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LISA VAUGHN, etal vs. JOAN WHITTINGTON

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY,  
PENNSYLVANIA  
CIVIL ACTION - LAW

LISA VAUGHN, parent and natural  
guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor

Plaintiffs

vs.

NO.

2004-161-CO

JOAN WHITTINGTON,

Defendant

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CIVIL DIVISION

**Lisa Vaughn, parent and natural  
guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor**

**Vs.**

**No. 2004-00161-CD**

**Joan Whittington**

**CERTIFICATE OF DISCONTINUATION**

Commonwealth of PA  
County of Clearfield

I, William A. Shaw, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County and Commonwealth aforesaid do hereby certify that the above case was on February 5, 2004, marked:

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Record costs in the sum of \$85.00 have been paid in full by Stofko Law Office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal of this Court at Clearfield, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania this 5th day of February A.D. 2004.

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ORDER

AND NOW this 4 day of February, 2004 on consideration of the  
within Petition, it appearing to the Court that the same is right and proper  
under the circumstances,


IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, DIRECTED AND DECREED that the  
compromise settlement between the Plaintiffs and the Defendant be and the  
same is herewith approved with the parties directed to take the appropriate  
steps to consummate said settlement.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, DIRECTED AND DECREED that  
the settlement is hereby directed to be distributed as follows:

A. The sum of \$2,000 made payable to Lisa Vaughn, as parent and  
natural guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor, to be deposited into a federally  
insured account marked not to be withdrawn until majority of minor or further  
Order of Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, DIRECTED AND DECREED that the above sum shall be in full and complete settlement and satisfaction of any and all claims recoverable in the foregoing action and the plaintiffs or their attorney are herewith directed, authorized and empowered to mark the said action satisfied in full and irrevocably terminate and discontinue said action upon payment of said sums now due and the record costs by the defendant.

BY THE COURT.

  
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PETITION FOR APPROVAL TO COMPROMISE MINOR'S ACTION

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE ABOVE NAMED COURT:

The petition of Lisa Vaughn, as parent and natural guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor, represents:

1. The Plaintiff, Lisa Vaughn is the parent and natural guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor, who reside at Blackburn Road, Madera, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania.
2. The Defendant, Joan Whittington is an adult individual residing at 1550 Malone Road, Victor, New Jersey.
3. On or about July 19, 2002 the minor plaintiff was a passenger in a vehicle owned and operated by Lisa Vaughn. Said vehicle was traveling north on State Route 53 in Morris Township, Clearfield County.

4. On or about the same time, the Defendant, Joan Whittington was traveling south on State Route 53 and attempted to make a left hand turn on onto Ninth Street when a collision occurred.

5. As a result of the accident the minor plaintiff suffered a lip laceration and several loose front teeth. He was taken to the hospital where he was treated and released.

6. The minor plaintiff did not undergo any further medical treatment subsequent to being treated at the Emergency Room.

7. All bills incurred for the care of the minor plaintiff have been paid.

8. At the time of the accident the minor claimant, Cody Vaughn was nine years of age having a birth date of December 10, 1992.

9. At the time of the accident the defendant was insured by a policy issued by Nationwide Insurance providing for liability coverage.

10. A claim has now been presented on behalf of the minor plaintiff and your Petitioner to recover against the above captioned defendant for the damages and injuries as stated in this petition.

11. The defendant, through her representatives, have entered into an amicable compromise agreement wherein the defendant agrees to make payment in full settlement of all claims that may have arisen or may arise as a result of said accident subject to the approval of your Honorable Court.

12. The above mentioned amounts shall be paid as follows:

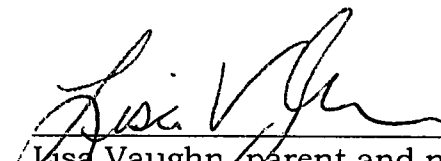
A. The sum of \$2,000 made payable to Lisa Vaughn, as parent and natural guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor, to be deposited into a federally insured account marked not to be withdrawn until majority of minor or further Order of Court.

13. The petitioner believes it would be to the best interest and advantage of the minor if the compromise or settlement were consummated as there are always questions that cannot be anticipated in the trial of a case of this nature and because petitioner well and truly believes that the amount of the fund created and the terms of its creation are appropriate to the circumstances and to the injuries received.

14. Dennis J. Stofko, Attorney at Law, has been requested by the plaintiff to prepare the within documents for Court approval.

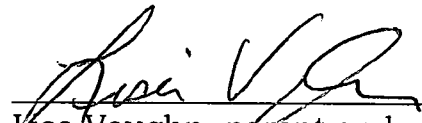
WHEREFORE, your petitioner respectfully prays that a decree be entered approving said compromise settlement and ordering distribution of said funds and authorizing and directing the discontinuance and settlement of the said action upon payment of the funds by the defendant and of the payment of costs incident to the proceedings by the defendant.

AND YOUR PETITIONER WILL EVER PRAY.

  
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Lisa Vaughn, parent and natural  
guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor  
*Mother*

I, Lisa Vaughn, as parent and natural guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor, do hereby swear or affirm that the facts set forth in the Petition to Compromise Minor's Action are correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief.

I understand that these averments of fact are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. CSA 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

  
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Lisa Vaughn, parent and natural  
guardian of Cody Vaughn, a minor

Dated: 1-11-04

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TO THE PROTHONOTARY:

Please issue a Writ of Summons in Civil Action in the above captioned  
matter.

  
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**SUMMONS**

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**TO: JOAN WHITTINGTON**

To the above named Defendant(s) you are hereby notified that the above named Plaintiff(s) has/have commenced a Civil Action against you.

Date: 02/02/2004

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William A. Shaw  
Prothonotary

Issuing Attorney:  
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