# The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

### CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

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have called and caused to come before me Joan Vivian Wilson		Willie Lee	<del>-</del>
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19 59, at the office ofErnest M. Bailey, Attorne	y at Law	ady of odife	
in, Alabama, and having first sworn	n said witness	to speak the	
truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the saidJoan and Willie Lee Wilson	n Vivian W	/asp	
STIMONY OF JOAN VIVIAN WASD.	say as follows	<b>:</b>	

TESTIMONY OF JOAN VIVIAN WASP:

My name is Joan Vivian Wasp and I am the Complainant in the above cause. My name is Joan Vivian wasp and I am the Complainant in the above cause. The Respondent and I are both over the age of twenty-one years and are resident citizens of Baldwin County, Alabama. We were married in Jackson, Mississippi on May 16, 1956 and lived together as husband and wife until and body. The Respondent has made numerous threats on prior occasions to commit physical harm to me and I am of the opinion that if I continue to live with him as his wife, he will commit actual violence upon my person, attended with danger to my life and health.

TESTIMONY OF WILLIE LEE WILSON:

My name is Willie Lee Wilson and I am the father of the Complainant in this cause. On June 14. 1959 I went over to my daughter's house and on entering, them and told him to get out. When he got up from the bed he cursed me and assaulted me. I know that he had made threats against the Complainant and believe that if she continues to live with him, he will commit violence upon her person and may injure her permanently

JOMPLAINANT Wasp

I, Helen Bailey as Register and Commissione	er hereby certify				
that the foregoing deposition on Oral Examination was taken down in writing by	me in the words				
of the witnesses and read over to them and they signed the same in	n the presence of				
myself and Ernest M. Bailey, Attorney at Law					
at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal	al identity of said				
witness es or had proof made before me of the identity of said witness es; t	hat I am not of				
counsel or of kin to any of the parties to said cause, or any manner interested in the result thereof.					
I enclose the said Oral Examination in an envelope to the Register of s	aid Court.				
Given under my hand and seal, this 39 day of June L.	, 19 <u>_5</u> 9.				
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#### ANSWER AND WAIVER

Comes the Respondent in the above styled cause and for answer to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause and each and every paragraph thereof, says:

- 1. The Respondent admits the allegations of the first paragraph of the Bill of Complaint.
- 2. The Respondent admits the allegations of the second paragraph of the Bill of Complaint as to the date of marriage and date of separation but denies all other allegations of this paragraph and demands strict proof thereof.
- 3. The Respondent admits the allegations of the third paragraph of the Bill of Complaint, and admits all other allegations contained in the said Bill of Complaint.

Respondent hereby accepts service of a copy of the Summons and Complaint in this cause and waives further service of the same. The Respondent also waives notice of taking of testimony in this cause and notice of submission of said cause and agrees that the testimony may be taken and the cause submitted without further notice to him.

WASHINGTON WASP

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 30th day of June,

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF ALABAMA

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#### TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summon Washington Wasp to appear and plead, answer or demur, within thirty days from service hereof, to the Bill of Complaint, filed against him in the Circuit Conrt of Baldwin County, Alabama, in Equity, by Joan Vivian Wasp, as Complainant, against Washington Wasp, as Respondent.

Witness my hand this the A day of June, 1959.

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Comes your Complainant, Joan Vivian Wasp, and files this her Bill of Complaint for divorce against Washington Wasp, and shows unto Your Honor and unto this Honorable Court as follows:

#### FIRST:

That your Complainant and the Respondent are both over the age of twenty-one years and are resident citizens of Baldwin County, Alabama, residing at Point Clear, Alabama.

#### SECOND:

That your Complainant and the Respondent were married on, heretofore, to-wit, May 16, 1956 in Jackson, Mississippi, and lived together as husband and wife until on, to-wit, June 14, when on account
of the matters hereinafter complained of, the Complainant was compelled to live separate and apart from the Respondent; that Complainant avers that on June 14, 1959, the Respondent did strike her on
and about the face and other parts of her body; that the Respondent
has on other occasions committed physical violence to the Complainant; Complainant avers and charges that the Respondent has made

numerous of doing her physical harm and from his manner and conduct toward her, she is certain that if she continues to live with him as husband and wife, he will commit actual violence upon her person, attended with danger to her life and health.

#### THIRD:

That there was born of this marriage between Complainant and Respondent the following named children: Johnny Augusta Wasp, aged three years, Joannia Wasp, aged two years and Rodney Wasp, aged one year. That your Complainant is a fit and proper person to have the care, custody and control of the said minor children.

#### FOURTH:

That the Complainant and Respondent have reached an agreement as to the custody of the above named minor children and that the Respondent agrees to pay to Complainant the sum of \$12.00 per week as and for the support and maintenace of the minor children, a copy of which agreement is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

#### PRAYER FOR PROCESS AND RELIEF:

The premises considered, your Complainant prays that the above named Washington Wasp be made a party Defendant to this cause by the usual writ or process of this Honorable Court requiring him to appear and plead, answer or demur within the time and under the penalties prescribed by the rules of this Court and the Statutes in such cases made and provided; that upon a final hearing of this cause, Your Honor will award the care, custody and control of the said minor children herein named to the Complainant and will grant unto Complainant an absolute divorce from Respondent and will decree that the parties be allowed to remarry if they see fit. Should Complainant be mistaken in the relief prayed for, that there be granted to her such other, further and different relief as in duty bound she will ever pray.

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STATE OF ALABAMA - BALDWIN COUNTY:

Before me personally appeared Joan Vivian Wasp, who, after being by me duly sworn, deposes and states that the allegation contained in the Bill of Complaint are true.

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#### STIPULATED AUREEMENT

It is hereby stipulated and agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows:

- 1. That the Complainant shall have the full care, custody and control of the minor children named in the Bill of Complaint, viz: Johnny Augusta, Joannia Wasp, and Rodney Wasp, It is further agreed that the Respondent shall have a right of visitation to the children at reasonable times.
- 2. The Respondent agrees to pay to Complainant as and for the support and maintenance of the said minor children the sum of Twelve (\$12.00) Dollars per week, the first of which payments to commence on Saturday, July 11, 1959, and a similar installment to be payable on the same day of each week thereafter.

It is further agreed between the parties to this cause that this agreement may be used as a part of the proceedings for divorce by either party and may be confirmed and ratified by any Court having jurisdiction thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to this agreement have hereunto set their hands and seals on this the 27 mday of June, 1959.

Jan Villian WASP (SEAL)

WITNESS FOR COMPLAINANT:

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WASHINGTON WASP (SEAL)

WITNESS FOR RESPONDENT:

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