

**AFFIDAVIT FOR PUBLICATION
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BENSON
IN DISTRICT COURT
NORTHEAST JUDICIAL DISTRICT**
State of North Dakota and
Brett J. Yankton,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Autumn D. Redfox,

Defendant.

Civil No. 03-2026-DM-00019
STATE OF MINNESOTA)

COUNTY OF POLK)

1. John C. Best, being first duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

2. I am the attorney for the Regional Child Support Field Office of Devils Lake, North Dakota representing the State of North Dakota pursuant to N.D.C.C. Sections 14-09-09.26 and 14-09-09.27. I make this affidavit to satisfy the requirements of Rule 4(e)(2), N.D.R.Civ.P.

3. I am familiar with the facts of this case.

4. This matter involves an action against the defendant to address the issues of child and medical support.

5. A Complaint commencing this action has been filed with the Clerk of Court in Benson County, North Dakota.

6. After diligent inquiry, personal service of the Summons cannot be made upon the defendant in the State of North Dakota to my best knowledge, information and belief.

7. The Court has personal and subject matter jurisdiction of this matter over the parties pursuant to Rule 4(e)(1)(F), N.D.R.Civ.P.

8. The defendant's last reasonably ascertainable address is 418 5th St. NE, Apt. 403, Devils Lake, ND 58301.

9. I declare, under penalty of perjury under the law of North Dakota, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed on the 1st day of July 2026,
East Grand Forks, Minnesota, United States of America.

/s/ John C. Best

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