

10-555. Motion to appoint attorney for fourteen (14) year-old child.

[For use with Rules 10-165, 10-312 and 10-313 NMRA
and Section 32A-4-10 NMSA 1978]

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF _____
_____ JUDICIAL DISTRICT
IN THE CHILDREN'S COURT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ex rel.
CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES DEPARTMENT

No. _____

In the Matter of

_____, (a) Child(ren), and Concerning
_____, Respondent(s).

**MOTION TO APPOINT ATTORNEY
FOR FOURTEEN (14) YEAR-OLD CHILD**

The undersigned attorney as guardian ad litem for _____ (*name of child*) notifies the court that:

(1) _____ (*name of child*) [is reaching] [has reached] fourteen (14) years of age;

(2) I have explained to this child the child's right to be represented by an attorney in all further proceedings in this case; and

(3) (*Select appropriate option*)

The child has requested that another attorney be appointed to represent the child.

I request the court to appoint another attorney to represent this child.

Dated: _____

Attorney

Signed

Name (*print*)

Address (*print*)

City, state, and zip code (*print*)

Telephone number

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE¹

I hereby certify that on this ____ day of _____, _____ this motion was served on _____ (*name of person served*) by:

(complete applicable alternative)

[United States first class mail, postage prepaid, and addressed to:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State and zip code: _____]

[fax to _____ the above named person. The fax consisted of _____ pages and was sent to: _____ (*fax number of person served*). The transmission was reported as complete and without error. The time and date of the transmission was _____ (a.m.) (p.m.) on _____ (*date*).]

Signature of attorney

USE NOTES

1. A copy of this motion shall be provided to the child, and the motion shall be served on the other parties.

[Approved by Supreme Court Order No. 06-8300-004, effective March 15, 2006; 10-408C recompiled and amended as 10-555 by Supreme Court Order No. 14-8300-009, effective for all cases filed or pending on or after December 31, 2014.]