

WENDY M. CASSIDY

v.

STEVEN J. CASSIDY

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Decided April 15, 2008

Panel: SAUFLEY, C.J., and CLIFFORD, ALEXANDER, LEVY, SILVER,
MEAD, and GORMAN, JJ.

MEMORANDUM OF DECISION

Steven J. Cassidy appeals from a divorce judgment entered by the District Court (Lewiston, *Oram, M.*) on July 10, 2007. The divorce was considered by the magistrate after Steven Cassidy failed to appear at a scheduled interim hearing on that date. Steven Cassidy now asserts that he wishes to have a contested hearing when he is present. His brief indicates that he had notice that a hearing of some type would be held, and his brief demonstrates no good excuse or due process basis why he did not attend the scheduled hearing. Accordingly, the magistrate did not err in taking up the divorce, *see Conrad v. Swan*, 2008 ME 2, ¶ 9, 940 A.2d 1070,

1074, and the available record fully supports the judgment entered by the magistrate.

The entry is:

Judgment affirmed.

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