SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
FAMILY COURT
DOMESTIC RELATIONS BRANCH

IDALIA JEANNETHE QUINTEROS FLORES,)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	**CASE NO: 2025 DRB 1774**
)**MAGISTRATE JUDGE BRESLOW**	
JUAN CARLOS RODRIGUEZ MARTINEZ,)	**NEXT EVENT: 8/07/25, 2:00 PM**
Defendant.)	

ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR ALTERNATIVE SERVICE BY POSTING

This matter is before the Court upon consideration of Plaintiff's Motion for Alternative Service by Publication via Posting on Defendant Juan Carlos Rodriguez Martinez. The instant case involves a Complaint for Sole Custody of one Minor Child, M.A.R.Q., and Motion for Legal and Factual Findings Regarding Minor Child's Eligibility for Special Immigrant Juvenile Status, both filed on May 30, 2025.

The Court is satisfied that Plaintiff has made a diligent investigation into Defendant's whereabouts for purposes of ordinary service of process. The search was not successful. Furthermore, Plaintiff has given an adequate explanation of why her economic situation should permit her to serve Defendant through posting rather than by publication.

WHEREFORE, it is, hereby

ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Alternative Service by Posting is **GRANTED**; and it is

ORDERED that Plaintiff is authorized to serve Defendant Juan Carlos Rodriguez Martinez, father of the Minor Child, M.A.R.Q., (DOB: 03/28/2007), by posting in the Domestic Relations Clerk's Office and on the Superior Court for the District of Columbia's website for a period of twenty-one (21) days, starting from the date of this order.

FURTHER ORDERED that if Defendant Juan Carlos Rodriguez Martinez does not file a responsive pleading within twenty-one (21) days after service pursuant to the Rules Governing Domestic Relations Proceedings, Rule 12(a), Plaintiff may file a motion for default and the Court may enter default by order and may convert the next hearing into a default/ex parte hearing to take testimony from Plaintiff and file a final judgment without Defendant Juan Carlos Rodriguez Martinez's participation, and it is

FURTHER ORDERED, that if Plaintiff is seeking a default judgment, prior to the next scheduling hearing, Plaintiff shall file an Affidavit in Compliance with the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that a hearing is scheduled in this matter for **Thursday, August 7, 2025, at 2:00 p.m.** before Magistrate Judge Julie R. Breslow in person in Hearing Room 99 of the H. Carl Moultrie I Courthouse, 500 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001. Failure to appear may result in a default judgment, sanctions, or dismissal; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant Juan Carlos Rodriguez Martinez may appear for the hearing in person Hearing Room 99 of the H. Carl Moultrie I Courthouse, 500 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001 or remotely via Webex. Instructions on how to appear remotely are

attached to this order. Failure to appear may result in a default judgment, sanctions, or dismissal; and it is

       SO ORDERED.

<u>July 7, 2025</u>
Date

                         Magistrate Judge Julie R. Breslow
                         Superior Court of the District of Columbia

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NOTICE OF CUSTODY PROCEEDING

JUAN CARLOS RODRIGUEZ MARTINEZ, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT a complaint for custody has been filed in the above-captioned matter.

IF YOU WANT TO CHALLENGE THIS COMPLAINT, you must file a written objection with the Court within twenty-one (21) days, and appear for the hearing scheduled for **August 7, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. on Webex 99** or **in-person in Courtroom HR-99 of the Moultrie Courthouse, 500 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001**, that will be held remotely due to the coronavirus pandemic. Instructions to appear remotely are stated below and can be obtained in writing by contacting the chambers of Judge Breslow at MagistrateJudgeBreslowChambers@dcsc.gov in advance of the hearing. If you do not file a written objection within twenty-one (21) days or appear at the hearing, default may be entered against you, the hearing may be converted to a default/ex parte proof hearing and judgment may be entered without further proceedings. Your objection should be emailed to FamilyCourtCIC@dcsc.gov, and directed to the Domestic Relations Branch Clerk, Family Court, Superior Court of the District of Columbia, 500 Indiana Avenue NW, Washington, D.C. 20001.

