

IN THE JUVENILE COURT FOR _____ COUNTY, TENNESSEE

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
) CHILD/CHILDREN UNDER
) THE AGE OF EIGHTEEN
 IN THE MATTER OF)
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)
 _____) DOCKET NO. _____

MOTION FOR FUNDS FOR EXPERT WITNESS

Comes now counsel for the respondent, _____, and, pursuant to the court's determination of indigency of the respondent and Tenn. Sup. Ct. Rule 13, Sec. 4, moves this Honorable Court for an order authorizing funds to be paid by the Administrative Office of the Courts to hire an independent expert witness in the area of [*expert's area of expertise*]. The service to be provided is: _____

_____.

The person providing this service is [*name, address, qualifications and licensure status*]. (If the expert is not located within 150 miles of the court where the case is pending, an explanation must be included of the efforts made to obtain the services of a provider within 150 miles.)

Counsel would show that this service is necessary to the representation of the respondent because [*provide in detail the reason for requesting expert services*].

This service will be provided [*date, time and location*].

[*Name of expert*] has agreed to perform the requested services for a maximum of \$ _____ and at a rate of \$ _____ per hour.* An affidavit regarding the itemized cost of the services and a curriculum vita of _____ are attached hereto.

Counsel requests approval to hire [*expert's name*], to be paid by funds of the Administrative Office of the Courts.

Respectfully submitted,

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and exact copy of this Motion was forwarded by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to the following persons on this the _____ day of _____, _____:
[*List the names and addresses of each attorney/person/party noticed.*]

* Attorney must review Tenn. Sup. Ct. Rule 13, Sec. 5(d) regarding the maximum allowable rates.