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**IN THE MATTER OF A.C.G., AN INCAPACITATED PERSON**

## COVID 19 vaccination – Religious evidence

1. As was learned from a case involving a state’s smallpox vaccination mandate, a state has a right to compel an individual to receive a vaccination against his or her will as the police power of a state must be held to embrace such reasonable regulations established directly by legislative enactment as will protect the public health and the public safety. The possibility that the belief may be wrong, and that science may yet show it to be wrong, is not conclusive, for the legislature has the right to pass laws which, according to the common belief of the people, are adapted to prevent the spread of contagious diseases. The liberty secured by the Constitution to every person does not import an absolute right to be at all times and in all circumstances wholly free from restraint. Organized society could not exist with safety to its members if based on the rule that each one is a law unto himself. A local government can mandate vaccination as a prerequisite for enrolling in school.
2. When a dispute arises between guardians as to whether or not to exercise any of their powers, the Orphans’ Court Division, upon petition by any of the guardians or by any party of interest, aided if necessary, by the report of a master, in its discretion, may direct the exercise or nonexercise of the power as the court shall deem in the best interest of the incapacitated person.
3. The court will discern the medical evidence offered by the parties and follow the science. The court will not in any way consider religious evidence. It is beyond the juridical bounds of the court in a case like this to inquire into, weigh, or in any way characterize the religious tenets of a party. The right to practice religion freely does not include the liberty to expose the community or the child to communicable disease or the latter to ill health or death.
4. A.C.G. is 31 years old, an incapacitated person, who suffers from Down syndrome. Her father, N.P.G., petitions the court for authorization to have his daughter vaccinated with the COVID-19 vaccination. Mother, D.A.P., opposes said vaccination. Father and Mother are divorced but are Plenary Co-Guardians of the Person and Estate of their daughter.
5. Father provided evidence A.C.G. lived in a group home. Her primary physician indicated those suffering from Down syndrome have a compromised immune system. Further, A.C.G. has a heart defect and puts herself and others at risk for significant COVID illness by not receiving the COVID-19 vaccination. A.C.G.’s neurologist opined that vaccinating adults who are eligible is the most appropriate way to protect them from this unpredictable and at times devastating disease. An expert on infectious diseases from Virginia testified a study found individuals with Down syndrome had a four-fold greater risk of hospitalization and a ten-fold greater risk of death from COVID-19 compared with individuals without Down syndrome and that Down syndrome is now recognized by the CDC as a condition which increases the risk of severe COVID-19. According to this expert, the effectiveness of the COVID-19 vaccines is proven by who is in the hospital: the

unvaccinated.

6. Mother objects to her daughter receiving the COVID-19 vaccination. In addition to her medical objection, Mother also had concerns as a born-again Christian about administering the vaccine. She reads the Bible every day and, according to the Book of Revelation, immunization may provide the precursor of the mark of the beast on one's hand or forehead. If that occurs, then A.C.G. would be tormented in hell every day and every night forever in a lake of fire. Mother provided the testimony of a physician who maintained a COVID vaccine does not stop the transmission of the disease based on what she had read, but none of her readings were presented in court. This doctor opined that administering a COVID-19 vaccine to A.C.G. would be harmful, more harmful than being inflicted with the COVID disease itself. Her approach to treating this disease would be holistic, including optimize diet; hydrate; vitamins, including vitamin C, supplements, and Ivermectin. [The court took judicial notice the FDA issued a recent warning that the use of Ivermectin by humans is dangerous and could be fatal.] Mother also called the husband of the first doctor to testify. He opined A.C.G. was already vaccinated by being exposed in her environment. He also opined COVID-19 is not a virus; rather it is a poor immune function. He was also a proponent of Ivermectin. This expert of Mother's did concede patients who have Down syndrome do have a higher risk of contracting symptomatic infection and a higher risk of death compared with those who do not have Down syndrome. Mother was unable to personally attend the hearing of September 16, 2021 because she had contracted COVID-19, had been hospitalized and was now recuperating at home.
7. This court quoted the Virginia expert's opinion: there is perhaps no more striking demonstration of the benefit of vaccination than the fact that the burden of the disease in the U.S. is being borne by the unvaccinated: 97% of recent COVID-19 hospitalizations have been of unvaccinated patients and the unvaccinated account for more than 99% of deaths. The court Held COVID-19 represents a serious ongoing threat to health in the United States and it is particularly acute for individuals, like A.C.G., with Down syndrome as they have a substantially increased risk of hospitalization and death if they become infected. The science is clear and as the Virginia expert opined: this is not a difficult call. Vaccination against COVID-19 saves lives. This court agreed and authorized Petitioner to have his daughter vaccinated with the COVID-19 vaccination.

