

STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT, _____ COUNTY

IN THE INTEREST OF

Amended

**Order on Petition to Remove Guardian for Cause
(§48.977, Wis. Stats.)**

Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Case No. _____

A Petition to Remove the Guardian for Cause was filed by [Name] _____.

THE COURT FINDS:

1. It has been proven by clear and convincing evidence that the guardian [Name] _____ is or has been neglecting, refusing, or unable to discharge the guardian's trust. Removal of the guardian is in the best interests of the child.
2. The allegations in the Petition have not been proven by clear and convincing evidence.

THE COURT ORDERS:

The Petition is

1. **GRANTED** and the guardian is
- removed.
 - removed and the successor guardian [Name] _____ is appointed as guardian of the child.
2. **DENIED** for the following reasons(s): _____.
3. Other: _____.

THIS IS A FINAL ORDER FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPEAL.

DISTRIBUTION:

1. Court
2. Child (if 12 years of age or older)
3. Child's Parents
4. Child's Guardian
5. Child's Legal Custodian
6. Child's Guardian ad Litem/Adversary Counsel
7. Person Representing the Interests of the Public
8. Case Worker
9. Tribe (if any)
10. Indian Custodian (if any)