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| IN THE CHILDREN’S COURT | |
| OF NEW SOUTH WALES |  |
| AT |  |
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| FILE NO. |  |
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| IN THE MATTER OF:  (Name of child/young person and D.O.B.) | (DOB: ) |

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| CASE MANAGEMENT DOCUMENT  *FILED BY THE* |

**Issues in Dispute**

*[delete: Note to Practitioner: Practice Note 5, paragraph 16.7, requires: "a detailed statement of the real issues in dispute (for example, a statement that an issue in dispute is 'whether there is a realistic possibility of restoration' is not sufficient)"*

**Examples**

1. Whether the Court should accept the Secretary’s assessment that there is no realistic possibility of restoration of the child/ren to the mother/father;
2. Whether the Court should accept the Secretary’s assessment that there is a realistic possibility of restoration of the child/ren to the Father/Mother;
3. In relation to the , the Court will need to consider the following:
   1. Whether the poses an unacceptable risk of harm to the children due to ;
   2. Whether the has the capacity to meet the child/ren’s basic physical, emotional and educational needs;
   3. Whether the has insight into the issues that led to the child/ren’s removal;
   4. Whether the has the capacity to work with support services.
4. If the Court rejects the Department’s assessment and decides that should be restored to the :
   1. What support services are required to support restoration;
   2. Whether there should be a transition plan for the restoration of ;
   3. Whether there should be a period of supervision and if so, how long;
   4. Whether the parents should provide undertakings and what undertakings they should provide;
   5. Whether there should be a supervision report/s;
   6. Whether the Department should maintain parental responsibility for for a period following restoration.

**List of Documents to be relied upon**

1. Affidavit of sworn/affirmed on .
2. Affidavit of affirmed on .

**OR**

The ILR/DLR has filed no documents in the proceedings but may issue further subpoenas.

**Witnesses Required for Cross Examination:**

The requires:

1. , Mother;
2. , Father;
3. , Children’s Court Clinician;
4. , Case Worker; and
5. , Case Work Manager.

**Chronology**

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