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Star and Dwayne at the Sony Ericsson Open in Key Biscayne, Fla., on April 4

STAR JONES' GAME PLAN TO WIN AL BACK

STAR JONES is putting on a full-court press to make estranged hubby Al Reynolds jealous – and she’s using an NBA superstar to do it, say insiders.

That’s the latest twist in the ongoing divorce drama involving the former “View” star, who pulled the plug on her marriage, but is now “down in the dumps” over her decision.

The ENQUIRER broke the news of Star and Al’s split weeks ago, and now

Star, 46, has turned to another star – 26-year-old basketball player Dwayne Wade of the Miami Heat – to get Al’s attention. Dwayne recently separated from his wife, and he’s become fast pals with Star through mutual friends in Miami.

Dwayne and Star are just friends, but Star hopes their friendship makes Al jealous, reveals a friend. “Although she got mad and showed Al the door a while back, she’s been terribly lonely.

“Being around Dwayne is making her feel good, building her confidence, and she hopes – just maybe – it might convince Al that he’s on the losing end. She thinks it might light a fire under Big Al if he thinks he has to fight to win her back.”

Star and Dwayne were recently photographed together at a Miami-area tennis tournament.

But it’s no slam dunk that Star will be able to patch up her 3 1/2-year marriage.

Al was recently photographed dancing the night away at the Delano hotel in Miami’s hip South Beach area.

by JEFF SAMUELS

Talk queen hooks up with NBA star Dwayne Wade to make hubby jealous



Star has been lonely without Al



‘NYPD Blue’ star files second bankruptcy - THEN HEADS FOR CASINO

“NYPD Blue” star Gail O’Grady has declared bankruptcy for a second time in nearly 15 years – once again stemming from her out-of-control gambling, sources say.

The 45-year-old Emmy nominee is so addicted to gambling, she flew to the Bahamas to try to get a line of casino credit before the ink was even dry on her second bankruptcy, confided a close friend.

“She’s obsessed with blackjack, video poker and slot machines.”

Recently filed court documents show that the former “American Dreams” actress owes money to

casinos, credit cards, her mortgage company and the IRS, as well as to family, friends and colleagues.

“Gail is a total compulsive gambler,” the actress’

needs to stop, she’ll go, ‘It’s none of your business! How dare you tell me what to do!’

“Gail makes a great living – but not enough to support her gambling habit. Things are so bad that she’ll probably lose her house.”

Gail married contractor Stamatakis in June 2004 – just one month after she gave birth to her son Michael, whose father is Chris Byers.

Astonishingly, Chris lent Gail \$500,000, which she squandered in the casinos. Concludes Chris: “Gail is a maniac when it comes to gambling!”

by ROBIN MIZRAHI

Gail O’Grady GAMBLES HER LIFE AWAY

estranged fifth husband, John Stamatakis, told The ENQUIRER.

“When Gail is confronted about her gambling, she’ll say, ‘Leave me alone, gambling is not illegal.’ If you tell her she