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C.C.P., Chester County, Pennsylvania, Orphans' Court Division No. 1517-0336; In the Matter of A.C.G., An Incapacitated Person

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Tunnell, J., October 5, 2021:-

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION  
NO. 1517-0336

IN THE MATTER OF A. C. G.,  
AN INCAPACITATED PERSON

## DECISION

### INTRODUCTION

A.C.G. was determined to be an incapacitated person by this court on April 24, 2017. She is the 31 year old daughter of the Petitioner, N. P. G. (or “Father”), and Respondent, D. A. P (or “Mother”). Although divorced, they petitioned to be and were named as Plenary Co-Guardians of the Person and Estate of their daughter. The parties are once again before this court because Father believes that it would be in A. C. G.’s best interest to be vaccinated against the COVID-19 virus. Mother disagrees. Both Guardians love their daughter and want her to be safe. After a three-day hearing, the court resolves the dispute by granting the Petition to Vaccinate filed by Father.

### BRIEF HISTORICAL OVERVIEW

If we dust off our history books, we recall that shortly after Dr. Edward Jenner created the smallpox vaccine in England in 1796, local governments in the United States began controlling physician inoculation.<sup>1</sup> Smallpox was the lethal and frightening scourge of the day.

The first laws requiring immunization appeared in the United States in the early nineteenth century. The earliest state to enact such laws was Massachusetts (1809). *Id.* at n. 19.

And the fight was on.

Small groups of anti-vaccinationists assembled in opposition to public school vaccination. They argued that school vaccination policies failed to prevent outbreaks, contained poisons causing more harm than good, and violated their religious beliefs. *Id.* at 1105.

By 1905, only six (6) states did not have a smallpox vaccination statute. In that year, the Supreme Court of the United States for the first time addressed the issue of state-compelled vaccination. The case was *Jacobson v. Massachusetts*, 197 U.S. 11 (1905) and it established the right of a state to compel an individual to

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<sup>1</sup> Alicia Novak, *The Religious and Philosophical Exemptions to State-Compelled Vaccination: Constitutional and Other Challenges*, 7 U. PA. J. CONST. L. 1101, 1105 (2005).

receive a vaccination against his or her will. The City of Cambridge, Massachusetts had adopted the following regulation:

Whereas smallpox has been prevalent to some extent in the City of Cambridge, and still continues to increase; and

[W]hereas, it is necessary for the speedy extermination of the disease that all persons not protected by vaccination should be vaccinated; and

[W]hereas, in the opinion of the board, the public health and safety require the vaccination or revaccination of all of the inhabitants of Cambridge;

[B]e it ordered, that all the inhabitants of the city who have not been successfully vaccinated since March 1, 1897, be vaccinated or revaccinated.

*Id.* at 12-13.

Jacobson refused to comply with this requirement. He was arraigned and pleaded not guilty. His conviction and appeal followed. *Id.* at 13.

Upon review, the Supreme Court ruled that “the police power of a state must be held to embrace, at least, such reasonable regulations established directly by legislative enactment as will protect the public health and the public safety.” *Id.* at 25. Of interest, the Court acknowledged that the principle of vaccination as a means to prevent the transmission or spread of smallpox has led to vaccinations as a condition to admission to the public schools. *Id.* at 31-32. The fact that the belief is not universal is not controlling, the Court remarked, for there is scarcely any belief that is accepted by everyone. *Id.* at 35. “The possibility that the belief may be wrong, and that science may yet show it to be wrong, is not conclusive, for the legislature has the right to pass laws which, according to the common belief of the people, are adapted to prevent the spread of contagious diseases.” *Id.* at 35 (citing *Viemester v. White*, 72 N.E. 97 (1904)).

To Jacobson’s argument that a compulsory vaccination law is arbitrary, oppressive, and hostile to his inherent right to care for one’s own body in such a way as to him seems best, the Court’s answer was that the liberty secured by the Constitution to every person does not import an absolute right to be at all times and in all circumstances wholly free from restraint. *Id.* at 26. The court further reasoned that organized society could not exist with safety to its members if based on the rule that each one is a law unto himself. *Id.* It would soon be confronted with disorder and anarchy. *Id.* Nor would real liberty for all exist if each individual could use his own liberty regardless of the injury that may be done to others. *Id.* The Court went on to hold that of necessity a community has the right to protect itself against an epidemic of disease which threatens the safety of its members. *Id.* at 27.

Thereafter, in 1922, the Supreme Court in *Zucht v. King*, 260 U.S. 174, 176 (1922) directly upheld a local government mandate that required vaccination as a prerequisite for enrolling in school. These cases remain good law.

These two cases and the “commitment of lawmakers to the principle of compulsory vaccination as a prerequisite to school enrollment” allowed for one of the “most momentous achievements” of public health during the nineteenth and twentieth centuries: a dramatic reduction in morbidity and mortality due to vaccine preventable illnesses. *Novak, supra*, at 1105. However, the case *sub judice* does not involve a statute, nor a prosecution. No agency is involved, nor any issue of the extent of the police power. It is a private dispute between parents in regard to their child’s medical treatment based, at least in part, on religious beliefs. Unfortunately, there seems to be a dearth of cases close to the facts here. The court nonetheless finds the principles and considerations addressed in the decisions mentioned above to be informative and useful guidance in this context.

