

REQUEST FOR ORDER INITIAL



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PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATTORNEY NAME: FIRM NAME: STREET ADDRESS: CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE: TELEPHONE NO.: FAX NO.: EMAIL ADDRESS: ATTORNEY FOR (name): <u>Self-Represented</u>	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Los Angeles STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	
PETITIONER: RESPONDENT: OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	
REQUEST FOR ORDER ☐ CHANGE ☐ TEMPORARY EMERGENCY ORDERS ☐ Child Custody ☐ Visitation (Parenting Time) ☐ Spousal or Partner Support ☐ Child Support ☐ Property Control ☐ Attorney's Fees and Costs ☐ Other (specify):	CASE NUMBER:

Note: Read form [FL-300-INFO](#) for information about how to complete this form. To ask to change or end an order that was granted in a Restraining Order After Hearing (form DV-130 or JV-255), read form [FL-300-INFO](#) and form [DV-300-INFO](#).

NOTICE OF HEARING

1. TO (name): _____
☐ Petitioner ☐ Respondent ☐ Other Parent/Party ☐ Other (specify):

2. **A COURT HEARING WILL BE HELD AS FOLLOWS:**

a. Date:	Time:	☐ Dept.:	☐ Room.:
b. Address of court ☐ same as noted above ☐ other (specify):			

3. **WARNING to the person served with the Request for Order:** The court may make the requested orders without you if you do not file a *Responsive Declaration to Request for Order* (form FL-320), serve a copy on the other parties at least nine court days before the hearing (unless the court has ordered a shorter period of time), and appear at the hearing. (See form *FL-320-INFO* for more information.)

COURT ORDER (FOR COURT USE ONLY)

It is ordered that:

4. ☐ Time ☐ for service ☐ until the hearing is shortened. Service must be on or before (date):
5. ☐ A *Responsive Declaration to Request for Order* (form FL-320) must be served on or before (date):
6. ☐ The parties must attend an appointment for child custody mediation or child custody recommending counseling as follows (specify date, time, and location):
7. ☐ The orders in *Temporary Emergency (Ex Parte) Orders* (form FL-305) apply to this proceeding and must be personally served with all documents filed with this *Request for Order*.
8. ☐ Other (specify):

Date: _____

JUDICIAL OFFICER

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REQUEST FOR ORDER

Note: Place a mark **X** in front of the box that applies to your case or to your request. If you need more space, mark the box for "Attachment." For example, mark "Attachment 2a" to indicate that the list of children's names and birth dates continues on a paper attached to this form. Then, on a sheet of paper, list each attachment number followed by your request. At the top of the paper, write your name, case number, and "FL-300" as a title. (You may use *Attached Declaration* ([form MC-031](#)) for this purpose.)

1. ☐ **RESTRAINING ORDER INFORMATION**

One or more domestic violence restraining/protective orders are now in effect between *(specify)*:

☐ Petitioner ☐ Respondent ☐ Other Parent/Party *(Attach a copy of the orders if you have one.)*

The orders are from the following court or courts *(specify county and state)*:

- | | |
|---|------------------------------|
| a. ☐ Criminal: County/state <i>(specify)</i> : | Case No. <i>(if known)</i> : |
| b. ☐ Family: County/state <i>(specify)</i> : | Case No. <i>(if known)</i> : |
| c. ☐ Juvenile: County/state <i>(specify)</i> : | Case No. <i>(if known)</i> : |
| d. ☐ Other: County/state <i>(specify)</i> : | Case No. <i>(if known)</i> : |

2. ☐ **CHILD CUSTODY**

☐ I request temporary emergency orders

☐ **VISITATION (PARENTING TIME)**

a. I request that the court make orders about the following children *(specify)*:

<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	☐ <u>Legal Custody to (person who</u>	☐ <u>Physical Custody to (person</u>
		<u>decides: health, education, etc):</u>	<u>with whom child lives):</u>

b. ☐ The orders I request for ☐ child custody ☐ visitation (parenting time) are:

☐ [Attachment 2a.](#)

(1) ☐ Specified in the attached forms:

☐ Form FL-305	☐ Form FL-311	☐ Form FL-312	☐ Form FL-341(C)
☐ Form FL-341(D)	☐ Form FL-341(E)	☐ Other <i>(specify)</i> :	

(2) ☐ As follows *(specify)*:

☐ [Attachment 2b.](#)

c. The orders that I request are in the best interest of the children because *(specify)*:

☐ [Attachment 2c.](#)

