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| **In the Matter of:** | | **Superior Court of New Jersey** | | | |
|  | | **Chancery Division - Family Part** | | | |
|  | | **County of** | **- Select County -** | |  |
| **Child,** | | **Docket Number:** | | **FC -** | |
| NJSpirit Participant #: |  | **NJSpirit Case #:** | |  | |
|  | | **Civil Action  Order**  **Initial (15-Day) Court Order** | | | |

The court, having considered the information outlined in the Notice of Placement, with the **Independent Living / Residential Placement Agreement** signed by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20 , and other pertinent data attached thereto pursuant to *N.J.S.A.* 30:4C-50, *et seq.*, **hereby makes the following findings and orders on this date:**

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| 1. | Continuation of the child in the home  is /  is not contrary to the welfare of the child for the following reason: |

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| 2. | | The court hereby finds that with regard to Reasonable Efforts: | | |
|  |  | | A. | The Division of Child Protection and Permanency (Division)  has /  has not  made reasonable efforts to prevent the placement, as indicated on the attached  form, or as follows: |

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|  |  | B. | The Division alleges that it is not required to make reasonable efforts to prevent the placement, as per *N.J.S.A.* 30:4C-11.2, alleges |

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|  |  | C. | Additional information is required to determine whether or not reasonable efforts have been made. The following information must be provided within days: |

**Therefore, It Is on This Day of , 20 , Ordered That:**

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|  | 1.(a) | The placement is approved and the matter is referred to the Child Placement Review Board for review, on , 20 ,  **OR,** |
|  | 1.(b) | The out of home placement is **Not Approved**,and the child must be returned home.  **AND** |
|  | 2. | A Summary Hearing shall be held on , 20 , for the following reason(s): |

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|  | 3. | The Division must submit the Court Report (Form #26-81) and all case related evaluations/reports regarding the placement, case plan and history of Division involvement within 14 days. |
|  | 4. | Parents shall identify to the court and the Division all relative resources within 30 days. The Division shall evaluate all relative resources for the child within days. |
|  | And It Is Further Ordered That: | |

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| , J.S.C. |

**These proceedings are confidential. The disclosure of any records, reports or information is strictly prohibited and subject to the penalties of *N.J.S.A.* 9:6-8.10b.**

**Attorneys must review the form of order prior to exiting the courtroom. Failure to do so waives any objections.**

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| Notice: | The Division shall file notice with the Court within 5 days of any change in the child’s placement, case plan, case goal or the child’s return home. | | |
| Copies Distributed to: | | Division of Child Protection and Permanency; |  |
|  | | parent/legal guardian |  |