IF YOU DO NOT WANT TO CHALLENGE THIS COMPLAINT, you may consent to the relief sought prior to the hearing scheduled for **Thursday, August 7, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. on Webex 99 or in-person in Courtroom HR-99 of the Moultrie Courthouse, 500 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001.** For more information on how to file a Consent Answer, please contact the Family Court Self-Help Center by telephone (202) 879-0096.

FAILURE TO RESPOND IN THIS MATTER MAY RESULT IN THE ENTRANCE OF A CUSTODY ORDER WITHOUT YOUR PARTICIPATION.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN A REMOTE HEARING:

The Court prefers participation by video and below are two options to attend by video. If a participant does not have a device that allows for video participation, participating by telephone is acceptable, and there is one option to do so below. Should you encounter any difficulties, please email MagistrateJudgeBreslowChambers@dcsc.gov

PLEASE NOTE:

When you log in to the remote courtroom, there may already be a hearing in progress. Please wait for the courtroom clerk to address you and mute your video/phone whenever you are not speaking.

** Or**

The Courtroom may be "locked" and you will be put into a "lobby" and the Courtroom clerk will admit you to the courtroom at the appropriate time

To access the remote courtroom by computer with video (two options):
    (1) Open Web Browser in Google Chrome and copy and paste following address: https://dccourts.webex.com/meet/ctb99
OR
    (2) Open Web Browser in Google Chrome and copy and paste following address: https://dccourts.webex.com. Select JOIN, enter ACCESS CODE: **129 820 3161 # (you may have to hit # a second time)**

To access the remote courtroom by smartphone or tablet with video:
Go to App Store, Download WebEx App (Cisco WebEx Meetings), Select Join Meeting, Enter URL: https://dccourts.webex.com/meet/ctb99, enter your name and e-mail.

To access the remote courtroom by phone, no video:
Call 1 (202) 860-2110 and enter ACCESS CODE **129 820 3161#, then hit # again.**

Scan QR Code to Join: COURTROOM 99

INSTRUCCIONES PARA PARTICIPAR EN UNA AUDIENCIA A DISTANCIA:

El Tribunal prefiere la participación por video. A continuación, se presentan dos opciones para comparecer por video. Si un participante no tiene un dispositivo que permita la participación por video, se acepta la participación por teléfono, y se presenta una opción para hacerlo a continuación. Si tiene alguna dificultad, envíe un mensaje por correo electrónico a MagistrateJudgeBreslowChambers@dcsc.gov.

POR FAVOR TENGA EN CUENTA:

Cuando ingrese a la sala del Tribunal a distancia, es posible que ya haya una audiencia en curso. Por favor, espere a que el secretario de la sala se dirija a usted y silencie su video/teléfono en todo momento que no esté hablando.

O

La sala puede estar "cerrada". En ese caso, se le dirigirá a un "vestíbulo" y el secretario de la sala lo admitirá en la sala en el momento correspondiente.

Para acceder a la sala a distancia por computadora con video (dos opciones):
    (1) Abra el navegador web en Google Chrome y copie/pegue la siguiente dirección: https://dccourts.webex.com/meet/ctb99

O

    (2) Abra el navegador web en Google Chrome y copie/pegue la siguiente dirección: https://dccourts.webex.com. Seleccione JOIN (entrar) y escribe el CÓDIGO DE ACCESO): **129 820 3161 # (es posible que tenga que escribir # dos veces)**

Para acceder a la sala a distancia mediante un teléfono inteligente o una tableta con video:
Vaya a la App Store, descargue la aplicación de WebEx (Cisco WebEx Meetings), seleccione Join Meeting (entrar a reunión), escriba la URL: https://dccourts.webex.com/meet/ctb99, y escriba su nombre y correo electrónico.

Para acceder a la sala a distancia por teléfono, sin video:
Llame al (202) 860-2110 y marque el CÓDIGO DE ACCESO **129 820 3161# y marque # de nuevo.**