SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF KING
JUVENILE DIVISION

In The Interest of:	)	
	)	No.
	)	Truancy No.
	)	
	)	HEARING, FINDINGS AND ORDER ON CHILD IN
	)	NEED OF SERVICES PETITION
	)	
D.O.B.	)	CLERK'S ACTION REQUIRED

I. BASIS

1.1 A Child in Need of Services petition was filed on _____ , requesting the approval of a CHINS order, regarding the above named child. A Fact-Finding hearing was held on this date.

1.2 Persons appearing were:

- ❑ Child_____
- ❑ Parent_____
- ❑ DSHS Case worker_____
- ❑ School District_____
- ❑ Probation Counselor_____
- ❑ Child's Lawyer_____
- ❑ Parent's Lawyer_____
- ❑ State's Lawyer_____
- ❑ School Representative_____
- ❑ Other_____

1.3 ❑ Testimony was taken - see Clerk's minutes.

II. FINDINGS

The Court FINDS:

2.1 ❑ The petition should be dismissed because:
- ❑ The petition is capricious.
- ❑ The parent(s) filed an ARY petition cause # _____.
- ❑ Other _____.

2.2 ❑ The petition should be approved because a preponderance of the evidence has established that:

- ❑ the child is beyond the control of his/her parent such that the child's behavior endangers the health, safety, or welfare of the child or other person.

- ❑ the child has been reported to law enforcement as absent without consent for at least 24 consecutive hours from the parent's home, a crisis residential center, and out-of-home placement, or a court ordered placement on two or more separate occasions; and

- ❑ has exhibited a serious substance abuse problem; or
- ❑ has exhibited behaviors that create a risk of serious harm to the health, safety, or welfare of the child or any other person, or
- ❑ the child is in need of necessary services (including food, shelter, health care, clothing, educational, services designed to maintain or reunite the family);
  the child lacks access to, or has declined to utilize these services; and
  the child's parents have evidenced continuing but unsuccessful efforts to maintain the family structure or are unable or unwilling to continue efforts to maintain the family structure.

❑ the petitioner, if the child, has made a reasonable effort to resolve the conflict.

❑ the conflict which exists cannot be resolved by delivery of services to the family during continued placement of the child in the parental home.

❑ reasonable efforts have been made to prevent or eliminate the need for removal of the child from the child's home and to make it possible for the child to return home.

❑ a suitable out-of-home placement resource is available.

❑ the parent requested or concurs with, and is able to contribute to the support of the child.

❑ the Court finds that the parents are opposed to placement and have continuously sought reconciliation with the child.

❑ the parties ❑ have ❑ have not provided all of the evidence required by LR 94.04 regarding the parent's income and expenses and/or proposed support worksheets in accordance with LR 94.04.

❑ Other:

2.3 The basis for the child's out of home placement is:

- ❑ The parent has requested and approves the placement, <u>or</u>
- ❑ The court finds by clear, cogent, and convincing evidence that:

❑

- placement is in the family's best interest;
- the parents have not requested an out-of-home placement,
- the parents have not exercised any other right listed in RCW 13.32A.160(1)(e)
- the child has made reasonable efforts to resolve the conflict
- the conflict cannot be resolved during continued placement of the child in the parental home;
- reasonable efforts have been made to prevent or eliminate the need for removal of the child from thechild's home and to make it possible for the child to return home; and
- a suitable out-of-home placement resource is available.

b. ❑ the order is in the child's best interest and the parents are unavailable; or

c. ❑ the parent's actions cause an imminent threat to the child's health or safety.

III. ORDER

IT IS ORDERED

3.1 ❑ The petition is approved.

❑ The CHINS petition is dismissed.

❑ The Truancy proceeding, cause number - _____ is consolidated for hearing purposes with this CHINS petition.

3.2 ❑ The Department of Social and Health Services shall prepare and submit a disposition plan within 14 days of this order.

3.3 ❑ Temporary Placement: Pending a disposition hearing, for a period not to exceed 14 days from the date of this order, the child shall be placed or remain:

❑ in licensed care under the supervision of _____

❑ with:_____

Name: _____Telephone: _____

Address: _____

3.4 DISPOSITION

❑ The Department shall review the case to determine appropriateness of filing a dependency petition under RCW 13.34.

❑ The child shall be placed or remain for a period not to exceed 90 days from the date of this order, in out-of-home placement, as follows:

❑ in licensed care under the supervision of _____

❑ with:_____

Name: _____Telephone: _____

Address: _____

❑ Conditions of Placement:

The ❑ child ❑ parent shall comply with the following conditions. See addendum A - attached

❑ Parental responsibility for cost of child's care is waived. Parents are opposed to the placement and continuously sought reconciliation with the child.

❑ Parents are responsible for the costs of the child's care. Support payments are to be $_____ per month in accordance with 26.19 RCW.

❑ Issues regarding parent's contribution to the costs of child's care are left to the administrative processes of the Office of Support Enforcement, per RCW 13.32A.177.

3.5 The person or agency with whom the child is placed shall have full power to authorize and provide all necessary educational, routine and emergency medical, dental, or psychological care as recommended by the child's treating doctor or psychologist.

3.6 The person or agency with whom the child is placed or who has custody of the child thereof, shall report to the parent(s) and to the court within 24 hours as to any unauthorized leave from placement. This notice shall be followed up by a sworn declaration within 24 hours and a warrant for the child's arrest sought.

3.7 A ❑ **Review** ❑ **Truancy Review hearing** shall be held:

On: _____ at _____ am/pm

❑ Department of Youth Services
1211 East Alder Courtroom 5
Seattle, WA 98122

❑ Regional Justice Center
401 4th Ave North Courtroom 1H
Kent, WA 98032

Dated: _____

_____
COMMISSIONER

IF THE PETITIONER FAILS TO APPEAR FOR A COURT HEARING AFTER THIS PETITION IS GRANTED, THE COURT MAY DISMISS THE CASE, WITH OUR WITHOUT PREJUDICE, WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE

RESPONDENT'S FAILURE TO APPEAR MAY RESULT IN THE ISSUANCE OF A WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST