

If the court is considering a modification of the disposition, proceed as if an original dispositional hearing. (See the Dispositional Hearing Bench Cards addressing Special Provisions for Temporary Custody, Legal Custody, Permanent Custody, and Planned Permanent Living Arrangement.)
[R.C. 2151.417(B)] and [R.C. 2151.353(E)(2)]

FINDINGS

WRITTEN REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OR TERMINATION FILED [R.C. 2151.353(G)(1)]

- A party may file a written request to extend an order for protective supervision for 6 months or terminate the order no later than one year after the earlier of the filing of the complaint or the child's placement in agency care.
- The party filing the written request must give notice of the request before the end of the day after the filing.
- The court shall schedule a hearing no later than 30 days after the request is received by the court.
- The court shall give notice of the date, time, and location of the hearing to all parties and the guardian ad litem.
- The court shall determine whether the extension for 6 months or termination of the order is in the child's best interest.

NO WRITTEN REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OR TERMINATION FILED [R.C. 2151.353(G)(1)]

- The court shall notify the parties that the court will extend the order for 6 months or terminate the order and that the court may do so without a hearing unless a party requests a hearing.

- All parties, including the guardian ad litem, have 7 days from the date notice is sent to request a hearing on the proposed extension or termination.
- If the court does not receive a timely request for a hearing, the court may extend the order for 6 months or terminate the order without a hearing, and the entry must be journalized no later than 14 days after the date of the notice.
- If the court does not extend or terminate the order, the court shall schedule a hearing no later than 30 days after the expiration of the applicable 14-day time period and give notice to all parties, including the guardian ad litem.
- The court shall determine whether the extension for 6 months or termination of the order is in the child's best interest.

SECOND EXTENSION OF PROTECTIVE SUPERVISION

- If the court grants the first extension of the order for protective supervision, a party may, prior to the termination of the extension, file a request for an additional extension of 6 months or for termination of the order. [R.C. 2151.353(G)(2)] The court shall comply with the above requirements for extending or terminating.
- If the court grants a second extension of the order for protective supervision for 6 months, the court shall terminate the order for protective supervision at the end of the extension. [R.C. 2151.353(G)(3)]