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May 11, 1999

Thomas T. Williams, Attorney
San Angelo, Texas 76905

RE: Tony Tinderholt, Nathan Tinderholt, & Kayley Tinderholt

Dear Thomas:

This letter is to serve as my report as requested regarding the above mentioned individuals and the matter that comes before the court regarding custody of the minor Tinderholt children.

On May 10, 1999, Mr. Tinderholt, his girlfriend and his two children presented at my office to undergo a psychological interview and adjunctive psychological testing. The results of this interview, assessment and evaluation are what follows. Apparently, Mr. Tinderholt is due in court with you on Friday, May 14, 1999. I am hopeful this reaches you in a timely fashion and meets the needs of the court.

Sincerely,

Dr. Matthew B.R. Nessetti, Ph.D., FPPR
Director - Nebraska Mental Health Centers

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Enclosure: Psychological Report

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Marital History: At the age of 18, Tony married Kim Greaves in 1989. His marriage was a result of Kim telling him she was pregnant. Their child [REDACTED] was born 11 months later. Tony shared feeling Kim manipulated him. Five years later, Tony divorced Kim while still cohabiting with her. Within this time, Kim became pregnant. Tony then remarried Kim for "insurance reasons." [REDACTED] was born shortly thereafter. Tony filed bankruptcy shortly after the divorce from an insolvent daycare business that his wife and another couple were partners in. Three months after the divorce, (Christmas 1996) Tony helped Kim admit herself for substance addiction: cocaine, crank, acid, and marijuana. Tony shared feeling guilty at this time and experienced feelings of regret regarding the divorce because he stated that Kim "plummeted" after the divorce and the children have suffered since then. However, it was prior to Kim's hospitalization that she admitted her addiction, as well as her and the partner's wife's embezzlement from the daycare center to support their addictions. During her hospitalization, Kim told him to take care of the children. By February of 1997, Tony was awarded physical custody of both children. Tony stated that he does not hate his ex-wife; that he still likes her, but he feels that "she is not as good as parent me." In October of 1996, Tony married Tammy Land. He described this relationship as a physically violent relationship toward him. He also stated that she did not treat the children well, yelled, talked down to, and was physically abusive to them. He added that she "cheated" on him. Tammy left Tony in September of 1997 with a divorce to follow in December of 1997. In September of 1997, Tony shared that for a two week period became very distraught due to above stressor. He stated, "I hit rock bottom." He talked to an Air Force Captain, who Tony described as either a psychologist or psychiatrist. Tony began counseling for depression shortly thereafter, two times per week for approximately seven months, after which time he ended sessions. Shortly after this time, he asked for an early discharge from the Air Force that was granted in April of 1998. It was during the onset of his depression (September 1997) that he had contacted ex-wife Kim, asking her to care for the children. [REDACTED]

Current Living Arrangement: Tony currently lives in Martell, Nebraska, a rural community with a population of 110. He lives with his two children and [REDACTED] and her child [REDACTED]. Tony shared that he met Leone while in high school in Iowa, where her father was the English teacher. He described their relationship as mostly "friends"—only kissing once. In June of 1998, [REDACTED] had contacted Tony via the Internet when he resided in Washington, DC. Leone was residing in El Paso, Texas at the time. They began seeing each other frequently, flying between cities, when time permitted. In January of 1999, Tony accepted a job position based from Omaha, Nebraska. At this

JULY 14, 1999

MEMORANDUM FOR: District Clerk, Tom Green County


FROM: Tony D. Tinderholt

SUBJECT: Cause # C96-0613F

In the interest of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] Tinderholt, Minor Children

1. Please file the enclosed papers with the court under the above listed cause number.
2. The court date has been set for JULY 23, 1999.

Thank-you very much and have a great day!


Tony D. Tinderholt

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the forgoing has been sent by U.S. Mail to the respondent's attorney of record, Mr. Gerald Ratliff, street address 125 South Irving St, San Angelo, TX 76903-at the following Mailing address PO Box 1588, San Angelo, TX 76902 on the 14th day of July, 1999.

Signature Young [Signature] Date 7-14-99
Petitioner Shy D. Tindorbelt

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