

Mediation Company

3207 Mercer St.
Houston, TX 77027

AGREEMENT TO MEDIATE

This is an agreement between _____ and _____.

I understand that mediation is a process based on trust and cooperation that can help us discuss and resolve any conflicts that may exist between us. I agree to work in a spirit of open and full disclosure and to provide complete and accurate information during the mediation, including facts, documents, financial data, etc., in order that all parties involved can reach informed decisions.

I UNDERSTAND THAT THE MEDIATOR IS NOT A LEGAL ADVISOR AND CANNOT PROVIDE LEGAL ADVICE TO ANY PARTY INVOLVED IN MEDIATION. I understand that each party has the right to his or her own attorney, and I agree to notify all participants in the process if I have to obtain an attorney in this matter. I understand that no subpoenas, citations, writs, or other process shall be served at or near the location of the mediation upon any person entering, leaving, or attending the mediation.

I understand that mediation is confidential and that I cannot call upon the mediator or Mediation company or those from any mediation panel employees to testify concerning this mediation. I agree not to subpoena any documents about the case. I understand that Mediation Company will not retain records related to this case for more than four years. All notes will be destroyed by shredding immediately following the mediation.

I understand that if the mediator has cause to believe that a child's or elder's physical or mental health or welfare has been or may be adversely affected by abuse or neglect by any person, the mediator is obligated by law to report it to the appropriate authorities and that those specific issues are not covered by the confidentiality of a mediation session.

I understand that **THIS MEDIATION IS BINDING**, but it may not be inclusive of all terms necessary to finalize this dispute, but serves only to bind the primary terms of understanding.

Signature of Party One

Signature of Party Two

Date

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