### **Father’s Position and Support**

A.C.G. lives at Parzival, a group home in Phoenixville, Pennsylvania, along with several other similarly disabled individuals. According to Dr. McAuley, D.O., who is A.C.G.’s primary care physician, A.C.G. suffers from Down syndrome. This disorder manifests itself in intellectual disabilities and a compromised immune system. She is also on the autism spectrum and thus has difficulty recognizing social cues; she has behavioral issues. She takes medication for chronic constipation and dysuria. (Pet. Exh. 1).

For these conditions, A.C.G. receives certain benefits which include housing as well as behavioral, communication, education, speech, and occupation therapy. A.C.G.’s supports, which Father testified she needs, are provided by the Pennsylvania Consolidated Waiver. This program is designed to help individuals with like disabilities live more independently in their homes and communities by providing a variety of services. There is a waiting list of individuals applying for these waivers. Father testified that it is crucial to secure these supports for A.C.G.

Father told the court that he believes that the vaccine will protect A.C.G. from exposure to what could be very serious injuries from COVID-19. Father wants her “to be safe.” Father did meet with Mother who is against the idea of vaccination. He reviewed Mother’s documentation, which included a “Plandemic” video (The Plandemic: The Hidden Agenda Behind COVID-19). She also produced numerous articles by Geert Vanden Bossche. He is known for espousing the notion that vaccines actually cause COVID-19 variants by promoting the evolution of ever more dangerous escape variants.

Father talked to A.C.G.’s doctors and her physician’s assistant for help and guidance regarding immunization.

At trial, Father adduced the recommendations of A.C.G.’s treating physicians as summarized below.

**Valorie L. McAuley, D.O., PCP**

According to Dr. McAuley, A.C.G. has a repaired heart defect and remains at increased risk for congestive heart failure. Dr. McAuley opined that A.C.G. puts herself and others at risk for significant COVID illness by not receiving the COVID-19 vaccine. In response to the question “what is the basis for your recommendation?”, Dr. McAuley testified that Down syndrome patients are inherently at risk for cardiac disease and osteoporosis. If A.C.G. caught COVID-19, she would be at risk for significant complications from the disease. Her illness would also adversely impact her peers and roommates at her group home. She concluded “[i]t is in A.C.G.’s best interest to get vaccinated with the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccination.” (Pet. Exh. 1).

**Donald V. Ferrari, D.O., Cardiologist**

Dr. Ferrari acknowledged that Mother “does not want her daughter vaccinated and has a large stack of articles pointed to the dangers of the vaccine and the paucity of danger from SARS2 COVID-19 infection. I did provide my perspective on this based on medical science.” (Pet. Exh. 2).

**Philip A. Adelman, M.D., Neurologist**

Dr. Adelman concluded that “A.C.G. is an appropriate candidate to receive the COVID-19 vaccination. It is my opinion that vaccinating adults who are eligible is the most appropriate way to protect them from this unpredictable and at times devastating disease.” (Pet. Exh. 5).

Also testifying via Zoom from Charlottesville, Virginia was Patrick E.H. Jackson, M.D. He is an assistant professor of infectious diseases and is board certified in infectious diseases and internal medicine. His Curriculum Vitae (“CV”) was admitted at the hearing. His extensive experience and areas of research include the treatment of COVID-19. (Pet. Exh. 10). The court accepted Dr. Jackson as an expert witness in his foregoing fields of study.

Dr. Jackson testified that he reviewed the reports from A.C.G.’s treating doctors. Dr. Jackson opined that individuals with Down syndrome are at an increased risk of a poor outcome from COVID-19 compared with matched individuals without Down syndrome. He testified that a large study from the United Kingdom found that individuals with Down syndrome had a four-fold greater risk of hospitalization and a ten-fold greater risk of death from COVID-19 compared with individuals without Down syndrome. Down syndrome is now recognized by the CDC as a condition which increases the risk of severe COVID-19. He commented that she has been “lucky so far” because she is at risk for contracting this disease by reason of the number of still unvaccinated individuals and the alarming threat from variants of the disease.

Anticipating Mother’s arguments, Dr. Jackson laid out flatly that no supplements have been found to be effective in reversing the risk of COVID-19,



including herbal remedies. He acknowledged that new or repurposed drugs, including Remdesivir, corticosteroids and monoclonal antibodies, have shown some benefit for a subset of patients with COVID-19. However, he noted these medications reduce, but do not eliminate the chance of poor health outcomes.

