| Client              |  |
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| Date of Appointment |  |
| Referred By         |  |

# PATERNITY QUESTIONNAIRE

**CONFIDENTIAL** 

## PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

You are involved in paternity matter and have sought the advice of this law firm. In order to properly advise you, we need certain basic information about your situation.

In order to handle your case efficiently, and to minimize cost, we are asking you to complete this Paternity Questionnaire.

The following information is for the sole use of your attorney. All answers that you give will be held STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL, and will not be released to any unauthorized person. If you wish, this questionnaire will be returned to you when your paternity matter has been concluded.

Answer each question fully and accurately. Success in your case depends upon mutual confidence and complete cooperation between client and attorney. We cannot stress too strongly the importance of answering every question fully, even though it may be embarrassing, or you do not think it is important.

Even if you do not understand why a question has anything to do with your particular circumstance, answer the question and we will be happy to discuss its bearing.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

| Your full name:                 |  |   |                | Full name of other parent:                         |                  |                          |                                  |
|---------------------------------|--|---|----------------|--|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| First                           | Middle   | Last                                    |                | First  | Middle           | Last                     |                                  |
| Your prefer                     | red name, if any:  |   |                | Other parent's address:                            |                  |                          |                                  |
| Your addre                      | ess:   |   |                | Street   |                  |                          |                                  |
| Street                          |  |   |                | City, State, Zip                                   |                  |                          |                                  |
| City, State, Zip                | 0  |   |                | Indiana County:                                    |                  |                          |                                  |
| Indiana Co                      | ounty:   |   |                | Other parent's home phone number:                  |                  |                          |                                  |
| Your home                       | phone number:  |   |                | Other parent's cell phone number:                  |                  |                          |                                  |
| Your cell pl                    | hone number:   |   |                | Other parent's business phone number:              |                  |                          |                                  |
| Your busine                     | ess phone numbe  | r:                                      |                | Other pare   | ent's date and   | date and place of birth: |                                  |
| Your date o                     | and place of birth   | <u> </u>                                |                | Date   |                  |                          |                                  |
| Date                            |  |   |                | City, State Other parent's Social Security Number: |                  |                          |                                  |
| City, State                     |  |   |                |  |                  |                          |                                  |
| Your Social                     | l Security Number  | •                                       |                | Other parent's e-mail address:                     |                  |                          |                                  |
| Your e-mai                      | il address:  |   |                | Other pare   | ent's physical   | attributes               | <br>3:                           |
|                                 |  |   |                | Height   | Weight           | Hair Co                  | olor                             |
|                                 |  |   |                | Race   | Distinguishing   | g Marks                  | (i.e. tattoos, birthmarks, etc.) |
| give the Soc<br>(If the birth o | ist names and othe<br>cial Security Numbe<br>certificate(s) are in y<br>t on back of this page | er (SSN) for each<br>your possession, p | child. The     | Court requi  | res this informa | tion on all              | l pleadings filed.               |
| <u>Full Name</u>                | <u>Date Born</u>   | City, ST born:                          | <u>Gender:</u> | <u>ssn:</u>  | <u>School/O</u>  | occupation               | Resides<br>with:                 |
|                                 |  |   |                |  |                  |                          |                                  |

