

IN THE SUPREME COURT  
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

**JUDGMENT**

Supreme Court No. 20220193  
Burleigh County Case No. 05-C-0073

Appeal from the district court for Burleigh County.

**Burleigh County Social Service Board as  
assignee for Heather Odden, n/k/a Heather Zins,**

**Plaintiff and Appellee**

v.

**Mark Rath,**

**Defendant and Appellant**

[¶1] This appeal was considered by the Court at the December Term and an opinion was filed. The Court considered the matter, and

[¶2] IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the district court's orders granting the State an extension, protection orders on behalf of Zins, and the final judgment denying Rath's motion to amend his child support obligation are **AFFIRMED**, the district court's orders denying Rath's applications to file pleadings pursuant to a vacated pre-filing order is **REVERSED**, and the matter **REMANDED** for further proceedings consistent with the opinion.

[¶3] IT IS FURTHER ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that Burleigh County Social Service Board as assignee for Heather Odden, n/k/a Heather Zins have and recover from Mark Rath costs and disbursements on this appeal under N.D.R.App.P. 39, to be taxed and allowed in the court below.

[¶4] This judgment, together with the opinion of the Court filed this date, constitutes the mandate of the Supreme Court on the date it is issued to the district court under N.D.R.App.P. 41.

Dated: February 16, 2023



By the Court:

Jon J. Jensen  
Chief Justice

ATTEST:

Petra H. Mandigo Hulm  
Clerk