Dr. Jackson testified that Ivermectin has been proposed for the treatment of COVID-19. Ivermectin is primarily used to treat horses and cattle for parasitic worms. It has not had convincing proof of benefit and has not been approved to treat or prevent COVID-19 in humans.<sup>2</sup>

Bolstering his opinions, Dr. Jackson produced the following papers:

*Science Brief: Evidence Used to Update the List of Underlying Medical Conditions that Increase a Person's Risk of Severe Illness from COVID-19*, CDC – May 13, 2021 update (Pet. Exh. 8)

P.E.H. Jackson, M.D., *Benefits and Risks of COVID-19 Vaccination* (Pet. Exh. 11)

*Guidance for Unvaccinated People*, updated June 11, 2021, CDC (Pet. Exh. 9)

According to Dr. Jackson, the effectiveness of the COVID-19 vaccines is proven by who is in the hospital: the unvaccinated.

### **Mother's Position and Support**

D.A.P. is the mother of A.C.G. and twin girls, aged 35, born to her marriage with Father. Mother worked for eighteen (18) years for Genesis HealthCare in Kennett Square, PA as an administrative assistant. Currently, she volunteers at several places. She informed Father that she had acquired numerous videos, articles by doctors, medicine inserts and other papers (such as by Geert Vanden Bossche) regarding the COVID-19 vaccines. She would not agree to A.C.G.'s vaccinations. She expressed concerns that A.C.G.'s heart might be impacted by "so many side effects" from the COVID vaccine. Mother testified that there was not enough data on the vaccine: "it's a gene vaccine – it was never used for viruses." Mother, based on her reading, believes that clinical trials take years to complete, whereas the use and experimental approval of the COVID-19 vaccine has been "ridiculously fast."

Mother conceded that two (2) years ago she was investigating fluoride and became concerned because she read that "if you swallow it, you could die." For that reason, she obtained a doctor's note to remove fluoride from A.C.G.'s toiletries.

Mother testified that she has no problem with Ivermectin or Hydroxychloro-

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<sup>2</sup> The court has taken judicial notice that the FDA issued a warning on August 21, 2021 that the use of Ivermectin by humans, *is dangerous and could be fatal* (emphasis added). This is quite an increment over the prior position of "non-approval" for use. See also <https://www.fda.gov/consumers/consumer-updates/why-you-should-not-use-ivermectin-treat-or-prevent-covid-19>.

quine. If A.C.G. got sick, Mother testified that she would (1) give A.C.G. Ivermectin and (2) take her to the hospital. Mother asserts that she did talk to A.C.G.'s treating physicians but maintained that they "refused to discuss vaccination" with her. She was "confused by their reaction."

In addition to her medical objection, Mother also had concerns as a born-again Christian about administering the vaccine. She reads the Bible every day and, according to the Book of Revelation, immunization may provide the precursor of the mark of the beast on one's hand or forehead. If that occurs, then A.C.G. would be tormented in hell every day and every night forever in a lake of fire.

Mother contacted Rashida Ghauri, M.D. for support at trial. The court admitted Dr. Ghauri's CV as Respondent's Exhibit 1. Dr. Rashida Ghauri is a diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine and of the American Board of Integrative Holistic Medicine.

Dr. Rashida Ghauri maintains that a COVID vaccine does not stop the transmission of the disease, based on what she has read. None of her "readings", nor any article, scientific or medical, were presented in court. A.C.G. is quite social and likes to travel. Although A.C.G. has been out and about, she testified there is "no need to do anything." She testified that she had no treatment recommendation today for A.C.G..

Dr. Rashida Ghauri offered several other opinions. According to Dr. Rashida Ghauri, giving a COVID-19 vaccine to A.C.G. would be harmful. She stated that COVID would not develop into a serious or fatal condition in A.C.G. because she is in good health. In other words, more harm would be done from the vaccine than from the COVID disease itself.

Her approach to treating this disease is holistic. For a COVID patient, she would do as follows:

- Optimize diet
- Hydrate
- Vitamin C
- Ivermectin
- Supplements
- Vitamins

On cross-examination by A.C.G.'s attorney, Dr. Rashida Ghauri conceded that she has no Down syndrome patients. She has not authored any publications. She has never advised a patient to get a vaccine shot. She was not wearing a mask in court because she did not believe in its efficacy.

Mother called as an additional expert witness the husband of Dr. Rashida Ghauri, Dr. Baber Ghauri, M.D. He, like she, is employed at Salus Integrative Health, in Newtown, PA. The court does not understand it to be associated with any recognized health system. Dr. Baber Ghauri is a diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine. He testified that he had substantial experience as a chief medical officer at the hospital level and direct experience in treating COVID patients. His

primary study is hospital medicine. He is a traveling doctor licensed in four (4) states. He stated that he was an internist by training and infectious diseases is one subset of that field.

Mother offered Dr. Baber Ghauri as an authority on the issues before the court. His curriculum vitae (CV) was admitted. (Exh. R-3). The court read the CV over and over. Although twenty-two (22) pages long, not one line on any page of the CV directly adverts to those issues. On the contrary, and in accordance with Dr. Baber Ghauri's own testimony, he is interested in dozens of disparate topics. The court listened intently as Dr. Baber Ghauri went on and on about all the things in which he was interested, resulting in less and less credibility to the witness.

