

## Declaration of Appellate Counsel

I, \_\_\_\_\_, declare:

1. I am the attorney appointed to represent the appellant, J.M., who has appealed the denial of a 388 petition and the termination of her parental rights.

2. I have personal knowledge of the matters stated in this declaration.

3. I have reviewed the entire record on appeal, consisting of the Clerk's Transcript (4 Volumes) and the Reporter's Transcript (2 Volumes). I have discussed the case with a staff attorney at the California Appellate Project.

4. On April 29, 2019, and [, I advised appellant in writing that I have found no arguable issues to be raised on appeal. I advised appellant that she may attempt to file a brief on her own without assistance of counsel (*in propria persona*) within thirty (30) days of the filing of this brief.

I also advised appellant in writing that the Court of Appeal has the discretion to permit or not permit the actual filing of the *in propria persona* brief depending on whether the Court concludes the brief shows good cause that an arguable issue does, in fact, exist. I advised appellant in writing that the Court is not required to permit appellant to pursue an appeal that has no arguable merit. (*In re Phoenix H.* (2009) 47 Cal.4th 835, 844-845.) Appellant has been advised that if, within 30 days after the filing of this brief she does not attempt to file a personal brief showing an arguable issue exists, the appeal will be dismissed.

5. The last known address of the appellant is:
6. I have mailed a copy of the record to the appellant.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed on , at , California.

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ATTORNEY NAME (SBN )  
Attorney for Appellant, J.M.