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STATE OF INDIANA )  
 ) SS:  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ )

IN THE \_\_\_\_\_ COURT  
CAUSE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF: )  
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\_\_\_\_\_)  
 )  
PETITIONER )  
 )  
AND )  
\_\_\_\_\_)  
 )  
RESPONDENT )  
 )  
AND )  
\_\_\_\_\_)  
 )  
INTERVENER(S). )

**VERIFIED MOTION TO INTERVENE AND BE JOINED AS NECESSARY PARTIES  
AND PETITION FOR MODIFICATION OF CUSTODY**

Comes now, \_\_\_\_\_,  
and respectfully file my/our Verified Motion to Intervene and Be Joined as Necessary Parties and  
Petition for Modification of Custody. In support of these requests, I/we would respectfully show  
the Court as follows:

1. The following children were born during Mother's and Father's marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. The custody arrangement is as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Since the above custody arrangement was put in place, the following events have occurred: \_\_\_\_\_

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4. I/we seek intervention to request that the Court appoint me/us as Third Party Custodian(s) of the above named child(ren).

5. My/our address is: \_\_\_\_\_

6. I/we believe that the best interests of the child(ren) would be substantially and significantly served by placement with me/us based upon the following: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

7. I/we request that the Court permit me/us to intervene as necessary parties pursuant to Indiana Trial Rule 24(B) because I/we requesting to be appointed as third party custodian(s) for the child(ren).

8. I/we have a claim in common with the dissolution and custody proceedings in this cause.

9. I/we further request that the Court order the following parenting time for Mother and Father: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

10. The following parents have signed consents to my/our appointment as third party custodian(s) of the child(ren) by the Court, and the consents, if any, are attached to this Motion.

Mother's Consent     Yes             No  
Father's Consent     Yes             No

Wherefore, I/we respectfully request that the Court permit me/us to intervene in this matter, and schedule a hearing on my/our Petition to Modify Custody.

I solemnly swear or affirm, under the penalty for perjury, that the foregoing facts and representations are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Service

A copy of this Motion has been mailed to:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

On the following date: \_\_\_\_\_

By the following method: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_