| Are any of your children disabled: $\square No \square Yes$ |                       |                    |                 |                   |  |                  |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--|------------------|
| If yes, please  | explain:              |                    |                 |                   |  |                  |
| Are you prese   | ently married? $\Box$ | Yes □No            |                 |                   |  |                  |
| If yes, please (  | give the name of      | your spouse and    | d the date of   | your marriaç      | ge:                                    |                  |
| Children you h  | nave other than t     | hose previously l  | listed: (Contin | ue list on back   | of this page, if necessary.)           |                  |
| Full Name   | <u>Date Born</u>      | City, ST born:     | <u>Gender:</u>  | SSN:              | School/Occupation                      | Resides<br>with: |
| Is your child(re  | en)'s other paren     | t married?         | <br>□Yes □No    | )                 |  |                  |
| _   | give the name of      |                    |                 | their marriaç     | ge:                                    |                  |
| Children the o  | ther parent has c     | ther than those I  | isted on pag    | e 1. (If more the | nan two children, continue lis         | t on back of     |
| Full Nam <u>e</u>   | <u>Date Born</u>      | City, ST born:     | <u>Gender:</u>  | SSN:              | School/Occupation                      | Resides<br>with: |
| Convicted of  | Criminal Offense      | You former see     | auso surront    | enouse (if an     | pplicable). $\square$ No $\square$ Yes |                  |
|   |                       | _                  |                 |                   | nt, or your current spouse (           |                  |
| Attorney's rep  | resenting either o    | of you? 🗆 No       | □ Yes           |                   |  |                  |
| If yes, please p  | orovide the attor     | ney's name and     | the nature o    | f the case:       |  |                  |
| Has there beer  | n a paternity actio   | on already filed l | by the other p  | parent? 🗆 Y       | 'es □No                                |                  |
| If not, are you v   | wishing to bring c    | paternity action   | nջ              |                   |  |                  |
| Are there any o   | attorney's represe    | enting either of y | ou in this cas  | e? □Yes           | □No                                    |                  |
| If yes, and an o  |                       | resent you or the  | <del>-</del>    |                   | vide the attorney's name (             | and who          |
| Was a Paternity   | / Affidavit execut    | ed at the time th  | ne child was h  | oorn or since     | that time? □Yes □No                    | )                |
| _   | nd do you have d      |                    |                 |                   |  |                  |

| Do you believe there is going to be a custody dispute? $\square Yes \square No$ If yes, please explain:  |
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|  |
| Are there babysitting/daycare expenses for your child(ren)? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No Amount per week: \$   |
| Will you be requesting that your child(ren)'s last name be changed? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No   |
| If yes, what will their name(s) be changed to?   |
| Has a paternity blood test or DNA test ever been conducted? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No If yes, when?   |
| If not, will you be requesting this test?  |
| Please state what parenting time has been exercised with the child(ren) in the past:   |
| Please state what parenting time you will be requesting in the future:   |
| If you are the custodial parent, please state what type of financial support has been given to your child(ren) by the other parent since the date of birth:                |
| If you are the non-custodial parent, please state what type of financial support has been given to your child(ren) by you:   |
| If you are the custodial parent, please state whether the other parent has ever contributed to the pre-natal, delivery, or subsequent medical expenses for the child(ren): |
| If you are the non-custodial parent, please state whether you have ever contributed to the pre-natal, delivery, or subsequent medical expenses for the child(ren):         |
| Do you currently have life insurance coverage on your life? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No   |
| Does the other parent currently have life insurance on their life?   |

#### **EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION**

| Your Employer:  |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
|---|-------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----|
| Address:  |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Occupation:   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Start Date:   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Gross Earnings: \$  | per               | Net Earnings \$                       | per                              |    |
| Gross annual wages for the prior year: \$   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Do you cover your children on your hea  | ilth, dental, and | d/or vision insurance plan?           | □Yes □No                         |    |
| (Circle which ones are applicable).   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Do you pay any health, dental, and/or v<br>from what you pay for yourself, and/or y |                   | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | en) to be covered (separat<br>No | le |
| If yes, what is the weekly contribution fo  | r your child(rer  | n)'s coverage? \$                     |                                  |    |
| Please list your previous employers for the employer – continue list on the back of | •                 | ars (if different than listed a       | bove): (If more than one         |    |
| Former Employer:  |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Address:  |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Occupation:   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Start Date:   |                   | Termination Date:                     |                                  |    |
| Gross Earnings: \$pe  | r                 | Net Earnings \$                       | per                              |    |
| Other parent's employer:  |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Address:  |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Occupation:   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Start Date:   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Gross Earnings: \$pe  | r                 | Net Earnings \$                       | per                              |    |
| Gross annual wages for the prior year: \$   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| Does the other parent cover your child(   | ren) on their he  | ealth, dental, and/or vision          | insurance plan?□Yes □1           | No |
| (Circle which ones are applicable).   |                   |                                       |                                  |    |
| If yes, do you know the monthly premiur   | m paid to cove    | er your child(ren)?                   |                                  |    |

