

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE INTEREST OF:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ A minor child

**ORDER APPOINTING ATTORNEY FOR INTERESTED PARTY**

Pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2205

Now, on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ is appointed attorney for \_\_\_\_\_, who has/have been determined to be an interested party(ies) pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2241, in the captioned proceedings.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge of the District Court

Attorney name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## Authority

K.S.A. 38-2205

## Notes on Use

If, at any stage of the proceedings, a person with whom the child has resided for a significant period of time within six months of the filing of the petition who has been designated an interested party, pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2241(d), desires but is financially unable to employ an attorney, the court may appoint an attorney for the interested party. The attorney appointed for the interested party shall continue to represent the interested party throughout the proceedings, including any appellate proceedings, unless relieved by the court upon a showing of good cause, or upon transfer of venue. The fees for the attorney may be assessed as an expense in the proceedings to be paid by the complaining witness, a person initiating the proceedings, a party or an interested party, other than the state, as determined by the court. Upon transfer of venue, the transferring court shall send to the receiving court a statement of expenses paid from the general fund of the transferring county.