

Court of Appeals, Division One

Juvenile

1 CA-JV 26-0047

IN RE TERM OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AS TO L.S.

Appellate Case Information

Case Filed: 25-Mar-2026

Case Closed:

Dept/Composition

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CASE STATUS

Apr 20, 2026....Record Complete-Notice Completion Sent

Table with 6 columns: PREDECESSOR CASE(S), Cause/Charge/Class, Judgment/Sentence, Judge, Role <Comments>, Trial, Dispo. Includes rows for MAR JD534635 and MAR JS521402.

OPEN DUE DATE

Answering Brief Due

Due By:

Monday, June 22, 2026

Re: FILED: Appellant's Opening Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)

[1 extension]

12 PROCEEDING ENTRIES

- 1. 25-Mar-2026 FILED: Notice of Appeal from Maricopa County Superior Court filed 03/20/2026 and Notification of Notice of Appeal Filed (JS521402)
2. 25-Mar-2026 FILED: Notice of Appeal from Maricopa County Superior Court filed 03/20/2026 and Notification of Notice of Appeal Filed (JD534635)
3. 26-Mar-2026 FILED: Appellate Clerk Notice (606(b))
4. 27-Mar-2026 FILED: DCS's Notice of Change of Counsel; DCS's Certificate of Service for Notice of Change of Counsel (Appellee DCS)
5. 8-Apr-2026 FILED: E-Record on Appeal: JS521402 Instrument/Minute Entries: Combined Exhibits: Hearing Date: 01/16/2026 - LIST # E1 E2 E3 E4 E5 E6 E7 E8 E9 E10 E11 E12 E13 E14 E15 E16 E17 E18 E19 E20 E21 E22 E22 E23 E24 E25 E26 E27 E28 E29 E30 E31 E32 E33 E34 E35 E36 E37 E38 E39 E40 E41 E42
6. 8-Apr-2026 FILED: E-Record on Appeal: JD534635 Instrument/Minute Entries: Combined Exhibits: Hearing Date: 06/14/2022 - LIST # E1 Hearing Date: 04/22/2024 - LIST # E2 E3 E4 E5 E6 E7 E8 E9 E10 E11 E12 E13 E14 E15 E16 E17 E18 E19 E20 E20 E21 E22 E23 E24 E25 Hearing Date: 07/23/2025 - LIST # E1 E9 E10 E11 E12 E13 E14 E15 E16 E17 E19 E20 E22 E23 E25 E26 E28 E29 E38 E43 E52 E54 E63 E68 E69 E70 E71 E72 E73 E74 E75
7. 19-Apr-2026 FILED: Reporter's Transcripts - 01/16/2026 - Contested Severance Hearing (Hector Solomon)
8. 20-Apr-2026 FILED: Reporter's Transcripts - 01/28/2026 - Contested Severance DCS Petition (Hector Solomon)
9. 20-Apr-2026 FILED: Notice of Completion of Record
10. 11-May-2026 FILED: Appellant's Opening Brief; Certificate of Compliance; Certificate of Service (Appellant)
11. 28-May-2026 FILED: DCS's Motion to Extend Due Date for Answering Brief (Motion for a Procedural Order); DCS's Certificate of Service (Appellee DCS)

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12. 29-May-2026 ORDERED: DCS's Motion to Extend Due Date for Answering Brief (Appellee DCS) = GRANTED. Due date EXTENDED from Monday, 06-01-2026 to Monday, 06-22-2026. The court will not grant any further extension absent extraordinary circumstances. Patrick Philippe Lacroix ProTem Judge - Author