

2. JURISDICTION OVER PARENTS.

The Saint Regis Mohawk Tribal Court has personal jurisdiction (authority to make decisions) over the parents because *(check all that apply)*:

The Mother:

- is an enrolled member of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe.
- resides or is domiciled within the territory of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe.

The Father:

- is an enrolled member of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe.
- resides or is domiciled within the territory of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe.
- is otherwise subject to this court's personal jurisdiction based on the facts alleged in the affidavit of the mother attached hereto.

The children involved in this case:

- are enrolled members or are eligible to be enrolled members of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe.
- are Indian children who reside or are domiciled on the territory of Akwesasne.
- have been placed in temporary care of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe or in a care facility licensed by the Tribe for placement of Indian children.
- have a parent who is an enrolled member of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe.

3. ORDER(S) OF PROTECTION.

There is is not an Order of Protection issued by a court of competent jurisdiction involving any person named in this petition (FSA Sec IV D (1)(c).)

- a. If there is an Order of Protection, said Order of Protection was issued by _____.
- b. A person named in said Order, who is also named in this petition, is _____.

4. PARENTAGE.

- a. The biological Mother is:
Name: _____ DOB: _____
Address: _____
Tribal Affiliation: _____
- b. At the time of conception of the children, the mother was not married was married to _____, whose last known address is _____.
- c. No other individual has been adjudicated the father of this child(ren), and no other individual has signed an Acknowledgement of Paternity.
- d. The punative/biological Father is:
Name: _____ DOB: _____
Address: _____
Tribal Affiliation: _____

e. Petitioner does does not request that the Court issue an order redacting the location and other personal information due to its belief that emotional or physical harm may be inflicted if disclosed.

6. OTHER LEGAL PROCEEDINGS CONCERNING THE CHILDREN.

(check the box that applies):

- I do not know of any other legal proceedings regarding the children.
- I know of the following legal proceedings which concern the children *(list the child concerned, the Court, case number, and type of proceeding):*

Child's Name	Court	Case #	Proceeding Type

If paternity is established, the petitioner will will not be seeking a child support order.

DECLARATION

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe that I am the Petitioner in this action, that I have made the allegations contained in this petition based upon my first-hand knowledge, and therefore, believe that they are true.

Signature of Petitioner

Print Name

Date

State of New York
Territory of Akwesasne

Notary

Date: _____

Location: _____

I verify that the above named person signed this petition before me on this ____ day of _____, 20__.

Commission Number: _____

Commission Expires: _____

Notary Public Signature: _____