

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

File No.

In The General Court Of Justice
District Court Division

County

IN THE MATTER OF:

Name Of Juvenile

Date Of Birth

Age

Name And Address Of Parent

WAIVER OF PARENT'S RIGHT TO COUNSEL

☐ ABUSE/NEGLECT/DEPENDENCY

☐ TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS

G.S. 7B-602, -1101.1

I am the parent of the juvenile named above. I have been told that I have the right to have a lawyer represent me. I have been told of my right to have a lawyer appointed by the Court if I cannot afford to hire one. With full knowledge of these rights, I knowingly, willingly, and understandingly choose as follows:

(check only one)

☐ 1. I do not want a court-appointed lawyer. I will hire my own lawyer at my own cost.

☐ 2. I do not want the assistance of any lawyer. I understand that I have the right to represent myself, and that is what I intend to do.

Date

Name Of Parent (Type Or Print)

Signature Of Parent

FINDINGS OF FACT

NOTE TO JUDGE: G.S. 7B-602(a1) and G.S. 7B-1101.1(a1) require the court to examine the parent and make findings of fact sufficient to show that the parent's waiver is knowing and voluntary.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

☐ The parent's waiver is knowing and voluntary.

☐ The parent's waiver is not knowing and voluntary.

ORDER

Therefore, the parent

☐ may proceed without appointed counsel.

☐ may proceed without the assistance of counsel.

Date

Name Of District Court Judge (Type Or Print)

Signature Of District Court Judge