

Child Custody Dispute Form

The Citizen Report Child Custody Dispute Form is designed to remove police officers from the process of documenting Child Custody Disputes. It is to be completed by the citizen and kept for your own records. Records may provide an incident number for you if requested. **Hanford Police Department will not generate a case number for these incidents, unless specific elements exist below. If you have questions about your situation, you can request to speak with an officer.**

Child Custody Disputes – For non-violent child visitation violations. > *Use Child Custody Dispute Form.*

Do not use this form if violence is involved; there is a possibility of danger to the child; kidnapping or abduction is suspected, or you want to file a Missing Juvenile Report.

**HANFORD POLICE
DEPARTMENT**
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**CITIZEN REPORT
CHILD CUSTODY DISPUTE FORM**

Incident No. _____

INSTRUCTIONS: 1. Complete form 2. Request an incident number if needed. 3. Contact and provide your own copies to your lawyer.

Your Name: _____ DOB: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____

TYPE OF INCIDENT

☐ Violation of Court Order ☐ Child Custody ☐ Other _____

Where did this happen? _____

What date and time did it happen? _____

Who else is involved? NAME	CODES: DOB	Witness CODE	Parent ADDRESS	Other PHONE
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Related Cases: _____

Remedies to other violations of custody/visitation orders are the responsibility of the parent/guardian who feels violations, other than those listed below, have been committed by someone other than themselves, who is also subject to the custody/visitation order.

To address these other violations you must bring the violations before the court on your own. If you have questions regarding the circumstances of your situation, you can speak with an Officer for assistance.

Custody/visitation Court Order# _____ Dated _____

County/State _____ Judge _____

Child(ren) Names and birth dates _____

TO CONTINUE, COMPLETE THE SECOND PAGE OF THIS FORM

On this date _____ the RP/I allege that the following violation(s) of the above listed custody/visitation order was/were committed by the other parent/guardian.

(CHECK THE APPROPRIATE OPTION AND BOLD RESPONSE IF NEEDED)

- 1. Parent/guardian refused to allow me to pick up my child/children for scheduled custody/visitation.
- 2. Parent/guardian did not **pick up** **return** the child/children from visitation on time. They were _____ **days** **hours** late. (NOTE: The DA’s office cannot force a parent/guardian to exercise his/her visitation rights. Therefore, failure to “pick up” a child for visitation will not normally result in action by this office.)
- 3. Parent/guardian did not allow scheduled telephonic visitation with the child/children on **date(s)**

The relationship between the involved party and myself is:

☐ **Separated** ☐ **Divorced** ☐ **Child in common** ☐ **Grandparent/guardian**

NARRATIVE: Provide a brief explanation of how the other parent/guardian refused to allow visitation, and/or, steps you took to get your visitation; when was your last contact with the other parent/guardian.

Involvement of the Kings County District Attorney’s Office is NOT requested.

Filing of a false police report is a crime under Penal Code Section 148.5 (a misdemeanor), punishable by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding 6 months, or by fine not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1000.00), or both.

I declare under the penalty of perjury, in accordance to the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing is true and correct.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____