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Re: Mediation

Our File No.

Dear Attorneys:

This will confirm mediation, in the above-mentioned matter, will be held on Thursday, November 1, 2018, at 9:00 a.m., here in our office.

My rate is \$325 per hour plus expenses, and is generally paid by each party paying one-half of the charges unless you agree otherwise. I require a retainer of \$1,500.00 to be paid prior to the start of mediation, and is also generally paid by each party paying one-half of the retainer unless you agree otherwise.

Please forward in advance any information that you feel would be beneficial. It will be treated in a confidential manner.

The more information we have at the mediation, the more likely it will be successful. For example,

- 1. A draft of a stipulation expressing the terms of an offer, whether you have made the offer or not, is helpful in the process and helps us save time.
- 2. In cases involving division of assets and debts, a listing of the assets and debts either with just your side's values or with both such as in an 8.3 statement in North Dakota cases, is helpful.
- 3. In cases with extensive lists of assets and debts, having a spreadsheet which will do the math for us is helpful. This might be under Equal Shares, Partus or just a custom built spreadsheet. (And if the parties agree on a mutual format prior to the mediation that is helpful as well).

I am attaching a Mediation Agreement that will be signed at the mediation.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Very truly yours,

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