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CIRCUIT COURT OF
SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

KRISTIN D. DEAN,
Plaintiff,

v.

JAMES E. DEAN,
Defendant.

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Case Number: DR 2015-900342.01

ORDER

On January 14 and 15, 2019, this case came before the court for trial and the Guardian Ad Litem's Motion for Contempt for Non-Payment of GAL fees.

The court heard testimony from both parties and received an updated invoice from Nicole Saia for Guardian Ad Litem Fees.

It is Ordered as follows:

On August 12, 2018, Defendant was ordered to pay Guardian Ad Litem fees to Theresa Terrebonne in the amount of \$3,000.00 to be paid within sixty days. Defendant has failed to pay this amount.

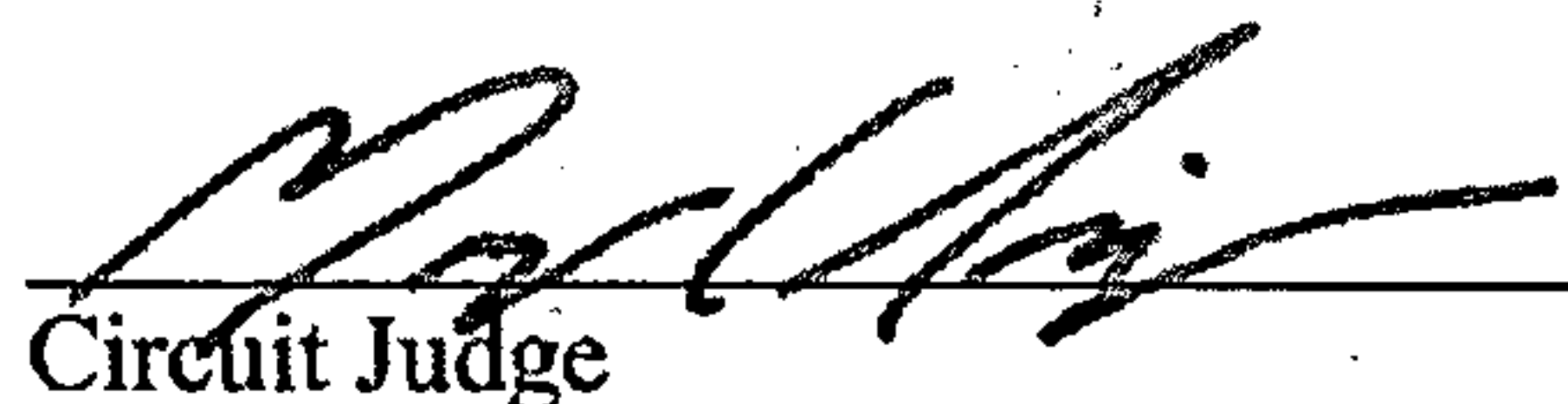
On August 16, 2018, Nicole Saia was court appointed as GAL and the court permitted Theresa Terrebonne to withdraw as GAL. Both parties were ordered to pay \$1,000.00 to the clerk of court within thirty days to be held as GAL fees for Attorney Saia. Plaintiff paid her portion, Defendant failed to pay this amount.

At trial on January 15, 2019 the court received a final GAL fee invoice from Attorney Saia for \$4,800.00. Counsel for both parties reviewed the invoice in open court and both stated they have no objection to the fee. Each party shall pay one-half of the balance due on or before February 22, 2018. Plaintiff shall receive credit for the \$1,000.00 held by the clerk of court. The clerk of court is holding the sum of \$1,000.00 as payment of initial GAL fee by the Plaintiff. The clerk of court is ordered to immediately disburse said sum to Nicole Saia, GAL.


A judgment is entered against the Plaintiff and Defendant for the Attorney Saia's GAL fee for which execution may lie. The GAL shall not seek execution so long as the parties comply with the payments as set forth herein.

A judgment is entered against the Defendant for Attorney Terrebonne's fee in the amount of \$3,000.00 for which execution may lie.

Done and Ordered this the 31st day of January, 2019


Circuit Judge

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Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL
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