

CHRISTOPHER P. HOFFMAN

v.

SHERRIE HAYES-HOFFMAN

Submitted on Briefs July 14, 2005
Decided July 27, 2005

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and DANA, ALEXANDER, CALKINS, and LEVY, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Sherrie Hayes-Hoffman appeals from orders entered by the District Court (Wiscasset, *Anderson, J.*) arising out of Christopher P. Hoffman's divorce complaint. Contrary to Sherrie's contentions, the court did not err in (1) holding her in contempt of its order requiring her to return their children to Maine, *see Ames v. Ames*, 2003 ME 60, ¶ 22, 822 A.2d 1201, 1207; (2) awarding sole parental rights and responsibilities to Christopher on an interim basis if Sherrie did not return the children within thirty days in its disposition of the contempt order, *see Richards v. Thompson*, 2004 ME 25, ¶ 11, 842 A.2d 1289, 1293; *Costa v. Vogel*,

2001 ME 131, ¶ 4, 777 A.2d 827, 828; and (3) entering an interim parental rights order after Sherrie appealed the contempt order. We do not address Sherrie's contention that the court should have declined to exercise child custody jurisdiction on the basis of inconvenient forum, 19-A M.R.S.A. § 1751 (Supp. 2004), because the court's denial of her motion to decline jurisdiction is interlocutory. *See Barclay v. Eckert*, 2000 ME 10, ¶ 7 n.1, 743 A.2d 1259, 1261-62.

The entry is:

Judgments affirmed.

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