He conceded that he has been banned from Linked-In. He says he has been "censored", stating "I don't know why." Linked-In is how D.A.P. first met him.

Dr. Baber Ghauri prepared two (2) reports with regard to vaccinating A.C.G.. (Exhs. R-4 and R-5). However, Father did not receive the reports until one day before the hearing. For obvious reasons, the reports were not admitted into evidence.

Dr. Baber Ghauri testified he was impressed with A.C.G.'s health. He deduced that her risk from exposure is "very low." Indeed, he said she really was already vaccinated by being exposed in her environment.

The root cause of COVID-19 infection, says Dr. Baber Ghauri, is not a virus. It is a poor immune function. He subscribes to strategies to reduce the risk of COVID-19 infection that include changes to lifestyle, proper nutrition, plasma exchange and medications such as Ivermectin, Quercetin and HCQ. He believes that protocols that he uses in his practice can treat COVID-19 infections successfully and with almost no medication related side effects. He says there has been too much emphasis on vaccines.

He suggests that "mounting data" for the drug Ivermectin, now 40 years old and a Nobel prize winning drug, continues to demonstrate success in reducing the progression of COVID-19 even in late stages. He contends entire countries, like Mexico, have been able to halt the spread of COVID-19 by employing Ivermectin. Thus, it is "disgraceful", he says, that medical leadership has continued to fail us by not doing the same.

Dr. Baber Ghauri was critical of Dr. Jackson's report specifically, and the hospital system we have in this country generally.

He disagreed with Dr. Jackson's testimony in regard to percentage of risks from the vaccine. The fact that there is a vaccine approved by the FDA which has not been made available on the market "seems very nefarious" to the doctor. This is because there are so many "unclear things from leadership."

Dr. Baber Ghauri did agree with Dr. Jackson on one point. Differing from his wife as well as D.A.P., he stated that patients who have Down syndrome do have a "higher risk of contracting symptomatic infection and a higher risk of death" compared with those who do not.

D.A.P. was unable to personally attend the hearing of September 16, 2021 because she had contracted COVID-19, had been hospitalized and was now recuperating at home.

ANALYSIS

As mentioned at the outset, both guardians love their daughter and want her “to be safe.” They have a fundamental disagreement as to how to keep her safe. When a dispute arises between guardians as to whether or not to exercise any of their powers, the Orphans’ Court Division, “upon petition by any of the guardians or by any party of interest, aided if necessary, by the report of a master, in its discretion, may direct the exercise or nonexercise of the power as the court shall deem in the best interest” of the incapacitated person. 20 Pa. C.S.A. §5144 (referring to 20 Pa. C.S. §3328(b)). Thus, it falls to this court to make that determination, guided always by what is deemed to be in A.C.G.’s best interest. *See* 20 Pa. C.S.A. §5521(a). To do that, the court will discern the medical evidence offered by the parties and follow the science. The court will not in any way consider religious evidence.<sup>3</sup>

Over seventy (70) years ago, the Supreme Court said concerning parents, which is no doubt fully applicable to guardians, that “[t]he right to practice religion freely does not include the liberty to expose the community or the child to communicable disease or the latter to ill health or death.” *Prince v. Massachusetts*, 321 U.S. 158 (1944). If parents refuse to wear a mask when required, and refuse to get a vaccine, they may be free to become martyrs to their cause, but it does not follow that they are free to “impose such martyrdom upon their offspring before they reach their age of full and legal discretion.” *See Matter of Cabrera*, 381 Pa. Super. 100, 113, 552 A.2d 1114, 1121 (1989) (noting *Prince*, *supra*.)

Mother has no medical training. She has, however, read inserts, fact sheets and other articles over the last year. One of her conclusions is that the risks of exposure to COVID-19 are “exaggerated”. Mother testified that the “FDA won’t change her mind.”

Dr. Jackson has countered that COVID-19 is a potentially fatal disease which has caused in the United States alone 649,000 deaths (now reported at over 700,000 deaths). Currently, there are 40 million COVID cases. It is true that many patients remain asymptomatic although infected with COVID-19. There is nonetheless a continuing risk to patients discharged from the hospital after “recovery” of COVID-19. Fifty-three percent (53%) reported fatigue, forty-three (43%) reported shortness of breath and twenty-one (21%) reported chest pain sixty (60) days after discharge.

Large segments of the U.S. population remain susceptible to infection. The CDC has estimated, according to Dr. Jackson, that between February 2020 and March 2021 there were a total of 114.6 million infections from COVID-19. In a total population of 328 million people, this leaves a substantial portion of the United States that has not been exposed to natural infection. A.C.G. remains one susceptible to infection.

