

## Peace Talks.

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## CHILD SUPPORT CHECKLIST\*

- 1. Monetary payments for child support
  - a. From whom to whom
  - b. Amounts and how often
  - c. Direct or through the court, court fees
  - d. If direct, any coverage of legal costs for enforcement
  - e. Any reduction of child support when children with other parent
  - f. Child care expenses
  - g. Other child-related expenses (clothing, activities, camp, etc.)
- 2. Medical insurance coverage for children
  - a. Carried by whom
  - b. Payments made by whom
  - Change if parent carrying insurance not covered through employment
- Medical costs not covered by insurance
  - a. Paid for by whom
  - b. What will be paid for hospital, medical, optical, dental, orthodontic, counseling, psychological, psychiatric
- 4. Life insurance to cover obligations to children in case of death of parent
  - a. How much to go for this obligation
  - b. For how long
  - c. Who will be the beneficiary
  - c. Should there be a life insurance trust
- 5. Income tax exemptions for children and signing of waiver
- 6. Post-high school education of children
  - a. Any minimum guarantees to children
  - b. Any agreement on contributions by parents
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