

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
APACHE COUNTY

<p>Thomas L. Wing, Visiting Judge COURT REPORTER: (Digitally Recorded)</p> <p>JV2008065</p> <p>In re the matter of:</p> <p>ROMERO, CHRISTIAN RYAN</p> <p>A Person under 18 years of age</p>	<p>SUE HALL, CLERK OF THE COURT By: LW, Deputy Clerk</p> <p>Hearing: November 18, 2009 Start: 3:00 PM End: 4:31 PM</p> <p>Michael Whiting, County Attorney [em] Apache County Attorney</p> <p>Wood Law Office [em]</p> <p>Apache County Juvenile Court Services [em]</p> <p>Law Ofc. of Matthew Riggs [em] Riggs &amp; Ellsworth, P.C.</p> <p>Marsha Gregory [em] Law Office of Marsha Gregory</p> <p>Betty Smith, Court Administrator [em] Apache County Superior Court</p>
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MINUTE ENTRY: Motions Hearing

PRESENT IN JUVENILE COURT: Erin Bloomfield, Parent/Guardian of the Juvenile; Ronald D. Wood of Wood Law Office, Attorney for the Juvenile; Steve Williams, for the Law Office of Matthew Riggs, Attorney for the Juvenile's Mother; Michael Whiting, County Attorney; Marsha Gregory, Guardian Ad Litem for the Juvenile and Juvenile Probation Department.

LET THE RECORD SHOW this is the date and time set for a Motions Hearing in the above-captioned matter.

The Court permits waiver of the presence of the minor, finding it is in his best interest that he be absent today in order to attend school.

The Court inquires if there are any further motions to be filed.

Both Counsel present their agreements concerning the motions filed.

The Court and Counsel discuss the motions and evidence presented for this hearing.

3:54 – Recess

4:14 – Hearing resumes with same parties present.

The Court comments on his reasons for ruling.

IT IS THE FINDING OF THE COURT that with the information before the Court regarding whether the Honorable Judge Michael P. Roca should now continue as the assigned Judge on this case, there is sufficient grounds to disqualify him under Rule 2A of the Rules of Juvenile Procedure and grants the Motion for Change of Judge for Cause.

This case will be referred back to the Presiding Judge of the Apache County Superior Court, the Honorable Donna J. Grimsley, for the scheduling of all further hearings.

Hearing concludes.