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## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA Supreme Court Cause No. DA-25-0031

# MONTANA SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, SILVER BOW COUNTY

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF:

Cause No.: DA-25-0031

CIARA LYNN REHBEIN,

Petitioner and Appellant/

NOTICE OF CROSS APPEAL

Cross-Appellee,

JESSICA MICHELLE PADDOCK,

Respondent and Appellee/Cross-Appellant.

NOTICE is given that JESSICA MICHELLE PADDOCK ("Jessica"), the Cross-Appellant above-named and who is the Respondent in that cause of action filed in the Second Judicial District, in and for the County of Silver Bow,

#### -1- NOTICE OF CROSS-APPEAL

as Cause No. DR-22-50, hereby cross-appeals to the Supreme Court of the State of Montana from the final judgment or order entered in such action on December 12, 2024 and Final Parenting Plan entered on December 26, 2024.

#### THE CROSS-APPELLANT FURTHER CERTIFIES:

- 1. That this cross-appeal is subject to the mediation process required by Mont. R. App. P. 7(2)(b). If subject to mediation, the money judgment being sought is less than \$5,000.
- 2. That this cross-appeal is not an appeal from an order certified as final under Mont. R. Civ. P. 54(b). If this is such an appeal, a true copy of the District Court's certification order is attached hereto as Exhibit "A."
- 3. That this appeal is properly before the Supreme Court because it is a final judgment under Mont. R. App. P. 6(1).
- 4. That the notice required by Mont. R. App. P. 27 has been or will be given, within 11 days of the date hereof, to the Supreme Court and to the Montana Attorney General with respect to a challenge to the constitutionality of any act of the Montana Legislature.
- 5. That all available transcripts of the proceedings in this cause involving the issues cross-appealed have been ordered from the court reporter contemporaneously with the filing of this notice of cross-appeal in accordance

#### -2- NOTICE OF CROSS-APPEAL

with Mont. R. App. P. 8 (3).

6. That included herewith is the filing fee prescribed by statute, or the affidavit to proceed without payment of the required filing fee prescribed in the Appendix of Forms as Form 3.

DATED this 22nd day of January, 2025.

COPPER CITY LAW, PLLC

By: /s/ Amanda D. Hunter
Amanda D. Hunter
P.O. Box 4552
Butte, MT 59702
Attorney for Appellee

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have filed a true and accurate copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF CROSS-APPEAL with the Clerk of the Montana Supreme Court and that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing NOTICE OF CROSS-APPEAL upon the Clerk of the District Court, each attorney of record, and each party not represented by an attorney in the above-referenced District Court action, as follows:

James D. Sweet, JR., Esq. P.O. Box 80008 Billings, MT 59108

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 2025.

COPPER CITY LAW, PLLC

/s/ Amanda D. Hunter
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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Amanda Dawn Hunter, hereby certify that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Notice - Notice of Cross Appeal to the following on 01-22-2025:

James David Sweet (Attorney)
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Representing: Ciara Lynn Rehbein

Service Method: eService

Electronically Signed By: Amanda Dawn Hunter

Dated: 01-22-2025