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EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

FAMILY DIVISION – JUVENILE

CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

In the Matter of: ) Case No.:

) Dept. No.:

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,**  ) Courtroom:

DOB: )

AGE: \_\_ YEARS OLD )

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A Minor. )

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**ORDER FOR SIBLING VISITATION**

The matter of sibling visitation came on for hearing before the Honorable Frank Sullivan. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Esq. appeared on behalf of the Department of Family Services, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Esq., appeared on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (“\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”), father of subject minor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (“\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”), and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Esq., of FIRM, appeared on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_’s mother, appeared telephonically. Also appearing was the Department of Family Services (“DFS”).

After reviewing the records and files and hearing oral argument, the court finds as follows:

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court of the Eighth Judicial District.
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has one sibling, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (“\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”), who lives with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lives with a foster home.
4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has not had visitation with her sister \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ since coming under juvenile court jurisdiction.
5. N.R.S. 432B.580 requires a court approved sibling visitation plan when siblings are not placed together.
6. N.R.S. 432.500 et seq. gives foster children the right to visit with their siblings.
7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ had a bond with her sister prior to being placed in foster care.
8. It is in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_’s best interest to preserve the sibling bond through regularly scheduled visitation.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shall have visitation with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a minimum of twice a month.
2. DFS in cooperation with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shall determine the date, time and place of said visitation.
3. So long as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shall cooperate with DFS and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_’s foster mother to ensure these visits take place pursuant to this order.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2012.

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DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_