
SHOSHONE AND ARAPAHOE TRIBAL COURT WIND RIVER INDIAN RESERVATION FORT WASHAKIE, WYOMING

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Shoshone and Arapahoa

Tribal Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF RULES RELATING TO CHILD SUPPORT CASES PURSUANT TO RULES CV-104 AND 105

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ORDER

Clerk of Court Wind River Indian Reservation, Wyoming

The Shoshone and Arapahoe Tribal Court, having determined child support is important to the Wind River Indian Reservation, by adopting the above-mentioned rules then allowing a six (6) month period of time for public inspection and comment, and it appearing said rules should become final by Order of this Court made October 18, 1996:

That Orders of this Court affecting children, including placement, custody, visitation and support issues, are in large variety and number;

That to properly evaluate the need for action to establish paternity, establish support, establish paternity and support, to enforce obligations and to enforce and modify support, the State of Wyoming, Department of Family Services, and its authorized agents, require access to and copies of Orders affecting children;

That the Wyoming Department of Family Services, and its agents, are bound by appropriate rules of confidentiality to safeguard information obtained through access to Orders of the Tribal Court affecting children; and

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That providing the Wyoming Department of Family Service, and its agents, access to Orders of the Tribal Court affecting children furthers the objectives of the Tribal Court in securing support for children.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to the inherent authority of this Court to make appropriate rules, the following rule is hereby adopted:

RULE OF COURT NO. CV-108

The State of Wyoming, Department of Family Services, or its agents or designated contractor, shall be permitted to inspect, copy, or obtain files of this Court related to dependent children, including any Orders therein; SUBJECT, HOWEVER, to the assessment of a reasonable cost for the actual copies of required and requested documents, and the strict adherence to the confidentiality of such matters.

DATED: September 23, 1997

CHIEF AUDGE

Shoshone & Arapahoe Tribal Court