

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA  
AT \_\_\_\_\_

In the Matter of: \_\_\_\_\_ )

A minor under 18 years of age. \_\_\_\_\_ )

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ )

CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DL

ORDER APPOINTING GUARDIAN AD LITEM

The court has determined that the best interests of the minor will be served by the appointment of a guardian ad litem in this matter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that \_\_\_\_\_ is appointed guardian ad litem (GAL) for the minor in this matter. The GAL shall investigate by interviewing the minor and persons having substantial knowledge of the minor; determine the need for medical or physical evaluation of the minor; attend hearings and offer testimony or evidence; and perform all other duties required of a GAL by law or court rule. The GAL shall be prepared to give recommendations to the court based upon his or her own observations combined with the information from other sources as to what course of action is in the best interest of the minor.

CONFIDENTIAL RECORDS: This order shall constitute a court-ordered release of information allowing the GAL access, without further court order, to confidential and privileged records and information pertaining to the minor. The GAL is authorized access to educational records, medical/psychiatric/psychological records, court records, juvenile justice records, child protection records, and financial records maintained on the minor. This order shall constitute the authority for officials in possession of such records and information to discuss their concerns regarding the minor with the GAL.

REPORTS: The GAL shall report at the request of the court at any stage of the proceedings.

DURATION: This order shall remain in effect through the delinquency proceeding unless the court orders otherwise.

Next Hearing: \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Instructions: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Effective Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judicial Officer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Type or Print Name

I certify that on \_\_\_\_\_

a copy of this order was sent to:

OPA  Minor/Attorney  GAL (if not OPA)  Parent/Guardian  DA

DJJ  \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk: \_\_\_\_\_