

IN THE SAC & FOX TRIBE OF THE MISSISSIPPI IN IOWA TRIAL COURT  
Meskwaki Settlement  
307 Meskwaki Road  
Tama, Iowa 52339-9629

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In RE: Matter of Custody of Minor Children:

\_\_\_\_\_, DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Case No.

\_\_\_\_\_, DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner,

**PRO SE PETITION TO  
MODIFY CUSTODY ORDER**

v.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent.

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**Is there an active Order of Protection** with respect to the parties?  YES  NO

If Yes, Name of the Protected Party/ies: \_\_\_\_\_

If Yes, (*select one*)  Permanent  Temporary Expires on (date) : \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Court & Date filed: \_\_\_\_\_

(Attach "Order of Protection" to this petition, and also receive from the Clerk of Court's office a "Party's Confidential Information" form)

**Petitioner, being first duly sworn, upon oath, respectfully represents to the Court that the following information is true:**

1. My full legal name is: \_\_\_\_\_

2. The physical address where I reside is:  on the Meskwaki Settlement.  
 not on the Meskwaki Settlement.

3. I  am  am not an enrolled member or descendent of the  
Sac & Fox Tribe of the Mississippi in Iowa

4. I am seeking to modify a custody order entered on (date): \_\_\_\_\_





14. I understand that I am swearing or affirming under oath to the truthfulness of the allegations made in this petition.

15. I understand I, as the Petitioner, am solely responsible for serving this document (and any attachments) along with the Summons generated by the Clerk of Court on the other party/s I have named as a Respondent in the manner required by the Court's Rules of Procedures, and I am responsible for providing proof of that service to the Clerk of Court.

16. I understand that this Petition is a civil action and I must comply with the Court's Rules of Civil Procedure whether or not I have retained legal counsel.

17. I understand that the use of this *pro se* form is not a substitute for competent legal advice and that it is in my best interest to obtain the legal advice of an attorney prior to initiating or responding to any legal action. I understand that this form may not meet all my specific legal needs and that it is only provided as a courtesy and guide for *pro se* parties.

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(Wait to sign and date the line below until you are before a notary)  
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**I hereby state, under penalty of perjury, the foregoing is true.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Filing Party  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTARY  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public, State of \_\_\_\_\_

