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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

FAMILY DIVISION

CASE NO.

07-23744 FLD1

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF

SHAQUILLE R. O'NEAL,

Petitioner/Wife,

and

LA' SHAUNDYA NELSON O'NEAL,

Respondent/Husband.

DOMESTIC RELATIONS

TORTS

OTHER CIVIL

Simple dissolution

Professional
Malpractice

Contracts

Dissolution

Products
Liability

Condominium

Support - IV-D

Auto negligence

Real property/
Mortgage
Foreclosure

Support - Non IV-D

Other negligence

Eminent domain

URESA - IV-D

Other

URESA - Non IV-D

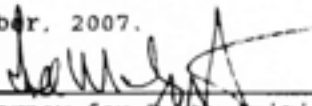
Domestic violence

Other

Jury Trial Demanded in Complaint?

Yes No

Dated this fourth day of September, 2007.



Signature for Attorney for Party Initiating Action
IRA M. ELEGANT, FB# 096760

REQUIRED INFORMATION

PETITIONER:

NAME: Shaquille R. O'Neal

DOB: March 6, 1972

SS#:

HOME ADDRESS:

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ATTORNEY: Ira M. Elegant, Esquire

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RESPONDENT:

NAME: Va'Shaundya Nelson O'Neal

DOB:

SS#:

HOME ADDRESS:

OFFICE TELEPHONE:

ATTORNEY:

ATTORNEY'S ADDRESS:

TELEPHONE:

FACSIMILE:

MINOR CHILDREN:

NAME:

DATE OF BIRTH:

Shareef O'Neal
Amirah Sanaa O'Neal
Shaquir Rashaun O'Neal
Mearah O'Neal

January 11, 2000
November 13, 2001
April 19, 2003
May 1, 2006

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CASE NO.

IN RE: The Marriage of

SHAQUILLE R. O'NEAL,

Petitioner/Husband,

and

VA'SHAUNDYA NELSON O'NEAL,

Respondent/Wife.

PETITION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE AND OTHER RELIEF

Petitioner/Husband, SHAQUILLE R. O'NEAL, shows:

1. This is an action for dissolution of marriage between Petitioner/Husband, SHAQUILLE R. O'NEAL, and Respondent/Wife, VA'SHAUNDYA NELSON O'NEAL.
2. Petitioner has been a resident for more than six months before filing this Petition.
3. The Petitioner and the Respondent maintained a matrimonial domicile in Miami-Dade County, Florida at the time this action began. They resided with their children at Miami Beach, Florida for a number of years preceding the commencement of this action.
4. Petitioner and Respondent were married to each other on December 26, 2002 in Beverly Hills, California.
5. The marriage between the parties is irretrievably broken.

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6. The parties have entered into a Cohabitation/Prenuptial Agreement and Acknowledgment of Property Disclosure and Waiver of Further Disclosure (collectively the "Agreement"), a copy of which will be filed, with leave of Court, under seal. The Agreement of the parties contains extensive provisions providing for confidentiality and non-disclosure. This Agreement must be considered by the Court in determining the obligations between the parties.

7. The parties have four children as issue of the marriage, namely:

Shareef O'Neal, date of birth: January 11, 2000

Amirah Sanaa O'Neal, date of birth: November 13, 2001

Shaquir Rashaun O'Neal, date of birth: April 19, 2003

Mearah O'Neal, date of birth: May 1, 2006

8. The minor children are presently in the care, custody, and control of the Petitioner/Husband and Respondent/Wife and reside at the former marital home,

Miami Beach, FL. The parties should share parental responsibility of the minor children. It will be in the best interests of the children for the Respondent/Wife to be designated as primary residential custodian of the minor children with responsible and liberal rights of visitation to the Petitioner/Husband.

9. The children resided from birth to present as follows:

2001 through August, 2004 -

August, 2004 through present -

10. The Petitioner/Husband has not participated as a party, witness, or in any other litigation or custody proceeding in this or any other State concerning the custody of the children subject to these proceedings.

11. The Petitioner/Husband has no information of any custody proceeding pending in any court in this State or any other State concerning the children subject to these proceedings.

