

IN THE INTEREST OF

**Public Defender Response  
Concerning Recoupment**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth

1. The child/juvenile was provided legal services through the Office of the State Public Defender, either as appointed or staff counsel. The court has ordered the parent(s) of this person to reimburse the State of Wisconsin for the cost of those services in the total amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. The court ordered this sum to be paid:

- jointly by parents.
- totally by one parent:  Parent 1 [Name] \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent 2 [Name] \_\_\_\_\_
- split between the parents as follows: Parent 1 \$ \_\_\_\_\_.  
Parent 2 \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

2. The following parent has requested an indigency review:

- Parent 1.
- Parent 2.
- this is an intact family; both parents (above-named) have jointly requested review.

3. The Public Defender reviewed the ability of the requesting person(s) to pay the sums ordered and reports to the court that the parent(s):

- A. requesting review **is indigent**. That parent has no obligation for reimbursement and the original Order for Recoupment should be amended.
- B. requesting review **is partially indigent**. The original Order for Recoupment of Costs and Legal Services should be amended to indicate that the parent(s) is able to pay \$ \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. requesting review **is not indigent**. The original Order for Recoupment of Costs of Legal Services should not be modified.
- D. request was untimely. The original Order for Recoupment of Costs of Legal Services should not be modified.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name Printed or Typed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**DISTRIBUTION:**

- 1. Court
- 2. Parent(s) requesting Review
- 3. State Public Defender