SUPPLEMENTAL PETITION TO PERMIT RELOCATION WITH MINOR CHILD(REN)

This checklist is designed to help persons seeking to represent themselves in court without the assistance of an attorney. It is meant to serve as a guide only. It is not guaranteed that either the instructions or the forms will achieve the result desired by the parties. It is not ensured that any individual judge accept each form drafted. Any person using these instructions and forms does so at their own risk.

Please note, the Family Court Case Management Self-Help Office provides procedural information and cannot give legal advice.

All forms listed below can be found at www.flcourts.org under Self Help, Family Law Forms, unless otherwise noted.

- **Supplemental Petition** *Form 12.950 (d)* Please read all directions and <u>complete the petition in its entirety</u>. Please pay particular attention to the following:
 - List substantial change in circumstances
 - List current mailing and physical address of intended new residence
 - Petition must be signed and notarized
- Disclosure from Nonlawyer Form 12.900 (a)
- **UCCJEA Affidavit** Form 12.902 (d) MUST include child(ren)'s residence for last five (5) years
- Notice of Social Security Number Form 12.902 (j)
- Family Law Financial Affidavit BOTH PARTIES MUST FILE (choose only one based on annual income)
 - Short form 12.902 (b) annual income under \$50,000
 - Long form 12.902 (c) annual income over \$50,000
- Designation of Current Mailing and Email Address Form (per A.O. A-2022-47)
- Certificate of Mandatory Disclosure Form 12.932
- Child Support Guidelines Worksheet Form 12.902 (e)
- Agreement for Relocation IF THE PARTIES ARE IN AGREEMENT Form 12.950 (a)
- **Parenting Plan** If both parties agree, please complete the Parenting Plan in its entirety. <u>Must be signed and notarized by both parties (or proposed by the filing party if parties are NOT in agreement) Please submit the <u>following:</u></u>
 - Relocation/Long Distance Parenting Plan <u>Form 12.995 (c)</u>
 Note: Section VII Time-Sharing schedule <u>must be completed in its entirety</u>

Service of Process on Responding Party

Personal Service - Personal service is required if the party's whereabouts are known.

• Summons: Personal Service on an Individual - <u>Form 12.910(a)</u>
Alternatively, the Respondent may file an Answer to Petition and Waiver of Service of Process. (<u>FORM 12.903(a) OR 12.903(b) OR 12.903(c)(2)</u>) Forms are available at <u>www.circuit5.org</u>

<u>Service by Publication or Posting</u> - You <u>must</u> attempt personal service at the Respondent's last known address before filing an affidavit of diligent search.

• Affidavit of Diligent Search - Form 12.913 (b)

NOTE: This affidavit must be filled out completely with supporting documentation attached to the affidavit.

- **By Publication:** Must publish once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks in a publication in the county of the Court [See Florida Statute 49.10 (1)(a)]. PETITIONER RESPONSIBLE FOR PUBLISHING IN NEWSPAPER
- By Posting: If the Petitioner is found indigent by the Clerk of Court CLERK WILL POST FOR PETITIONER
- Notice of Related Cases <u>Form 12.900 (h)</u>
- **Motion for Default and Default** *Forms 12.922 (a and b)* Filed when more than twenty (20) days from service has passed and responding party has NOT filed an Answer
- Motion to Set Final Hearing Form available at www.marioncountyclerk.org

PLEASE DO NOT FILE THIS MOTION UNTIL ALL OF THE ABOVE ITEMS HAVE BEEN FILED