

IN THE _____ COURT FOR RUTHERFORD COUNTY,
TENNESSEE

AT MURFREESBORO

_____,

PLAINTIFF,

VS.

CASE NO. _____

_____,

DEFENDANT.

ORDER APPOINTING SPECIAL MASTER

This cause came on to be considered by the Court, *sua sponte*, upon consideration of the fact that a party in this cause has sought an interim order and upon consideration of the Court if the needs of the parties for an early hearing and recognizing the congested docket of the Court, and it appearing proper

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that reference is hereby made to the Honorable **JOHN A. W. BRATCHER**, Clerk and Master for Rutherford County, a member of the Rutherford/Cannon County Bar Association, and Mr. Bratcher is hereby appointed Special Master in accordance with the provisions of Rule 53 of the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure. The Special Master shall hear all interim issues previously filed in this cause to a conclusion and shall render his report as provided in Rule 53.04. In matters involving children, the Clerk and Master shall issue a temporary parenting plan pursuant to T. C. A. §36-6-403, which plan shall be effective from the date of the hearing as an Order of the Court. **Any Temporary Restraining Order previously issued in this matter shall remain in effect pending further orders of this Court.** Objections to the

Report of the Special Master may be made to the Court on the record upon argument of counsel for the parties on any motion day in accordance with the Local Rules for the Sixteenth Judicial District. Hearings in this cause shall be set for _____.

ENTER this the _____ day of _____, 20____.

CHANCELLOR/JUDGE

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby swear or affirm that a true and exact copy of the foregoing **ORDER APPOINTING SPECIAL MASTER** has been mailed via United States Postal Service to the following:

This the _____ day of _____, 20____.

DEPUTY CLERK AND MASTER