

SUPREME COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA
(FAMILY DIVISION)

Citation: Power v. Power, 2013 NSSC 99

Date: 20130312

Docket: 1201-059120

Registry: Halifax

Between:

Joseph Patrick Power

Petitioner/Respondent

v.

Angela Rose Power

Respondent/Applicant

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Judge: The Honourable Justice Mona M. Lynch

Heard: February 25, 2013 in Halifax, Nova Scotia

Subject: Family - child support - retroactive

Summary: Parties separated in 2002 and divorced in 2005. CRJ required father to pay child support for two children based on income of \$52,600. Mother applied to vary in 2010 and father filed and provided documentation showing his income was \$40,000 and threatened to apply for a reduction in child support. Mother applied again in late 2011. Father filed a statement of income showing income of \$52,000. Closer to the hearing date, the father admitted to deceiving the mother and the court. Father provided documentation showing income well above amount disclosed.

Issue: What is the father's income? Is an order for retroactive child support appropriate? If so, in what amount?

Result: Retroactive child support order of \$171,786.00.

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