

Martin Burns  
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**Plaintiff**

**vs.**

Gladys Burns  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
**Defendant**

**SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
 CHANCERY DIVISION - FAMILY PART  
 COUNTY: \_\_\_\_\_  
 DOCKET NO.: FD - \_\_\_\_\_  
 CS NO: \_\_\_\_\_**

**CIVIL ACTION  
 Verified Complaint or  
 Counterclaim**

I, Martin Burns by way of certified complaint/counterclaim certify the following:

1. I am the  Plaintiff  Defendant in the above-captioned matter.

2. Plaintiff resides at: Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/Town \_\_\_\_\_  
 County \_\_\_\_\_ State FL Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Defendant resides at: Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/Town \_\_\_\_\_  
 County \_\_\_\_\_ State FL Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

3. Other interested parties' name(s) and address(es):  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

4. The child(ren) are:

Name	Date of Birth	M/F	Residing at	Residing with (relationship)
Andrea	3/2/2004	_____	Gladys	mother
Burton	6/8/2012	_____	Gladys	mother
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

I have previously been involved in the following family court actions with regard to any of the parties or children listed above. (If yes, give the title of case and docket number.)

Yes  No

Title of Case (____ vs ____)	Docket Number
_____	_____
_____	_____

5. A Child Protection Agency (i.e. the Division of Youth and Family Services) (or a similar agency in another State) has been involved with the child(ren) or listed parties.

- Yes  No

6. This is an active public assistance case governed by 41 U.S.C.A. 602 (A) (26), N.J.S.A. 44: 10-1.1, et seq.

- Yes  No

7. I seek the following for the child(ren) named on page 1:

- Establish Paternity  Establish Maternity
- Custody
  - Joint Legal Custody  Sole Legal Custody  Physical Custody
- Support Order: I am seeking the establishment of a court order against the person who is the spouse/civil union or domestic partner and/or parent of the persons listed on page 1 and has a legal duty to support same pursuant to N.J.S.A. 9:17-38 et seq. Chapter 92. The law requires that child support provisions of court orders shall be enforced by immediate income withholding upon the obligor's current or future income due from an employer or future employer, unemployment compensation or income from any source unless the obligor and obligee agree, in writing to an alternative arrangement or either party demonstrates and the court finds good cause for establishing an alternative arrangement (N.J.S.A. 2A: 17-56.9). For the reason(s) checked below, the defendant is under a legal duty to support and maintain the person(s) mentioned on page 1 of this complaint:
  - Plaintiff/Defendant is my lawful wife/husband/domestic partner/civil union partner
  - Plaintiff/Defendant is the biological mother/father of the child(ren) named on page 1

Reason for seeking custody and/or support:

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- Establish or Modify Visitation Rights:
  - Parenting Time  Grandparent Time  Sibling Time

Reasons for requesting or changing visitation:

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- Medical Coverage Requested:
  - Health Benefits for myself
  - Health Benefits for the child(ren) named in this complaint.
- Other Relief Requested. Explain the relief being sought.

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Required Attachments:

- A Certificate of Parentage is attached (if available)
- Certification to Establish Paternity attached (when seeking establishment of paternity)

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature plaintiff/counterclaimant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Co-plaintiff/Co-defendant

**Court Appearance Information**

Your appearance is mandatory. You may bring an attorney, although an attorney is not required. If you require assistance in selecting an attorney, you may contact your County Bar Association. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may contact Legal Services of New Jersey at [www.lsnj.org](http://www.lsnj.org). You may file a written response by certification opposing this complaint/cross complaint. Any written response you send to the Court must be sent to the other party. Your written response must be filed with the court and served on the other party at least **15 DAYS PRIOR** to the hearing date. If you fail to appear at the hearing, an Order granting the relief requested by the filing party may be granted although your written response, if filed, will be considered. If you are the filer of this complaint you may file a certification in support of your complaint which shall not exceed **fifteen (15)** pages. If you are the person served with this complaint/cross complaint, you may file a certification in opposition or a certification in support of a cross complaint which shall not exceed **twenty-five (25)** pages. Any further written responses to the above filed certifications shall not exceed **ten (10)** pages. Forms are available at [njcourts.com](http://njcourts.com)