IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR COUNTY No. _____ NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF **SUPPORT ORDER(S)** Petitioner, VS. Respondent. To: Registering Party: Nonregistering Party: You are notified, according to Iowa Code Section 252K.605, et seq, that: 1. The State of Iowa, Department of Human Services, has registered the order(s) of support, together with any supporting documents and relevant information filed with the order(s) 1. The amount of the alleged arrears for the orders registered in this action is \$ as of as set forth in the accompanying documents. 2. □□ Current child support is per , which as of converts to \$. \quad The child support arrears are , which as of_____, converts to \$____. □ Current cash medical support is _____ per_____, which as of _____ converts to \$_____. □ Cash medical support arrears are _____, which as of _____ converts to

\$ \quad The child support and medical support arrears are , which as

2. This registration proceeding does not adjudicate arrears due under orders, including

lowa orders, which are not filed herein. The arrears □ include interest. □ do not

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include interest. The State of Iowa has reserved $\ \square$ the issue as to the amount of the past interest, if any, due on the unpaid support judgment(s) $\ \square$ any and all other support issues including, but not limited to, unreimbursed medical expenses, because at the time the Registration Statement or Letter of Transmittal Requesting Registration was filed it did not have sufficient information available to litigate other forms of support that may be at issue in this case.

3. The State of Iowa has requested □ registration for enforcement (subject to later modification if Iowa can assume continuing, exclusive jurisdiction).□ registration for modification. □ registration for modification and enforcement.

Registration alone does not make the order(s) subject to modification in Iowa. Whether the order(s) are or are not subject to modification in Iowa is contingent upon which jurisdiction has authority to modify pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 252K and 28 U.S.C. Section 1738B.

- 4. Take notice that, pursuant to Iowa Code Section 252K.603, a registered order is enforceable as of the date of registration in the same manner as an order issued by a tribunal of Iowa.
- 5. Take notice that, if you want to contest the validity or enforcement of a registered order in lowa, you must ask for a hearing in writing within twenty (20) days after the date of mailing or personal service of this Notice of Registration of Support Order. Your request for hearing must be filed with the Clerk of Court designated below. If you ask for a hearing to contest the validity or enforcement of this registered order, the Court will schedule the matter for hearing and notify the parties of the date, time, and place of the hearing.
- 6. Take notice that a party may try to vacate this registration by asserting any defense to an allegation of non-compliance with the registered order(s); or contest the remedies being sought; or the amount of any alleged arrearages; or the registration process and has the burden of proving one or more of the defenses under lowa Code Section 252K.607. To challenge the amount of the ongoing support order, you must file for modification in the state with continuing, exclusive jurisdiction, as the amount of the ongoing support is not subject to challenge in the registration proceedings.

- 7. Take notice that failure to contest the validity or enforcement of the registered order(s) or the registration process in a timely manner will result in confirmation of the order(s) by operation of law and enforcement of the order(s) **and the alleged arrearages** and precludes further contest of the order(s) with respect to any matter that could have been asserted and of the amount of the alleged arrearages.
- 8. This is your official notice:
 - a. The income of the payor is subject to immediate income withholding, according to lowa Code section 252D.8(1). Until the income provider withholds the required amount of support, it is the payor's responsibility to ensure payment is made to the Collection Services Center.
 - b. Child Support Recovery Unit (the Unit) may collect any accrued or delinquent support by any means provided by law, including, but not limited to, an interception of income tax refunds, attachment of liens, income withholding, and levy of accounts at financial institutions. When payments become delinquent in an amount equal to the payment for one month, according to lowa Code chapter 252D, the Unit may order the withholding for payment of support set at an amount in accordance with 441 IAC chapter 98, division II, or according to lowa Code chapter 252I, the Unit may execute an administrative levy on the payor's financial institutions.
 - c. According to Iowa Code section 252B.23, if support in arrears is referred to a collection entity, a surcharge may be assessed to the payor, and information may be provided to a collection entity for purposes of administering and enforcing the surcharge. The amount of the surcharge is a percentage of the amount in arrears.
- 9. Effective immediately, all sums paid according to the registered order(s) shall be payable to the Collection Services Center, P.O. Box 9125, Des Moines, Iowa 50306-9125, *and in no other manner*. Each payment must identify the Payor, Payee, Iowa District Court Number and the Collection Services Center case account number: #_____. Any payment sent directly to the Payee by the Payor shall be considered a gift and not credited to the support which is ordered. The giving of gifts or the purchase of food, clothing, or other physical property will not fulfill the obligation to pay support.