

**JPC: Sample calculations related to proposal to change one-half of the difference versus full difference in child support values.**

1) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$1,600.00

Number of Children: 1

For 1 child, and Gross Monthly Income above \$1,581.00 and up to \$1,610.00 the 2021 Low-Income Payers table Obligation amount is \$258.00.

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$0.00

Number of Children: 1

For 1 child, and Gross Monthly Income above \$0.00 and up to \$805.00 the 2021 Low-Income Payers table Obligation amount is \$85.00.

Respondent's Obligation:  $(\$258.00 - \$85.00) = \$173.00$  (10.8% of Respondent's income)

**$\$173/2 = \$86.50$  (5.4% of Respondent's income)**

2) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$6,000.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1  $(\$6,000.00 * 16.00\% = \$960.00)$

Obligation amount is \$960.00.

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$0.00

Number of Children: 1

For 1 child, and Gross Monthly Income above \$0.00 and up to \$805.00 the 2021 Low-Income Payers table Obligation amount is \$85.00.

Respondent's Obligation:  $(\$960.00 - \$85.00) = \$875.00$  (14.5% of Respondent's income)

**$\$875/2 = \$437.50$  (7.2% of Respondent's income)**

3) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$10,000.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$6,000.00 * 16.00\% = \$960.00$ )

+ Tier 2 ( $\$4,000.00 * 8.00\% = \$320.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$1,280.00.

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$0.00

Number of Children: 1

For 1 child, and Gross Monthly Income above \$0.00 and up to \$805.00 the 2021 Low-Income Payers table Obligation amount is \$85.00.

Respondent's Obligation: ( $\$1,280.00 - \$85.00$ ) = \$1,195.00 (11.9% of Respondent's income)

**$\$1,195/2 = \$597.50$  (5.9 % of Respondent's income)**

4) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$1,300.00

Number of Children: 1

For 1 child, and Gross Monthly Income above \$1,294.00 and up to \$1,323.00 the 2021 Low-Income Payers table Obligation amount is \$186.00.

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$800.00

Number of Children: 1

For 1 Child, and Gross Monthly Income above \$0.00 and up to \$805.00 the 2021 Low-Income Payers table Obligation amount is \$85.00.

Respondent's Obligation: ( $\$186.00 - \$85.00$ ) = \$101.00 (7.7% of Respondent's income)

**$\$101/2 = \$50.50$  (3.8% of Respondent's income)**

5) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$1,700.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$1,700.00 * 16.00\% = \$272.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$272.00.

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$1,300.00

Number of Children: 1

For 1 child, and Gross Monthly Income above \$1,294.00 and up to \$1,323.00 the 2021 Low-Income Payers table Obligation amount is \$186.00.

Respondent's Obligation: ( $\$272.00 - \$186.00$ ) = \$86.00 (5% of Respondent's income)

**$\$86.00/2=\$43.00$  (2.5% of Respondent's income)**

6) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$5,500.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$5,500.00 * 16.00\% = \$880.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$880.00.

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$3,500.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$3,500.00 * 16.00\% = \$560.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$560.00

Respondent's Obligation: ( $880.00 - \$560.00$ ) = \$320.00 (5.8% of Respondent's income)

**$\$320.00/2=\$160.00$  (2.9% of Respondent's income)**

7) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income \$6,500.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$6,000.00 * 16.00\% = \$960.00$ )

+ Tier 2 ( $\$500.00 * 8.00\% = \$40.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$1,000.00.

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$3,500.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$3,500.00 * 16.00\% = \$560.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$560.00

Respondent's Obligation: ( $\$1,000.00 - \$560.00$ ) = \$440.00 (6.7% of Respondent's income)

**$\$440.00/2=\$220.00$  (3.3% of Respondent's income)**

8) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$8,500.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$6,000.00 * 16.00\% = \$960.00$ )

+ Tier 2 ( $\$2,500.00 * 8.00\% = \$200.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$1,160.00

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$3,500.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$3,500.00 * 16.00\% = \$560.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$560.00.

Respondent's Obligation ( $\$1,160.00 - \$560.00$ ) = \$600.00 (7 % of Respondent's income)

**$\$600.00/2=\$300.00$  (3.5% of Respondent's income)**

9) Respondent's Gross Monthly Income: \$10,000.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$6,000.00 * 16.00\% = \$960.00$ )

+ Tier 2 ( $\$4,000.00 * 8.00\% = \$320.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$1,280.00

Petitioner's Gross Monthly Income: \$5,000.00

Number of Children: 1

Tier 1 ( $\$5,000.00 * 16.00\% = \$800.00$ )

Obligation amount is \$800.00.

Respondent's Obligation ( $\$1,280.00 - \$800.00$ ) = \$480.00 (4.8% of Respondent's income)

**$\$480.00/2 = \$240.00$  (2.4% of Respondent's income)**