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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF LINCOLN COUNTY, MISSOURI
FAMILY COURT DIVISION

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF	)	
	)	
LAURA ROSE EDMISTON	)	
SSN: xxx-xx-[redacted]	)	
	)	
Petitioner,	)	
	)	Cause Number: 22L6-FC00170
v.	)	
	)	
JOSHUA AARON EDMISTON	)	
SSN: xxx-xx-[redacted]	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

JOINT AFFIDAVIT OF TESTIMONY
IN LIEU OF PERSONAL COURT APPEARANCE

Laura Rose Edmiston, Petitioner, and Joshua Aaron Edmiston, Respondent, of lawful age, being produced, sworn, and examined by counsel, deposes and states that the following is true and accurate:

1. The Petitioner is a resident of Lincoln County, Missouri, and has been a resident of the State of Missouri for more than ninety days immediately preceding the filing of this petition.

2. The Respondent is a resident of Lincoln County, Missouri and has been a resident of the State of Missouri for more than ninety days immediately preceding the filing of this petition.

3. The Petitioner is presently employed and her social security number is xxx-xx-[redacted]

4. The Respondent is self-employed and his social security number is xxx-xx-[redacted]

5. Both parties are more than 18 years of age.

6. The parties were married on or about September 8, 2007 and the marriage is registered in Lincoln County, Missouri.

7. The parties constructively separated on or about June 15, 2022.

8. There were four (4) children born of this marriage, to-wit: [redacted] currently residing with Petitioner and Respondent. Further, the minor children have lived with the Petitioner and Respondent for the past six months; the Petitioner and Respondent have not participated in any other litigation concerning the custody of the minor children in this or any other State; the Petitioner and Respondent have no information of any custody proceeding concerning the minor children pending in a court of this State or any other State; and Petitioner and Respondent know of no person not a party to the proceedings who has physical custody of the minor children or claims to have custody or visitation rights with respect to the minor children.

9. Petitioner is not pregnant.

10. Neither party is now a member of the Armed Forces of the United States.

11. There was separate and marital property and said property has been distributed as stated in the aforementioned Marital Settlement Agreement, attached hereto, and that such distribution is fair and equitable and not unconscionable.

12. We consent to the Judgment of Dissolution of Marriage being entered in this matter through this Affidavit without us being present.

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13. There is no reasonable likelihood that the marriage of the parties can be preserved and, therefore, the marriage of the parties is irretrievably broken.

14. Petitioner and Respondent waive and give up NOW AND FOREVER any maintenance from each other and assert that they understand that such a waiver is IRREVOCABLE if approved by the Court.

15. Both parties have signed the attached Marital Settlement Agreement and Parenting Plan marked as Exhibits "1" and Exhibit "2" and incorporated herein. Said exhibit provides for the division of all the marital property, custody, visitation and support. As a result of both parties signing the Agreement and Parenting Plan, there are no genuine issues to any material fact.

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LAURA ROSE EDMISTON

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) SS
COUNTY OF ST. CHARLES)

LAURA ROSE EDMISTON being duly sworn upon his/her oath, deposes and says that he/she has read the above and foregoing AFFIDAVIT OF TESTIMONY IN LIEU OF PERSONAL COURT APPEARANCE and that the facts contained therein are true and accurate according to his/her best knowledge and belief and acknowledges and voluntarily declares that he/she is executing the same as his/her free act and deed.

LAURA ROSE EDMISTON

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, this 3d day of November, 2023.

Notary Public
My Commission Expires:

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JOSHUA AARON EDMISTON

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JOSHUA AARON EDMISTON

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, this 8th day of November, 2023.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 06/22/2026

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