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## Superior Court of Washington, County of King

In re Parenting and Support of:  
ELR, AWR, RSR

Petitioner:

VERONIKA GOODNIGHT,

And Respondent:

MATHEW RALIDAK

No. 20-3-03830-3 SEA

**Motion for Adequate Cause Decision  
(to change a parenting order)  
(MACD)**

### Motion for Adequate Cause Decision (to change a parenting/custody order)

#### To both parties:

**Deadline!** Your papers must be filed and served by the deadline in your county's Local Court Rules, or by the State Court Rules if there is no local rule. Court Rules and forms are available online at [www.courts.wa.gov](http://www.courts.wa.gov).

If you want the court to consider your side, you **must**:

- File your original documents with the Superior Court Clerk; AND
- Give the Judge/Commissioner a copy of your papers (if required by your county's Local Court Rules); AND
- Have a copy of your papers served on all other parties or their lawyers; AND
- Go to the hearing.

The court may not allow you to testify at the motion hearing. Read your county's Local Court Rules, if any. Bring proposed orders to the hearing.

#### To the person filing this motion:

You must schedule a hearing on this motion. You may use the *Notice of Hearing* (form FL All Family 185) unless your county's Local Court Rules require a different form. Contact the court for scheduling information.

#### To the person receiving this motion:

If you do not agree with the requests in this motion, file a statement (using form FL All Family 135, *Declaration*) explaining why the court should not approve those requests. You may file other written proof supporting your side.

#### 1. Request

My name is Mathew Ralidak.

I **filed** a *Petition to Change a Parenting Plan or Custody Order*. I ask the court to find adequate cause (valid reasons) and allow my case to move forward.

**2. Service of Summons and Petition**

The other party:

was or will be served with the *Summons* and *Petition* for this case by:

personal service in Washington state.

**3. Reason for request**

This request is based on the *Petition*, any *Response*, and the following other documents (if any) filed separately and served on all parties:

Other documents (*list*): 4/25/25 Protection Order, King County Cause #25-2-11308-6 SEA which states, "Protected party must file a modification order for the family court to consider." See *copy of the order attached to Decl. of MR, as Ex. A.*

A copy of my Declaration filed in support of my DVPO under King County Cause #25-2-11308-6 SEA. *Id.*, *Ex. B.*

**Person making this motion or his/her lawyer fills out below:**



Person making this motion **or** lawyer signs here

7/11/2025

Date

Jennifer Miller, WSBA 31600

Print name (if lawyer, also list WSBA No.)

2916 NE 55<sup>th</sup> St., Seattle, WA 98105

I agree to accept legal papers for this case at (*check one*):

[jennifer@legalbymiller.com](mailto:jennifer@legalbymiller.com) and [camdyn@familylawlt.com](mailto:camdyn@familylawlt.com).

\*Both address must be included for service to be deemed complete.

(If this address changes before the case ends, you **must** notify all parties and the court clerk in writing. You may use the Notice of Address Change form (FL All Family 120). You must also update your Confidential Information form (FL All Family 001) if this case involves parentage or child support.)