

Declaration submitted by: Name: Street Address: City, State: Telephone Number:	<i>FOR COURT USE ONLY</i>
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE Lamoreaux Justice Center – Juvenile Court 341 The City Drive Orange, CA 92868	
NAME OF CHILD: DATE OF BIRTH:	
DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST TO INSPECT AND/OR COPY JUVENILE COURT RECORDS WITHOUT A COURT ORDER (Welfare and Institutions Code § 827)	CASE NUMBER:

(1) I am or represent one of the following individuals and entities that may inspect, receive, and copy the juvenile case file without an order of the juvenile court pursuant to Welf. & Inst. Code § 827 and/or Miscellaneous Order of the Orange County Juvenile Court:

- The district attorney, a city attorney, or a city prosecutor authorized to prosecute criminal or juvenile cases under the law;
- The child who is the subject of the proceeding;
- The child's parent(s) whose parental rights are intact;
- The child's guardian(s);
- An attorney for a party, including any trial court or appellate attorney representing a party in the juvenile proceeding or related appellate proceeding;
- A judge, referee, other hearing officer, probation officer, and law enforcement officer who is actively participating in criminal or juvenile proceedings involving the child;
- The county counsel, city attorney, or any other attorney representing the petitioning agency in a dependency action;
- Member of a child protective agency as defined in Penal Code §11165.9;
- The California Department of Social Services in order to carry out its duty to oversee and monitor county child welfare agencies, children in foster care or receiving foster-care assistance, and out-of-state placements;
- The Juvenile Justice Commission;
- A judge, commissioner or other hearing officer assigned to a family law case involving the minor, or the following person, if actively participating in the family law case: A court-appointed mediator or evaluator conducting a court-connected child custody evaluation, investigation or assessment pursuant to Family Code §§ 3111 or 3118, and counsel appointed for the minor in the family law case pursuant to Family Code § 3150. **Counsel for the minor is required to provide a certified copy of the court order appointing him/her as minor's counsel.**

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(2) I am or represent one of the following individuals or entities that may inspect the juvenile case file without a court order and may receive a copy of the juvenile case file pursuant to a court order pursuant to Welf. & Inst. Code § 827:

- A member of the child’s multidisciplinary teams, person or agency providing treatment or supervision of the child;
- A court-appointed investigator who is actively participating in a guardianship case involving a child pursuant to the Probate Code, and acting within the scope of his/her duties in that case;
- A local child support agency for the purposes of establishing paternity and establishing and enforcing child support orders;
- An Indian child’s tribe, if the tribe has intervened in the child’s case;
- A Court Appointed Special Advocate, or CASA Administrative Personnel.

A Petition must be filed if copies of records are requested under number two (2) above.

No person or entity may copy or inspect confidential psychological, medical or educational information absent an order from the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court. Authorization for copies or inspection of a juvenile case file by persons or entities not listed (1) or (2) may be ordered only by the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court.

The records are held by:

- Juvenile Court Juvenile Probation Department Social Services Agency
- _____ Police Department or Law Enforcement Agency
- Other _____
- Attachment.

Attorney (Complete if Applicable)

State Bar # _____, Client (minor, parents, etc.) _____ Court _____

Client’s relationship to subject of juvenile records: _____

CONFIDENTIALITY REQUIRMENTS/ WARNING: Any records, reports or information obtained from the above juvenile records shall not be further released or disseminated to persons or agencies not otherwise entitled pursuant to Welf. & Inst. Code § 827. Said information shall not be attached to any documents without prior approval of the Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court, unless they are used in connection with adult criminal or juvenile court proceedings to declare a minor a dependent or ward of court.

I am aware of the above warning regarding dissemination of juvenile records. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that

Date: _____

Type or print your name

Signature

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