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Calhoun County Dept. of Human Resources
P.O. Box 518
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Ref: Notice of Payments and Obligations

Thank you for the notice – the first of which I've received here, in Anniston.

Roughly a year ago, I was paying child support and, with my oldest child graduating from high school, tried to help with his after-graduation plans. This effort – along with gifts to my other children – landed me in jail for four (4) months on charges of Aggravated Stalking (St. Johns County, FL).

As a parent alienated from his children for over eight (8) years – or since the oldest was eleven – I am deeply sorry for them. Besides the trauma of unilateral divorce – they have had to endure years without a father in their lives and, more than likely, a lifetime to come. The consequences of this tragedy are enormous and yet, as a parent to my children, I am powerless to help them – to the point that to do so is to risk imprisonment or further prosecution by an obtuse system.

Through the ordeal of unwanted – and so-called No-fault divorce – I have lost my children, my home, my rights to my income, and now my future as an engineer (due to a criminal record). What else is there for any parent who cares for and loves their children; or in other words, what else can be taken that has not already been taken? Can you understand the injustice levied on those who want to retain the family intact – but yet are penalized by a system that promotes and encourages divorce by rewarding the dissolution rather than preservation?

I am working with the Duval County (Jacksonville, Florida) Child Support Enforcement on the resolution (as though it possible) of my current circumstances as parent to Matthew, Abby, Ben and Brian-Wesley. At present, this effort is nearing one (1) year – without their effective response to a request for alternation given the circumstances of my unemployment and uncertain future to sustain child support in full.

I own no property, no car, no income or job, and no other assets – but have lost them due to my arrest and the preceding events in the demise of my family. Hence, your notices will be of no use until the Duval County agency acts – if they ever do...

Sincerely,

H. Kirk Rainer, Court Order 08CS20060534

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