

IN RE:

Civil Action No. _____

The Marriage / Children Of:

Petitioner (First/Middle/Last) and _____
Respondent (First/Middle/Last)

PETITION AND NOTICE OF RELOCATION

NOTICE TO:

Name and address: _____

I, _____, the petitioner, hereby request to relocate from my current address pursuant to §48-9-403 of the West Virginia Code.

In support of my request to relocate I state as follows:

Information Regarding Planned Relocation

1. Under a court-ordered Parenting Plan, I have custodial responsibility for the children whose names and ages I have listed below.

Child's Name	Child's Age

2. I plan to relocate. I will be moving on or after this date: ____ / ____ / ____

3. I am not providing my new address and telephone number because I fear for my safety and the safety of my children. (If you checked this box you do not have to provide your address or telephone number below.)

My new address and telephone number will be:

4. I expect this relocation to be Permanent; Less than ninety days.

5. I am giving this Petition and Notice of Relocation to _____, who, along with me, has custodial responsibility for the children whose names are listed in Item 1. This person's current address and phone number are:

6. This Petition and Notice of Relocation _____ has been; _____ has not been provided to the other person at least sixty (60) days prior to my relocation date. (If less than sixty (60) days, explain why you were unable to give sixty (60) days notice:

7. I am relocating for the following purpose(s). Check all that apply (You MUST explain the purpose(s) for your move.)

to be close to immediate family;

for significant health reasons;

to protect myself, my children, or another member of my household from significant risk of harm;

to pursue a significant employment or educational opportunity; and/or

to be with my spouse who is established in a new location, or is moving to the new location to pursue a significant employment or educational opportunity,

I have have not lived with my spouse for more than _____ on year.

For all boxes checked explain in detail your reasons for moving:

8. Because of my relocation, I propose that the Parenting Plan's custodial responsibility arrangements be changed in the following ways:

I have; have not provided a modified Parenting Plan for review by the Court.

9. I believe the other parent with custodial responsibility under the Parenting Plan can reasonably accommodate the changes I have proposed in Item 8 in the following ways:

10. A hearing date should be scheduled thirty (30) days before my intended relocation, I intend to move on _____ / _____ / _____
(date of relocation)

A hearing date is needed immediatly due to the following reasons:

THEREFORE, the petitioner asks the Court to set this matter for hearing and grant the Petition and Notice of Relocation. Further the petitioner requests the Court to adopt the petitioner's parenting changes to the court-ordered Parenting Plan.

You must sign this Petition and Notice, and you must sign Verification that follows before a Notary Public or other authorized official.

Signature

Date

VERIFICATION

I, _____, after making an oath or affirmation to tell the truth, say that the facts I have stated in this Notice are true to the best of my personal knowledge and belief; and if I have provided information given to me by others, I believe that information to be true.

Signature

Date

This Verification was sworn to or affirmed before me on the _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

Notary Public/ Other Official

My commission expires: _____

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

State of West Virginia

County of _____

I, _____, state that I mailed a Petition and Notice of Relocation by first class United States Mail, postage paid, to _____ at the address of

on the _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

Signature

Date