

Court of Appeals, Division One

Civil - Family Court

1 CA-CV 26-0268 FC

LANGE v. LANGE

Appellate Case Information

Case Filed: 30-Mar-2026

Case Closed:

Dept/Composition

Side 1. In re the Matter of:

MELISSA AHEARN LANGE, Petitioner/Appellee

(Litigant Group) M. LANGE

- Melissa Ahearn Lange

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Side 2. ERIC KEVIN LANGE, Respondent/Appellant

(Litigant Group) E. LANGE

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CASE STATUS

Apr 8, 2026.....Stayed (until 6/9/26)

Table with 6 columns: PREDECESSOR CASE(S), Cause/Charge/Class, Judgment/Sentence, Judge, Role <Comments>, Trial, Dispo. Row 1: MAR, FC2022-003784, Petition to Modify Legal Decision-Making, Parenting Time and Child Support; Petitions to Enforce and for Contempt, Colleen E O'Donnell-Smith, Authoring Judge of Order.

2 OPEN DUE DATES

Case Management Statement due Due By: Friday, June 19, 2026

Re: * ORDERED: Notice of Rulings on Remaining Motions (Appellee) = (GRANTED) continuing the stay of this appeal until 06/08/2026, for the superior court to resolve the attorney fees and costs issues. FURTHER ORDERED: The stay will be lifted automatically on 0

Opening Brief Filing Due Due By: Thursday, July 9, 2026

Re: * ORDERED: Notice of Rulings on Remaining Motions (Appellee) = (GRANTED) continuing the stay of this appeal until 06/08/2026, for the superior court to resolve the attorney fees and costs issues. FURTHER ORDERED: The stay will be lifted automatically on 0

17 PROCEEDING ENTRIES

- 1. 30-Mar-2026 FILED: Motion to Docket Appeal; Certificate of Service (Appellee)
2. 30-Mar-2026 ORDERED: Motion to Docket Appeal (Appellee) = GRANTED and assigning this appeal caes number 1 CA-CV 26-0268 FC. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author
3. 2-Apr-2026 RECEIPT No.: 2026-00432 ; \$165.00, Authorization: # 92009844122, Applied to: E. LANGE - Class B Filing Fee (\$165.00) Paid for: Keith Berkshire - By nCourt LLC
4. 7-Apr-2026 FILED: e-Record on Appeal: Combined Instruments/Minute Entries Exhibits: Petitioner Hearing Date 09/07/2023 - List # 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 9, 10 Respondent Hearing Date 09/07/2023 - List # 11, 14, 15 Digital Exhibits: Petitioner Hearing Date 07/14/2025 - List # PET 1, 3, 9 Respondent Hearing Date 07/14/2025 - List# RESP 31, 32, 33, 34, 38, 39, 41, 42 Petitioner Hearing Date 09/10/2025 PET 1, 3, 11, 17, 32 Respondent Hearing Date 09/10/2025 - List# RESP 7, 18, 34 Petitioner Hearing Date 01/12/2026 - List# PET 4, 20, 22, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 36, 47, 48, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 71, 83, 85, 86, 91, 93, 98, 100, 101, 106, 107, 111, 113, 133, 144, 145, 167 Respondent Hearing Date 01/12/2026 - List # RESP 28, 34, 35, 36, 53, 54, 57, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 147
5. 7-Apr-2026 FILED: Index of Record, Notice of Appeal from Maricopa County Superior Court filed 03/09/2026
6. 7-Apr-2026 RECEIPT No.: 2026-00459 ; \$165.00, Authorization: # 92009844122, Applied to: M. LANGE - Class B Filing Fee (\$165.00) Paid for: Keith Berkshire - By nCourt LLC (Memo: X-Ref: 2026-00432; fee applied to incorrect litigant group)

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7. 7-Apr-2026 VOID RECEIPT No.: 2026-00432 - \$-165.00, Authorization: # 92009844122, - Applied to: E. LANGE - Class B Filing Fee (\$-165.00) Paid for: Keith Berkshire - By: nCourt LLC VOID Reason: Incorrect litigant group X-ref 2026-00459 -js
8. 7-Apr-2026 FILED: Motion to Stay Appeal and Revest Jurisdiction in the Trial Court; Certificate of Service (Appellee)
9. 7-Apr-2026 FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice re: Appellant's Fee/Case Management Statement/Brief Due
10. 8-Apr-2026 ORDERED: Motion to Stay Appeal and Revest Jurisdiction in the Trial Court (Appellee) = GRANTED and staying appeal until 05/11/2026, revesting jurisdiction in superior court and authorizing that court to consider all pending motions and issues. FURTHER ORDERED: If the superior court has not ruled on any pending motion or issue by 05/11/2026, appellee must file a notice in this court regarding the status of the superior court proceedings. FURTHER ORDERED: Appellee must file notice with ruling on the motions within 10 days after entry. If a party wants this court to review additional rulings, party must file timely notice of appeal or amended notice of appeal. FURTHER ORDERED: vacating the due dates for the case management statement and opening brief. The court will address the briefing schedule after the superior court rules on the pending motions and issues. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author
11. 21-Apr-2026 FILED: Respondent/Appellant's Notice of Filing Fee Payment (Appellant)
12. 21-Apr-2026 FILED: Respondent/Appellant's Certificate of Service of Notice of Filing Fee Payment (Appellant)
13. 27-Apr-2026 RECEIPT No.: 2026-00544 ; \$330.00, Authorization: #17012515971, Applied to: E. LANGE - Class A Filing Fee (\$330.00) Paid for: Nicholas J Brown - By nCourt LLC
14. 6-May-2026 FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record (Includes ME Rulings dated 4/17/26, 4/24/26, 4/27/26)
15. 6-May-2026 FILED: Notice of Rulings on Remaining Motions; Certificate of Service (Appellee)
16. 8-May-2026 ORDERED: Notice of Rulings on Remaining Motions (Appellee) = (GRANTED) continuing the stay of this appeal until 06/08/2026, for the superior court to resolve the attorney fees and costs issues. FURTHER ORDERED: The stay will be lifted automatically on 06/09/2026, unless before that date appellant files a motion to continue the stay of the appeal that describes the status of the attorney fees and costs issues. FURTHER ORDERED: Within 10 days after the superior court resolve the attorney fees and costs issues, appellant must file a notice in this court with the ruling attached. FURTHER ORDERED: that if a party wants this court to review any additional rulings, that party must file a timely notice of appeal or amended notice of appeal. FURTHER ORDERED: The case management statement is due by 06/19/2026, and the opening brief is due by 07/09/2026. If the statement and brief are not timely filed, this court will dismiss this appeal. Melina Brill ProTem Judge - Author
17. 15-May-2026 FILED: Supplemented Superior Court e-Record with Revised Index of Record