

IN THE YOUTH COURT OF ALCORN COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE INTEREST OF:

**CHRIS TESTCASE, A MINOR
(DOB: 1/11/1998)**

2-YC-2008-P-6-1(60055)

DISPOSITION ORDER

THIS Day this cause came on for a DISPOSITION HEARING with DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES DHS (DHS), CHRIS TESTCASE (YOUTH), and JENNY SUE TESTCASE (MOTHER - BIOLOGICAL) in attendance and before this Court and this Court finding that it has subject matter jurisdiction and fully considering the premises herein finds as follows, to-wit:

1. On 09/02/2008 this Court conducted an ADJUDICATION HEARING wherein CHRIS TESTCASE, alleged in Count 1 of the Petition to be a/an ABUSED CHILD as defined by §43-21-105(m) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, was adjudicated to be a/an an ABUSED CHILD.
2. Good and sufficient cause exists to enter a Disposition in this matter.

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that by way of disposition with regard to CHRIS TESTCASE having been adjudicated to be a/an ABUSED CHILD as defined by §43-21-105(m) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, as alleged in Count 1 of the Petition that the following disposition be and hereby is ordered for CHRIS TESTCASE: LEGAL AND PHYSICAL CUSTODY PLACED WITH DHS.

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that PHYSICAL AND LEGAL custody of CHRIS TESTCASE be and hereby is removed from JENNY SUE TESTCASE and placed with DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES DHS.

AND FURTHER, this Court finds that reasonable efforts have been made by the Mississippi Department of Human Services to maintain CHRIS TESTCASE within his own home, but that the circumstances warrant his removal and there is no reasonable alternative to custody. The Court further finds that the reasonable efforts to prevent removal made by the Mississippi Department of Human Services are as follows: -NO REASONABLE EFFORT NOTES ENTERED-.

AND FURTHER, this Court finds that the permanency plan of REUNIFICATION WITH A PARENT OR PRIMARY CARETAKER is appropriate and in the best interest of CHRIS TESTCASE and that the concurrent plan DURABLE LEGAL CUSTODY OR LEGAL GUARDIANSHIP is appropriate and in the best interest of CHRIS TESTCASE.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the

permanency plan of REUNIFICATION WITH A PARENT OR PRIMARY CARETAKER be and hereby is adopted for CHRIS TESTCASE and that the concurrent plan of DURABLE LEGAL CUSTODY OR LEGAL GUARDIANSHIP be and hereby is adopted for CHRIS TESTCASE and the Mississippi Department of Human Services be and hereby is ordered to make reasonable efforts to achieve the permanency plan of REUNIFICATION WITH A PARENT OR PRIMARY CARETAKER for CHRIS TESTCASE.

SO ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED this the 2nd day of September 2008.