SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FAMILY COURT

IN THE MATTER OF:

M.D.D. CASE NO. 2020 TPR 000141 SOCIAL FILE NO. 2020 JSF 000570

RESPONDENT. X-REF NO. 7493170

DATE OF BIRTH 5/11/2020

MAGISTRATE JUDGE JANET ALBERT

NOTICE

UNKNOWN FATHER, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Government's Motion for Termination of the Parent and Child Relationship is pending before the Superior Court of the District of Columbia concerning your minor child, M.D.D., born on May 11, 2020.

YOU ARE ORDERED TO APPEAR FOR A PRETRIAL HEARING scheduled on, September 8, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. before Magistrate Judge Janet Albert. You are required to attend this hearing. The hearing will be held **REMOTELY** in **Courtroom JM-10** of the D.C. Superior Court, 500 Indiana Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. Due to COVID-19, the hearing will occur remotely. **Please go online to https://dccourts.webex.com and enter the WebEx**Meeting ID: 129 071 8189 to appear via video. You may also call 202-860-2110 and enter the WebEx Meeting ID: 129 071 8189 to appear via telephone.

You have the right to seek custody of the minor child, M.D.D., or to challenge challenge the allegations contained in the Government's Motion for Termination of the Parent and Child Relationship. However, in order to do so, you must either appear at the TPR hearing or file a written objection prior to the trial with:

Family Court Central Intake Center, JM Level Superior Court of the District of Columbia 500 Indiana Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20001

If you do not want to seek custody or challenge this adoption, you may consent to the adoption or relinquish the child to a licensed child-placing agency. Please contact the child's social worker:

Rhydeil Ngoh

Child & Family Services Agency (CFSA) 200 I Street, SE Washington, DC 20003 (202) 727-2672 You should contact your court-appointed attorney, whose name, address, and telephone number is:

Meti Aebe, Esq. 1629 K Street, NW Suite 300 Washington, DC 20006 (202) 656-5016

You may also retain counsel to represent you in these proceedings.

<u>Your failure to respond</u> to this Notice can result in the Court proceeding without your presence. Unless you appear for the above TPR hearing, you may not receive notice of subsequent court action and proceedings in the case. If your appearance is not entered on or before the trial, the trial will proceed in your absence. Any orders or findings of the Court issued at any time will become final unless you make an appearance before the conclusion of the TPR trial.