

# MASSACHUSETTS APPEALS COURT CIVIL DOCKETING STATEMENT

Caption used in the lower court \_\_\_\_\_

Appeals Court Docket Number \_\_\_\_\_

Plaintiff(s): \_\_\_\_\_

v. \_\_\_\_\_

Defendant(s): \_\_\_\_\_

## 1. Party Information

Name of the appellant(s) or cross-appellant(s) on whose behalf this statement is being filed:

\_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Attorney Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ BBO# \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Or, check this box if you are self-represented and provide your name \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Lower Court, Board or Agency Information

a. Court Department \_\_\_\_\_

b. Lower Court Docket Number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

c. Specify the name and the role of each judge whose orders are at issue on appeal [not applicable for appeals directly from a board or agency]:

Judge, first and last name \_\_\_\_\_ Role

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d. Was the case or any information in the record designated as impounded in the lower court? (see Section 3) ☐ Yes ☐ No

In addition to providing the information below, parties filing a brief or record appendix that contains impounded materials must comply with Uniform Rule on Impoundment Procedure Rule 12(c), Supreme Judicial Court Rule 1:15 s. 2(c), and M.R.A.P. 16(d), 16(m), 18(a), and 18(g). If this case or any material therein is impounded, specify which documents are impounded and the authority for impoundment, e.g. court order, statute:

#### 4. Nature of the Case

Select the most appropriate description, or enter description:

#### 5. Perfection of Appeal

a. Is the appeal from a final judgment, i.e., judgment disposing of all parties and claims? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b. If no, identify the basis on which the interlocutory order is immediately appealable.

c. Docketing Date of Judgment or Interlocutory Order Appealed

d. Date Notice of Appeal Filed

Please provide information regarding the following post-judgment motions that may affect the timeliness of the notice of the appeal.

Type of Motion	Check if filed		Date Served (not date filed)
Motion for Judgment (Rule 50(b)) Notwithstanding the Verdict	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	
Motion to Amend or Make Additional Findings (Rule 52(b))	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	
Motion to Alter or Amend Judgment (Rule 59)	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	
Motion for Relief from Judgment (Rule 60)	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	
Other (specify) _____	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	

#### 6. Appellate Issues

In cases other than child welfare appeals, please provide a short statement of the anticipated issues on appeal. If the appellate issue involves the interpretation of a particular statute or regulation, please provide a citation to that statute or regulation. (Note: This statement is for informational purposes only and failure to raise an issue here will not preclude an appellant from raising the issue in its brief.):

#### 7. Related Appeals

Are there any pending, past, or anticipated future appeals or original appellate proceedings that involve these parties or this case which have been entered in the Appeals Court or Supreme Judicial Court? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you know of any pending or anticipated appeals raising related issues? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered yes to either question, provide the case name and docket number and describe below the related matter or issue:

Respectfully Submitted,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
BBO Number  
\_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to Mass.R.A.P. 13(d), I hereby certify, under the penalties of perjury, that on this date of \_\_\_\_\_  
I have made service of a copy of the Massachusetts Appeals Court Docketing Statement filed on behalf of

\_\_\_\_\_, upon the attorney of record for each party, or if the party  
has no attorney then I made service directly to the self-represented party, by ☐ hand delivery ☐ first class mail ☐ e-mail  
to the following person(s) and at the following address(es). Note: Service may be made by e-mail only with the consent of  
each party or opposing counsel:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address