12. The Petitioner/Husband does not know of any person other than the parents who have physical custody or claim to have custody or visitation rights with respect to the children subject to these proceedings.

13. The children are not subject to any existing child support order in this or any State or territory.

14. The parties have acquired certain personal property since they were married. The Petitioner/Husband requests that this Court divide this personal property in accordance with the Agreement. In the unlikely event the disposition of such property is not provided for in the Agreement, it should be equitably distributed.

15. The Respondent/Wife has been secretive about her assets and particularly with respect to certain properties owned or titled in either the Respondent/Wife's name alone or in other entities. In this regard, the Court should require the Respondent/Wife to make a full, true, and correct accounting of all money, funds, stocks, bonds, and other securities (including bearer securities) or properties standing in the name of the Respondent/Wife or designees, or in entities established by the Respondent/Wife which have come into the Respondent/Wife's possession, custody, or control during the marriage of the parties and to adjudicate and determine as a special equity or equitable

distribution to which the Petitioner/Husband is entitled in all such property accumulated during the marriage of the parties to the extent the same is not provided for in the parties' Agreement.

16. The Petitioner/Husband has retained the law firm of Buchbinder & Elegant, P.A. and has obligated himself to pay reasonable attorneys' fees thereto.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner/Husband prays for the Court to:

- a. Dissolve the marriage of the parties;
- b. Approve, ratify, and confirm the Cohabitation/Prenuptial Agreement of the parties;
- c. Order shared parental responsibility for the minor children of the parties and designate the Respondent/Wife as the primary residential custodian of the minor children with reasonable and liberal rights of visitation to the Petitioner/Husband;
- d. Determine, award, and require the Petitioner/Husband to pay reasonable child support to the Respondent/Wife;
- e. Determine the Petitioner/Husband's special equities, if any, in property in which the parties have an interest, in the event the Cohabitation/Prenuptial Agreement does not govern and control;
- f. Make an equitable distribution of the personal property, real property, and debts of the parties, special equity in any properties held in the Respondent/Wife's name alone, or in the joint names of the parties or entities established by the Respondent/Wife to the extent, if any, the Cohabitation/Prenuptial Agreement does not govern and control;

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g. Enter an Order granting the Petitioner/Husband the exclusive use and occupancy of the marital home in Miami-Dade County, Florida pending final hearing in this cause;


h. Require the Respondent/Wife to make a true and correct accounting of all monies, funds, or properties of the Respondent/Wife and the Petitioner/Husband which have come into her possession, custody, or control including rental income or proceeds of sales and that the Court require the Respondent/Wife to return to the Petitioner/Husband his own property and any profits or increases in value thereof and also to adjudicate and determine any special equity to which the Petitioner/Husband is entitled in any property accumulated during the marriage of the parties to the extent that the parties' Cohabitation/Prenuptial Agreement does not provide for the same;

i. Enter an appropriate Order temporarily enjoining the Respondent/Wife from withdrawing or in any way disposing of assets or sums standing in the joint names of the parties or in the name of the Respondent/Wife alone in any financial institution, brokerage house, or otherwise including real property located in the United States or abroad or wherever located pending the entry of a final judgment herein;

j. Enter an appropriate Order temporarily enjoining the Respondent/Wife from disposing, transferring, conveying, or dissipating any assets whether they stand in her name alone or otherwise, pending the entry of a final judgment herein; and

k. Grant such other and further relief as may be proper.

DATED this 24th day of July, 2007.


SHAQUILLE R. O'NEAL

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
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COUNTY OF Los Angeles) ss:
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BEFORE ME, personally appeared, SHAQUILLE R. O'NEAL, who, after being duly cautioned and sworn deposes and says that he is the Petitioner/Husband in the above cause; that he has read the foregoing and the contents thereof are true and correct; and that the Respondent/Wife, VA'SHAUNDYA NELSON O'NEAL, is over the age of eighteen (18) years and is not a member of the military service of the United States of America or any of its allies.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me by SHAQUILLE R. O'NEAL, who is personally known to me, this 24th day of July, 2007.



My commission expires: 3/29/08

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