## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA (FAMILY DIVISION)

**Citation:** J. E. S. v. A. J. M., 2008 NSSC 302

**Date:** 20081017

**Docket: SFHMCA-31396** 

**Registry:** Halifax

Between: J. E. S.

Applicant / Respondent

v.

A. J. M.

Respondent / Applicant

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**Judge:** The Honourable Justice Beryl MacDonald

**Heard:** September 15, 16 and 17, 2008 in Halifax, Nova Scotia

Written

**Decision:** October 17, 2008

Subject: Family Law, Variation, Custody, Access, Child Support

**Summary:** The parents were embroiled in a high conflict relationship with

their son caught in the middle. The Mother wished to continue shared parenting, the Father requested primary care. A parental capacity assessment recommended primary care to the father.

**Issue:** What was the appropriate parenting plan for this child and what

child support payment should result from that plan.

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**Result:** 

The child was placed in the sole custody of the Father with a specific access schedule with the Mother. The Mother was to pay table guideline child support but was financially unable to contribute to section 7 expenses. The Father's request to forgive arrears of child support was denied.

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