

In Re:

Approval of Online Parent Education Courses  
Pursuant to Minn. Stat. Sec. 518.157

**ORDER**

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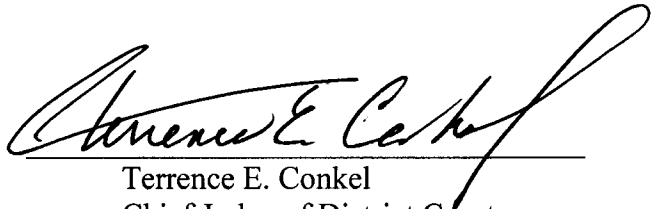
After review and due consideration

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. Sec. 518.157 the following online parent education courses are approved for use in the First Judicial District:
  - a. **“Parents Forever”** offered through the University of Minnesota Extension office;
  - b. **“Children in Between Online”** offered by the Center for Divorce Education.
  - c. **“Impact-Based Parent Education”** offered by Mediation Works North.
  - d. **“Online Parenting Programs”** offered by [onlineparentingprograms.com](http://onlineparentingprograms.com).
  - e. **MN Family Law Basics** offered by [mnfamilylawbasics.com](http://mnfamilylawbasics.com).
2. Upon request of counsel or the parties, the Court Administrators in the First Judicial District shall provide assistance and information concerning the availability and use of these programs to satisfy the requirements of Minn. Stat. Sec. 518.157.

3. This order does not preclude a District Court Judge from ordering that a specific parent education program be completed by a parent or parents in a particular case before the court.

Dated this 6th day of July, 2015.



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Terrence E. Conkel  
Chief Judge of District Court  
First Judicial District