

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LYCOMING COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

BARBARA LEVERING,
Petitioner

vs.

JAMES GOHL,
Respondent

: NO. 85-21,456

: Domestic Relations Section

: Exceptions

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OPINION AND ORDER

Before the Court are Respondent's exceptions to the Family Court Order of May 2, 2000, in which Respondent was directed to pay child support to Petitioner for the period of time from January 24, 2000 through March 1, 2000. Argument on the exceptions was heard June 21, 2000 at which time Respondent requested the preparation of a transcript. A transcript has been prepared and received by the undersigned.

In his exceptions, Respondent contends the hearing office erred in finding the child resided with Petitioner for the relevant period of time. Respondent testified at the hearing in Family Court that the child resided with Petitioner only nine (9) days after December 9, 1999 and after that time has been residing with Petitioner's parents during the beginning of each week and with himself during the end of each week. Petitioner testified, however, that the child resided with her until March 1, 2000. The Court will not disturb the hearing officer's finding respecting credibility and as his finding is supported by confident evidence, that finding will be upheld.

ORDER

AND NOW, this day of August, 2000, for the foregoing reasons, Respondent's exceptions are hereby denied and the Order of May 2, 2000 is hereby affirmed.

By The Court,

Dudley N. Anderson, Judge