As mentioned, and testified to by Dr. Jackson, individuals with Down syndrome are at increased risk of a poor outcome from COVID-19 compared with individuals without Down syndrome. A large study from the United Kingdom found

<sup>3</sup> It is beyond the juridical bounds of the court in a case like this to inquire into, weigh, or in any way characterize the religious tenets of a party.

that individuals with Down syndrome had a four-fold greater risk of hospitalization and a ten-fold greater risk of death from COVID-19 compared with individuals without Down syndrome. There is a study that shows that patients with Down syndrome and COVID-19 were more likely to experience confusion or altered consciousness. Based on this data, Down syndrome is recognized by the CDC as a condition which increases the risk of severe COVID-19. *Benefits and Risks of COVID-19 Vaccination*, Patrick E.H. Jackson, M.D., Manuscript (2021), pp. 1-3. Mother's own expert conceded as much.

Although the three (3) authorized COVID-19 vaccines, Pfizer, Moderna and J&J, have been granted emergency use authorizations, and Pfizer has been recently fully approved, critics argue the novelty of these vaccines and the rapidity of their development make them unreliable. The Pfizer and Moderna vaccines are the first nucleic acid vaccines to be used in humans. RNA-based therapies have been a subject of intense interest in recent years. Five (5) of these types of drugs are fully approved by the FDA for use in humans. Additionally, as Dr. Jackson pointed out, there have been decades of work on adenovirus vector-based vaccines and cancer therapeutics.<sup>4</sup>

Refuting Dr. Rashida Ghauri, Dr. Jackson testified that human cell lines have not been used in the manufacture of either the Pfizer or Moderna vaccines and these vaccines do not contain fetal material. The J&J vaccine is produced using the PER. C6 cell line which is derived from fetal tissue obtained following an elective abortion in the Netherlands in 1985. The vaccine does not contain fetal cells or DNA. The production of the vaccine does not require abortions to be performed.

Dr. Jackson testified that the Pfizer vaccine was found to have a 95% efficacy in reducing the risk of symptomatic COVID-19. The Pfizer vaccine also substantially reduces the risk of transmitting the virus to household contacts. The Moderna vaccine, after clinical trials, showed an efficacy of 94.1% in preventing symptomatic COVID-19 and 100% efficacy in preventing severe disease following large real-world studies. The J&J vaccine demonstrated 66.9% efficacy against moderate COVID-19 and 93.1% efficacy against COVID-19 requiring hospitalization. In Dr. Jackson's opinion, there is perhaps no more striking demonstration of the benefit of vaccination than the fact that the burden of the disease in the U.S. is being borne by the unvaccinated: 97% of recent COVID-19 hospitalizations have been of unvaccinated patients and the unvaccinated account for more than 99% of deaths.

After administration of millions of doses of all vaccines, reports of severe vaccine reactions are rare. Two rare but significant side effects have been noted. Guillain-Barre syndrome has been reported to occur at a rate of about 6.6 cases per one million vaccine doses in females aged 30 to 49. Thrombosis, which can be fatal, has been reported to occur at a rate of 8.8 cases per one million vaccine doses in females aged 30-49. Neither of these side effects have been associated with the mRNA vaccines.

Dr. Rashida Ghauri brought up the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting

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<sup>4</sup> A DNA vaccine was approved in 2005 for the prevention of West Nile Virus in horses.

System (VAERS). She claimed that one percent (1%) of the cases were reported to VAERS and therefore adverse events were underreported. Dr. Jackson points out the submissions to this system are monitored to permit identification of rare and unusual conditions. This is a useful public health data set that permits investigation of potential safety signals. Each VAERS report may or may not have value alone. Submissions are not centrally edited or individually evaluated for plausible association with vaccination. Attempts to evaluate vaccine safety by counting VAERS reports are misinformed and misleading. He noted that a paper which attempted to perform such an analysis recently was retracted. See Vaccines 2021, 9, 729 (retracting Walach, et al. *The Safety of COVID-19 Vaccinations – We Should Rethink the Policy*).

In sum, COVID-19 represents a serious ongoing threat to health in the United States. It is particularly acute for individuals, like A.C.G., with Down syndrome as they have a substantially increased risk of hospitalization and death if they become infected.

Fortunately, there are three (3) authorized vaccines for COVID-19. The vaccines are safe and effective for preventing disease, severe illness, and death, as borne out of by the great weight of science, study and medical opinion. Of these three (3) vaccines, the mRNA-based Pfizer vaccine is the most appropriate to minimize risk for females and maximize the benefit as far as possible. The science is clear and as Dr. Jackson has said “this is not a difficult call. Vaccination against COVID-19 saves lives.” This court agrees and so finds.

Yet, the fight goes on.

BY THE COURT:

Dated: October 5, 2021

/s/ Mark L. Tunnell, J.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION  
NO. 1517-0336

IN THE MATTER OF A.C.G.,  
AN INCAPACITATED PERSON

**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 5th day of October, 2021, upon consideration of the Petition for Approval to Vaccinate and a hearing held thereon, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that Petitioner is hereby authorized to have his daughter vaccinated with the COVID-19 vaccination.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Mark L. Tunnell, J.

