IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

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§ No. 173, 2005
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§ Court Below – Family Court
§ of the State of Delaware,
§ in and for Kent County
§ CK04-03469
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Submitted: November 7, 2005 Decided: November 30, 2005

Before STEELE, Chief Justice, HOLLAND and JACOBS, Justices.

ORDER

This 30th of November 2005, the Court having considered this matter on the briefs, has determined that the appeal is without merit because the record evidence supports the trial judge's factual findings and the custody issues raised on appeal are controlled by settled Delaware law, which was properly applied. Therefore, this Court has concluded that the final judgment of the Family Court should be affirmed on the basis of and for the reasons assigned by the Family Court in its decision dated April 1, 2005.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the judgment

of the Family Court be, and the same hereby is, AFFIRMED.

BY THE COURT:

<u>/s/ Randy J. Holland</u> Justice