

# SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

Date 05-06-08

Honorable

Honorable SCOTT M. GORDON

22-24 & S. VARTAZAROV  
ex parte

Judge

M. ARNOLD

Judge Pro Tem

R. WILLIAMS

Deputy Sheriff

GINGER WELKER

Dept: CE88

Deputy Clerk

Court Assistant

Reporter

8:30 am

BD455662

Britney Spears (x) by and  
through her conservator:  
James P. Spears (X) (X)

VS.

Kevin Federline (X)

Counsel For  
Petitioner:

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PHILLIPS (x) SHARON STARK  
(x) ROBYN SANTUCCI (x) (X)

Counsel For  
Respondent:

KAPLAN & SIMON - By: MARK  
VINCENT KAPLAN and JAMES M.  
SIMON (X)

Lynne Spears (X) Blair Berke (X)

**NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS: ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE RE: MODIFICATION OF  
CHILD CUSTODY; VISITATION; INJUNCTIVE ORDER; ATTORNEY  
FEES/COSTS; ETC. - FILED BY RESPONDENT ON AUGUST 8, 2007**

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE RE: INJUNCTIVE ORDER- FILED BY  
RESPONDENT ON NOVEMBER 16, 2007**

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE RE: MODIFICATION OF CHILD CUSTODY;  
VISITATION - FILED BY PETITIONER ON DECEMBER 5, 2007**

**STATUS CONFERENCE - RECEIPT OF EVALUATION**

**EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER RE: SEALING OF CHILD  
CUSTODY EVALUATION REPORT ISSUED ON APRIL 25, 2008 - FILED BY  
PETITIONER**

It is stipulated by the parties that Commissioner Scott M. Gordon may hear this and all  
further hearings in this matter.

Matter is called for hearing.

Petitioner and Respondent are each sworn.

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Petitioner's oral motion pursuant to Section 214 F.C. is granted and the matter proceeds as a closed hearing.

**Court's Exhibit One (Child Custody Evaluation) is admitted into evidence and ordered sealed pursuant to the Court's order issued on April 25, 2008.**

The Court and all parties present confer on the record.

The Court adopts the parties' oral stipulations and makes its order as more fully reflected in the notes of the official court.

Regarding the Evidentiary Hearing in this matter:

Each counsel is to designate their respective experts within five days of this date.

Each counsel is to meet and confer with regard to selecting a settlement officer in this matter. If the parties are unable to mutually agree upon a settlement officer within ten days of this date, they are to proceed with a Mandatory Settlement Conference in Department 2.

The clerk is ordered to provide a copy of Court's Exhibit One to Ms. Lisa Hacker.

**Matter is set for a Status Conference on JULY 15, 2008 at 8:30am in Department 88.**

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**Matter is set for an EVIDENTIARY HEARING on August 25, 2008 through and including August 29, 2008, each date at 8:30am in Department 88.**

Counsel for Respondent is to prepare the written Order.

**THE COURT ORDERS THAT THE PORTION OF THE TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS FOR THE CLOSED HEARING HELD IN THIS MATTER ON THIS DATE IS ORDERED SEALED AND IS OBTAINABLE ONLY BY COUNSEL OF RECORD APPEARING THIS DATE OR BY ORDER OF THE COURT.**