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**CHANGE OF NAME NOTICE****IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA****CIVIL ACTION****LAW NO. 2021-09231-NC**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the name change petition of Melat Shume Bedsole was filed in the above-named court and will be heard on Monday, March 7, 2022 at 2:00 PM, in Courtroom 3 at the Chester County Justice Center, 201 West Market Street, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Date of filing the Petition: Friday, November 19, 2021

Name to be changed from: Melat Shume Bedsole to: Melat Getachew Bedsole

Any person interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

**CHANGE OF NAME NOTICE****IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA****CIVIL ACTION****LAW NO. 2021-08603-NC**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the name change petition of Sydney Howe-Barksdale on behalf of minor child Jayden Alexander Barksdale was filed in the above-named court and will be heard on Monday, February 7, 2022 at 2:00 PM, in Courtroom 3 at the Chester County Justice Center, 201 West Market Street, West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Date of filing the Petition: Thursday, November 4, 2021

Name to be changed from: Jayden Alexander Barks-

dale to: Jayden Miles Barksdale

Any person interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

Jay H. Ginsburg, Esq., Attorney for the Petitioner  
Adoption Advocates  
527 Swede Street  
Norristown, PA 19401

**CORPORATION NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Articles of Incorporation were filed with and approved by the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on the Wednesday, November 24, 2021 for **Unlimited Promotions Inc.** in accordance with the provisions of the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law of 1988. The purpose or purposes for which it was organized are: Any lawful purpose

**CORPORATION NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that Articles of Incorporation have been filed with the Department of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on 10/29/2021 under the Domestic Business Corporation Law, for Tri-M Group Holding Corporation, and the addr. of the registered office is 206 Gale Ln., Kennett Square, PA 19348.

**CORPORATION NOTICE**

NOTICE is hereby given that the **Certificate of Organization** has been filed with the Department of State of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of obtaining the Certificate of Organization pursuant to the provisions of the Business Corporation Law of 1988, 15 Pa. C.S. Section 8913.

The name of the corporation is: **882-109 Matlack, LLC** and the Certificate of Organization was filed on: **October 25, 2021.**

The purpose or purposes for which it was organized are: The limited liability company shall have unlimited power to engage in and do any lawful act concerning any or all lawful business for which corporation may be incorporated under the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law, as amended.

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The name of the corporation is: **Reading With Results, LLC** and the Certificate of Organization was filed on: **October 25, 2021**.

The purpose or purposes for which it was organized are: The limited liability company shall have unlimited power to engage in and do any lawful act concerning any or all lawful business for which corporation may be incorporated under the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law, as amended.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE

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The name of the corporation is: **Grisillo Family Child Care of Downingtown, LLC** and the Certificate of Organization was filed on: **October 25, 2021**.

The purpose or purposes for which it was organized are: The limited liability company shall have unlimited power to engage in and do any lawful act concerning any or all lawful business for which corporation may be incorporated under the Pennsylvania Business Corporation Law, as amended.

#### DISSOLUTION NOTICE

Notice of Dissolution of Med-Trans, Inc. Please be advised that the Incorporation known as Med-Trans, Inc., doing business at R.D. 1, Box 212, Downingtown, PA 19335 has been dissolved by mutual consent of the members as of December 31, 2020.

1. All claims against the assets of the limited liability company must be made in writing and include the claim amount, basis and origination date.
2. The deadline for submitting claims is two years after the date of this publication.
3. Any claims that are not received by the Incorporation within two years from the date of this publication will not be recognized.
4. Debtors are requested to pay all outstanding obligations no later than ninety (90) days from the date of this publication. Payment should be made to Med-Trans, Inc.

5. All claims and payments must be sent to 100 Mt. Laurel Court, Parkesburg, PA 19365

#### ESTATE NOTICES

*Letters Testamentary or of Administration having been granted in the following Estates, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedents are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to the said decedents are requested to make payment without delay to the respective executors, administrators, or counsel.*

#### 1st Publication

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**NGUYEN**, Tan Thanh, late of East Caln Township. Quynhchau Le-Khac, care of KRISTEN R. MATTHEWS, Esquire, 17 W. Miner St., West Chester, PA 19382, Administratrix. KRISTEN R. MATTHEWS, Esquire, MacElree Harvey, LTD., 17 W. Miner St., West Chester, PA 19382, atty.

**OLSON**, Gene Leon, late of Upper Providence. John Olson, 9 Rutherford Ct., Royersford, PA 19468, Executor.

**PARKES**, Nancy L., late of Oxford Borough. L. Peter Temple, care of DONALD B. LYNN, JR., Esquire, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executor.

**PERFETTO**, Monica M., late of East Coventry Township. Joseph James Perfetto, care of CAROLYN MARCHESANI, Esquire, PO Box 444, Pottstown, PA 19464, Executor. CAROLYN MARCHESANI, Esquire, Wolf, Baldwin & Associates, P.C., PO Box 444, Pottstown, PA 19464, atty.

