

**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
FAMILY COURT**

In the Matter(s) of:

(Child's Name)

Case No. _____
Social File No. _____
X-Ref Number _____
Date of Birth _____

ORDER CLOSING ABUSE AND NEGLECT CASE

In consideration of all relevant information presented and in the child's best interests, jurisdiction in this matter is hereby terminated effective _____, 20____. because the case has been resolved through:

- REUNIFICATION:** _____ on _____.
- ADOPTION:** A final decree was entered on _____.
- CUSTODY:** Case No. _____ which was granted on _____.
- GUARDIANSHIP:** Granted on _____.
- EMANCIPATION:** The respondent, whose birth date is _____, has

reached the age of 21.

Upon consideration of the oral/written motion made/filed by _____

requesting that the neglect case of the respondent, who is 18 years of age or older, be closed and having heard from all the parties, the Court makes the following findings:

Accordingly, the Court finds that commitment is no longer necessary to safeguard the child's welfare and that the child's best interests are better served by terminating the child's commitment.

The Clerk of the Neglect and Abuse Branch of the D.C. Superior Court shall note that the case involving the above referenced respondent is hereby closed,

It is so **ORDERED**.

Date

Magistrate/Associate Judge
(Signed in Chambers)

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