.
- 4. I understand that I may be subject to criminal charges for providing false financial information in connection with this request for appointment of counsel.

State of Ohio  
County of Richland

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Party Requesting Counsel

Sworn to or affirmed, and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Approved  Denied

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge/Magistrate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date