**PIAZZA**, Vincent M., late of Schuylkill Township. Veronica A. Piazza, Vincent M. Piazza, Jr., Daniel J. Piazza, Tony C. Piazza and Thomas J. Piazza, care of LISA A. SHEARMAN, Esquire, 375 Morris Rd., P.O. Box 1479, Lansdale, PA 19446-0773, Executors. LISA A. SHEARMAN, Esquire, Hamburg, Rubin, Mullin, Maxwell & Lupin, PC, 375 Morris Rd., P.O. Box 1479, Lansdale, PA 19446-0773, atty.

**RUNNION**, Dianne F., a/k/a Dianne Runnion and Dianne Franciscus Runnion, late of West Pikeland Township. Alyssa Osayande, care of DAVID R. WHITE, JR., Esquire, Ten Penn Center, 1801 Market St., Ste. 1140, Philadelphia, PA 19103, Administratrix. DAVID R. WHITE, JR., Esquire, Fineman

Krekstein & Harris, P.C., Ten Penn Center, 1801 Market St., Ste. 1140, Philadelphia, PA 19103, atty.

**STEVENS**, Greta P., late of East Pikeland Township. Gordon D. Stevens, Jr. & Theodore M. Stevens, care of ANDREW H. DOHAN, Esquire, 460 E. King Road, Malvern, PA 19355-3049, Executors. ANDREW H. DOHAN, Esquire, Lentz, Cantor & Massey, LTD, 460 E. King Road, Malvern, PA 19355-3049, atty.

**THOMPSON**, Shirley L., late of Kennett Township. L. Peter Temple, care of DONALD B. LYNN, JR., Esquire, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executor. DONALD B. LYNN, JR., Esquire, Larmore Scarlett LLP, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, atty.

**WINCHELL**, Anthony H., late of Kennett Township. David Winchell, care of L. PETER TEMPLE, Esquire, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, Executor. L. PETER TEMPLE, Esquire, Larmore Scarlett LLP, P.O. Box 384, Kennett Square, PA 19348, atty.

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#### FICTITIOUS NAME

*NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Fictitious Names Act of 1982, 54 Pa.C.S. Section 301 et seq., which repealed prior laws on the subject, any entity or entities (including individuals, corporations, partnership or other groups, which conduct any business in Pennsylvania under an assumed or fictitious name shall register such name by filing an application for registration of fictitious name with the Department of State for the conduct of a business in Chester County, Pennsylvania under the assumed or fictitious name, style or designation of*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application for registration of the assumed name **The Kirkman Oliver Company** for the conduct of business in Chester County, Pennsylvania, with the principal place of business being 1220 Ward Ave., Suite 300, West Chester, PA was made to the Department of State of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, on the 12th day of November 2021, pursuant to 54 Pa.C.S. §311. The name of the entity owning or interested in the said business is TKO Energy, LLC.

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**NOTICE TO THE DEFENDANT,  
ALLISON E. HANNA  
CORDERO MORAN V HANNA,  
NO. 2018-07118-DI**

An affidavit and counter affidavit alleging a separation for over 2 years and Notice of Intention have been filed with the Court of Common Pleas. Copies of these documents can be obtained by contacting counsel for Plaintiff at: Amparito Arriaga, Esquire, P.O. Box 1047, Exton, PA 19341; 610/ 429-5398. If after twenty (20) days you have failed to file a response with the Court or contact counsel for the Plaintiff, a Praecipe to Transmit the Record seeking the entry of a Final Decree in Divorce may be filed. YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW TO FIND OUT WHERE YOU CAN GET LEGAL HELP.

LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE  
Chester County Bar Association  
15 West Gay Street  
West Chester, PA 19380  
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action within twenty (20) days after this petition and notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the court without further notice for any money claimed in the petition or for any other claim or relief requested by the plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you. YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW. THIS OFFICE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE. LAWYER REFERRAL AND INFO. SERVICE, Chester County Bar Assn., 15 W. Gay St., 2nd Fl., West Chester, PA 19381-3191, 610.429.1500

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**QUIET TITLE NOTICE  
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
CHESTER COUNTY, PA  
ORPHANS' COURT DIV.  
NO. 1520-1276**

**IN RE: ESTATE OF WILLIE LENZIE ALSTON,  
DECEASED**

RE: Notice to Unknown Persons, Firms or Associations, as well as unknown heirs, successors, or assigns of Rachel Hovington of the Petition to Quiet Title for Property Located at 108 (a/k/a 110) Poplar Street, West Chester, PA 19382 (Being UPI No. 1-6-61) owned by the Estate of Willie Lenzie Alston, Deceased. You may request a copy of the Petition to Quiet Title by contacting John F. McKenna, Esq., 610.840.0215. SERVICE PURSUANT TO SPECIAL ORDER OF COURT NOTICE If you wish to contest or defend against the claims set forth in the Petition to Quiet Title, you must take

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