**IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR POLK COUNTY**

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| IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF JOHN DOE AND JANE DOE |
| Upon the Petition ofJOHN DOE,Petitioner,And Concerning,JANE DOE,Respondent. | CASE NO. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE** |

 COMES NOW, the undersigned, attorney and in support of his Motion For Continuance, hereby states to the Court:

1. On January 01, 2017, Petitioner filed a Petition for Dissolution of Marriage.
2. On January 10, 2017, the Court entered a Family Law Case Requirements Order (with minor children) setting the Pretrial Conference for Friday, June 9th at 11:30 a.m. in Polk County.
3. On March 14, 2017 the undersigned attorney mailed Respondent a copy of the Petition for Dissolution of Marriage, Original Notice, and Family Law Case Requirements Order (with minor children) via regular U.S. Mail.
4. After multiple attempts to reach Respondent by telephone, the office of the undersigned attorney received a call back from Respondent to which he informed them he was willing to accept service of the Dissolution documents.
5. Respondent has yet to provide the undersigned attorney with the proper documentation of accepting service.
6. On June 8, 2017, the undersigned attorney provided the paperwork with a process server to formally serve Respondent.
7. Neither party will be prejudice by continuation of this hearing.

WHEREFORE the undersigned attorney hereby requests that the Court continue this Pretrial Conference for a later date.

Respectfully submitted,

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