

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KENYA AT MURANG'A

ADOPTION CASE NO 2B OF 2014

1. **DWK**
2. **TNN.....APPLICANTS**

IN THE MATTER OF BABY JKW (alias PS)

R U L I N G

1. This ruling concerns appointment of ***guardian ad litem*** pending hearing of the originating summons for an adoption order in respect of **Baby PS** (alias **JKW**).
2. The application for appointment of ***guardian ad litem*** is by chamber summons dated 21st November 2014. Two persons are sought to be appointed ***guardians ad litem***. They are **JMK** and **AN**. They have both given their written consent for such appointment.
3. I am satisfied that both **JMK** and **AN** are suitable persons to be appointed ***guardians ad litem*** for the Baby herein sought to be adopted. Although the ***Children's Act*** does not expressly make provision for appointment of two ***guardians ad litem***, it also does not prohibit the same. I find nothing wrong with appointment of two ***guardians ad litem*** rather than one.
4. In the circumstances **JMK** and **AN** are hereby appointed joint ***guardians ad litem*** for **Baby PS** (alias **JKW**). It is so ordered.

DATED AND SIGNED AT MURANG'A THIS 16TH APRIL 2015

H P G WAWERU

JUDGE

DELIVERED THIS 17TH DAY OF APRIL 2015