| Please list other parent's pre<br>than one previous employe  |                | r the past five years (if different fro<br>he back of this page.) | m that listed above): (If mor | e |  |  |
|--|----------------|---|-------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Former Employer:   |                |   |                               |   |  |  |
| Address:   |                |   |                               |   |  |  |
| Occupation:  |                |   |                               |   |  |  |
| Date of Employment:  |                | Termination Date:   |                               |   |  |  |
| Gross Earnings: \$   | per            | Net Earnings \$   | per                           |   |  |  |
|  |                |   |                               |   |  |  |
| Your present spouse's current employer:                      |                |   |                               |   |  |  |
| Your spouse's earnings from                                  | prior year: \$ |   |                               |   |  |  |
| Other parent's present spouse's current employer:            |                |   |                               |   |  |  |
| Other parent's present spouse's earnings from prior year: \$ |                |   |                               |   |  |  |

#### LIST OF MONTHLY LIVING EXPENSES

| HOU  | SING                   |             | INFA | NT CARE                      |  |
|------|------------------------|-------------|------|------------------------------|--|
| 1.   | Rent/Mortgage          |             | 1.   | Diapers                      |  |
| 2.   | Gas & Electric         |             | 2.   | Formula/Food                 |  |
| 3.   | Telephone & Cell       |             | 3.   | Doctor/Shots                 |  |
| 4.   | Water                  |             | SCH  | OOL SUPPLIES (IF APPLICABLE) |  |
| 5.   | Sanitation             |             | 1.   | Lunches                      |  |
| 6.   | Cable                  |             | 2.   | Books                        |  |
| 7.   | Internet               |             | 3.   | Tuition                      |  |
| 8.   | Taxes                  |             | TRAN | ISPORTATION                  |  |
| 9.   | Insurance (Home)       |             | 1.   | Car Payment                  |  |
| 10.  | Lawn Care              |             | 2.   | Gasoline                     |  |
| 11.  | Maintenance            |             | 3.   | Oil Changes                  |  |
| 12.  | Water Softener         |             | 4.   | Maintenance                  |  |
| 13.  | Pool Costs             |             | 5.   | Vehicle Insurance            |  |
|      |                        |             | 6.   | Car Washes                   |  |
|      |                        |             | 7.   | Vehicle Repairs              |  |
|      |                        |             | 8.   | License Plates               |  |
| GRO  | CERIES                 |             | MISC | CELLANEOUS                   |  |
| 1.   | Food                   |             | 1.   | Church Donations             |  |
| 2.   | Toiletries             |             | 2.   | Health Insurance             |  |
| 3.   | Paper Products         |             | 3.   | Doctor Visits                |  |
| 4.   | Cleaning Supplies      |             | 4.   | Dentist                      |  |
| 5.   | Other (list items)     |             | 5.   | Child Care                   |  |
| BEAL | ITY CARE               |             | 6.   | Newspapers, Books, Magazines |  |
| 1.   | Hair Cuts              |             | 7.   | Cigarettes                   |  |
| 2.   | Cosmetics              |             | 8.   | Dry Cleaning                 |  |
| 3.   | Other (list items)     |             | 9.   | Medicine                     |  |
| CIO. | THING                  |             | 10.  | Entertainment                |  |
| 1.   | Clothes                |             | 11.  | Extracurriculars             |  |
| 2.   | Shoes                  | <del></del> | 12.  | Pets                         |  |
| 3.   | Sporting Gear/Uniforms |             | 13.  | Other (list items)           |  |