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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
GUILFORD COUNTY  
24<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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DISTRICT COURT DIVISION

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

GUILFORD CO., ) ORDER ACKNOWLEDGING  
GUARDIAN AD LITEM (GAL)  
PROGRAM SUPERVISOR  
BY ) *[Signature]* CHANGE OF NAME

NOW COMES the undersigned Chief District Court Judge Teresa H. Vincent and enters this Administrative Order concerning the name change of a Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor in Judicial District 24.

This Administrative Order is being entered pursuant to 7A-146, 7B-601, and *In re J.S.*, 182 N.C. App 79, 641 S.E.2d 395 (2007).

WHEREAS Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor formally known as Krystal P. York recently changed her legal name to Krystal P. Ledford.

WHEREAS Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor Krystal P. Ledford (formally known as Krystal P. York) remains employed by the N.C. Administrative Office of Courts as a Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor.

THIS COURT HEREBY acknowledges that Krystal P. Ledford (formally known as Krystal P. York) is appointed as Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor for many pending cases under the name of Krystal P. York. Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor Krystal P. York is the same person as Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor Krystal P. Ledford. All past and current *Orders to Appoint Guardian ad Litem* and other documentation that indicate Krystal P. York as the Guardian ad Litem Program Staff is referring to who is now known as Krystal P. Ledford, and Krystal P. Ledford (formally known as Krystal P. York) remains appointed to those same pending cases, fulfilling the same duties and responsibilities required of the Guardian ad Litem Program pursuant to North Carolina General Statute Section 7B-601. Similarly, any future *Orders to Appoint Guardian ad Litem* and other documentation that inadvertently reflect Krystal P. York as Guardian ad Litem Program Supervisor is referring to Krystal P. Ledford (formally known as Krystal P. York), and Krystal P. Ledford (formally known as Krystal P. York) shall be appointed to those cases, fulfilling the same duties and responsibilities required by the Guardian ad Litem Program pursuant to North Carolina General Statute Section 7B-601.

This is the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2024.

*[Signature]*  
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Honorable Teresa H. Vincent  
Chief District Court Judge