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B.M.B. v. C.L.B.**2004 BCSC 630**

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA Citation: B.M.B. v. C.L.B., 2004 BCSC 630 Date: 20040510 Docket: F991342 Registry: Vancouver Between: B.M.B. Plaintiff And C.L.B. Defendant Before: The Honourable Mr. Justice Melnick Reasons for Judgment Counsel for the plaintiff M. Ellis Counsel for the defendant D. Marzban Date and Place of Hearing: Written Submissions No Oral Hearing Held

- [1] By Notice of Motion filed January 22, 2009, Mr. C.L.B. asks for an order varying my order of October 11, 2002 and that of Mr. Justice Ralph dated November 17, 2000, to allow the two children of the marriage to be with him in Tofino from August 15 until August 23, 2004 when he celebrates his wedding to Ms. C.M.. He also asks that he be allowed to consume alcohol during that time.
- [2] After reviewing the written submissions of counsel and the report of Dr. M.C. Korpach dated April 13, 2004, I rule as follows:
1. The children, M. and B., may be with Mr. C.L.B. in Tofino for the purpose of attending the wedding and related events from August 15 to August 23, 2004, inclusive (the "wedding visit").
 2. Ms. C.M. shall generally be present during the wedding visits as she would be if the children were visiting her and Mr. C.L.B.'s home. By "generally present" I mean in the Tofino area and accessible to either child as they might expect if in the custody of a parent.
 3. Mr. C.L.B. may consume alcohol on the day before and the day of the wedding, not in excess of the equivalent of four six ounce glasses of wine, or four one and one half ounce portions of liquor or four bottles of beer each day. A responsible adult shall be designated as the children's primary caregiver during this time.
 4. M. shall be provided by Mr. C.L.B., with a cell phone that works in the Tofino area and M. shall be free to call her mother, Ms. B.M.B., at any time. Mr. C.L.B. will facilitate her returning home prior to the scheduled end of the wedding visit if M. is uncomfortable.

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5. The children shall attend counselling prior to attending the wedding visit. Mr. C.L.B. shall be responsible for paying the reasonable costs of the counselling. He shall pay the counsellor(s) directly within two business days of the receipt of the account(s) for the counselling. He is entitled to know the name, qualifications and the hourly fees of the counsellor(s). After the initial consultation(s) Mr. C.L.B. is entitled to an estimate of what is estimated as the frequency of continued consultation(s). He is not entitled to refuse payment without leave of the court because he wishes Mrs. B.M.B. to engage another, or less costly counsellor. Nor is Mr. C.L.B. entitled, without leave of the court or consent, to have access to any reports generated by the counsellor(s). Nor shall he question the children about the nature of the consultation(s) or any therapy involved. "T.J. Melnick, J." The Honourable Mr. Justice T.J. Melnick
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