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**SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
COUNTY OF MARICOPA**

Richard Riess, )  
                  ) Petitioner, )  
                  ) )  
                  ) v. )  
                  ) )  
Desiree Tomlin Riess, )  
                  ) Respondent. )  
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Case No.: FC 2011-093719  
**MOTION TO CONTINUE**

Petitioner, pro se, respectfully moves the Court to Continue the Evidentiary Hearing currently scheduled for September 26, 2011 for a period of at least 30 days.


Petitioner was not informed that Respondent had even initiated these proceedings until September 11, 2011. Petitioner had first contact with Respondent's counsel on September 12, 2011 at which time Petitioner was informed of these proceedings and the hearing currently scheduled for September 26, 2011.

In addition, Petitioner was recently released from a period of administrative detention which lasted four years and for this reason he has very limited financial resources with which to make the required trip to Phoenix for the hearing.

Moreover, Petitioner has not been served any documents or notices in this matter and does not even know the nature of the hearing scheduled for September 26, 2011. For that reason he cannot possibly prepare for the hearing at this time.

For these reasons Petitioner respectfully requests the Court continue the hearing for at least 30 days to permit Petitioner to prepare any responses or motions and to make the necessary travel arrangements.

Respectfully submitted this 14th day of September, 2011.



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