#### The State of Alabama, Baldwin County

#### CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

GLADYS RODRIGUEZ

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| EPHRAIM RODRIG   | JEZ  | , Respondent   |
| Answer & Waiver of Respo   | ndentand Testimony   | of Complaint, Decree From Confesse xonx<br>as noted by the Register, and upon con-<br>at is entitled to the relief prayed for in |
| aid bill.  It is therefore ordered, adjudged existing between the Complainant and  | and decreed by the Court t   | that the bonds of matrimony heretofore are hereby dissolved, and that the said   |
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| o each other until sixty days after th<br>lays, neither party shall marry except   | rendition of this decree, a<br>to each other during the pe<br>emplainant and Responden<br>of the cost of this suit.  | t be, and they are hereby permitted to   |
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| ·  | Court of Baldwin County, oregoing is a correct copy o  | Alabama, do hereby certify that the of the original decree, rendered by the n the above stated cause, which said                 |
|  | Witness my hand and  | d seal this theday   |
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## THE STATE OF ALABAMA BALDWIN COUNTY

In Circuit Court, In Equity

Complainant

vs.

Respondent

### DIVORCE DECREE

| GLADYS RODRIGUEZ,  | ) | IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF |
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| Complainant,       | ) | TO A TONIJET AND A DEA  |
| Vs.                | ) | BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA |
| EPHRAIM RODRIGUEZ, | ) | IN EQUITY.              |
| Respondent.        | ) |                         |

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA, SITTING IN EQUITY:

Your Complainant, Gladys Rodriguez, respectfully represents and shows unto the Court and your Honor as follows:

1. The Complainant is over the age of twenty-one years and is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama.

The Respondent is over the age of twenty-one years and is a resident of the State of New York.

- 2. The Complainant and the Respondent were lawfully married on or about, to-wit, June 20. 1949, at New York City, New York.
- 3. Complainant avers that the said Respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of your Complainant for more than one year next preceding the filing of this bill of Complaint, since which time, Complainant and Respondent have not lived together nor in any way recognized each other as husband and wife.
- 4. There was born to the Complainant and Respondent during this marriage, two children, namely, Steven Rodriguez, age 9 years, and Robert Rodriguez, age 7 years, sons, who are now in the care, custody and control of your Complainant, who is a fit and proper person to have the care, custody and control of said minor children.

The premises considered, your Complainant makes the said Ephraim Rodriguez party respondent to this bill of Complaint and in order that Complainant may have the relief herein prayed for, may it please the Court to cause the Respondent to appear and plead, answer or demur to this Bill of Complaint within the time prescribed by law and under the rules and practices of this Court; that the Court will see fit to grant her an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony with the Respondent, and granting both the Complainant and the Respondent the right to remarry, and that your Honor will grant your Complainant the care, custody and control of said minor children of

the parties; that your Honor will allow the Respondent to see and visit said minor children at all reasonable times; that your Honor will grant such other, further and different relief as unto your Honor may seem just, fit and proper in the premises.

Slicit Gladys Rodriguez

James R. Owen, Solicitor for Complainant.

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COMPLAINANT,)

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

vs.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF

BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA,

IN EQUITY

EPHRAIM RODRIGUEZ,

RESPONDENT.)

#### ANSWER AND WAIVER

Comes the Respondent in the above entitled cause and for answer to the Bill of Complaint therein admits the allegations as to the ages, residences and marriage and denies each and every other allegations of said Bill of Complaint and demands strict proof thereof.

Respondent agrees that the testimony in this cause may be taken by deposition on oral examination, and waive notice of the time and place of the taking of such testimony and agrees that this cause may be submitted for final decree at any time.

Respondent waives all notices to which he may be entitled by law in this cause.

Respondent agrees and consents that the testimony in this cause may be taken by a commissioner, without issuance of a commission.

RESPONDENT

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Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
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| My name is Gladys Rodriguez and I a styled cause.  The respondent and I were lawfully  |  |  |

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| I, Alice L. Miller                                   | _as Register and Commissioner hereby certify        |
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| that the foregoing deposition on Oral Examination    | n was taken down in writing by me in the words      |
| of the witnessand read over to her and               | She signed the same in the presence of              |
| myself and James R. Owen                             | . ·   |
| at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have  | e personal knowledge of personal identity of said   |
| witnessor had proof made before me of the ide        | entity of said witness; that I am not of            |
| counsel or of kin to any of the parties to said caus | se, or any manner interested in the result thereof. |
| I enclose the said Oral Examination in an env        | velope to the Register of said court.               |
| Given under my hand and seal, this 16                | day of October , 19 59                              |
|  | Glie L' Miller (L. S.)                              |
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# THE STATE OF ALABAMA Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO: ALICE L. MILLER

KNOW YE: That we, having full faith in your prudence and competency, have appointed you Commissioner, and by these presents do authorize you, as such time and place as you may appoint, to call before you and examine Gladys Rodriguez

a witness in behalf of complainant in a cause pending in our Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein Gladys Rodriguez

and Ephraim Rodriguez

, Complainant

Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon Glayds Rodriguez to take and certify the deposition of the witness and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 16th

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