

SUMMARY STATEMENT
Johnson v. Murphy, Docket. No. 47927

In this expedited appeal, the Idaho Supreme Court affirmed the magistrate court's child custody order. The order awarded the parents joint legal custody and physical custody of the child, with the father receiving primary physical custody unless the mother moved back to Coeur d'Alene from Boise. After reviewing the findings of fact and conclusions of law, the Idaho Supreme Court concluded that the magistrate court considered and carefully weighed all of the relevant factors set forth in Idaho Code section 32-717, did not overemphasize any individual factors, and ultimately determined what was in the best interests of the child. Accordingly, the magistrate court did not abuse its discretion in its final custody determination.