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2. d. ☐ This is a change from the current order for ☐ child custody ☐ visitation (parenting time).
 (1) ☐ The order for legal or physical custody was filed on (date): . The court ordered (specify):

(2) ☐ The visitation (parenting time) order was filed on (date): . The court ordered (specify):

3. ☐ CHILD SUPPORT ☐ [Attachment 2d.](#)
 (Note: An earnings assignment may be issued. See *Income Withholding for Support* (form [FL-195](#))
 a. I request that the court order child support as follows:
 Child's name and age ☐ I request support for each child Monthly amount (\$) requested
 based on the child support guideline. (if not by guideline)

- ☐ [Attachment 3a.](#)
- b. ☐ I want to change a current court order for child support filed on (date):
 The court ordered child support as follows (specify):
- c. I have completed and filed with this *Request for Order* a current *Income and Expense Declaration* (form [FL-150](#)) or I filed a current *Financial Statement (Simplified)* (form [FL-155](#)) because I meet the requirements to file form FL-155.
- d. The court should make or change the support orders because (specify): ☐ [Attachment 3d.](#)

4. ☐ SPOUSAL OR DOMESTIC PARTNER SUPPORT
 (Note: An *Earnings Assignment Order for Spousal or Partner Support* (form [FL-435](#)) may be issued.)
 a. ☐ Amount requested (monthly): \$
 b. ☐ I want the court to ☐ change ☐ end the current support order filed on (date):
 The court ordered \$ per month for support.
 c. ☐ This request is to modify (change) spousal or partner support after entry of a judgment.
 I have completed and attached *Spousal or Partner Support Declaration Attachment* (form [FL-157](#)) or a declaration that addresses the same factors covered in form FL-157.
 d. I have completed and filed a current *Income and Expense Declaration* (form [FL-150](#)) in support of my request.
 e. The court should make, change, or end the support orders because (specify): ☐ [Attachment 4e.](#)

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5. ☐ **PROPERTY CONTROL** ☐ I request temporary emergency orders
- a. The ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party be given exclusive temporary use, possession, and control of the following property that we ☐ own or are buying ☐ lease or rent (*specify*):
- b. The ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party be ordered to make the following payments on debts and liens coming due while the order is in effect:
- | | | | |
|---------------|------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Pay to: _____ | For: _____ | Amount: \$ _____ | Due date: _____ |
| Pay to: _____ | For: _____ | Amount: \$ _____ | Due date: _____ |
| Pay to: _____ | For: _____ | Amount: \$ _____ | Due date: _____ |
| Pay to: _____ | For: _____ | Amount: \$ _____ | Due date: _____ |
- c. ☐ This is a change from the current order for property control filed on (*date*):
- d. Specify in [Attachment 5d](#) the reasons why the court should make or change the property control orders.
6. ☐ **ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS**
- I request attorney's fees and costs, which total (*specify amount*): \$ _____ . I filed the following to support my request:
- a. A current *Income and Expense Declaration* (form [FL-150](#)).
- b. A *Request for Attorney's Fees and Costs Attachment* (form [FL-319](#)) or a declaration that addresses the factors covered in that form.
- c. A *Supporting Declaration for Attorney's Fees and Costs Attachment* (form [FL-158](#)) or a declaration that addresses the factors covered in that form.
7. ☐ **OTHER ORDERS REQUESTED (*specify*):** ☐ [Attachment 7.](#)
8. ☐ **TIME FOR SERVICE / TIME UNTIL HEARING** I urgently need:
- a. ☐ To serve the *Request for Order* no less than (*number*): _____ court days before the hearing.
- b. ☐ The hearing date and service of the *Request for Order* to be sooner.
- c. I need the order because (*specify*): ☐ [Attachment 8.](#)
9. ☐ **FACTS TO SUPPORT** the orders I request are listed below. The facts that I write in support and attach to this request cannot be longer than 10 pages, unless the court gives me permission. ☐ [Attachment 9.](#)

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information provided in this form and all attachments is true and correct.

Date: _____

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT)



Requests for Accommodations

Assistive listening systems, computer-assisted real-time captioning, or sign language interpreter services are available if you ask at least five days before the proceeding. Contact the clerk's office or go to courts.ca.gov/forms for *Disability Accommodations Request* (form [MC-410](#)). (Civ. Code, § 54.8.)

—This is not a court order—

TO ☐ **Petition** ☐ **Response** ☐ **Request for Order** ☐ **Responsive Declaration to Request for Order**
☐ **Other** (specify):

California's public policies and law on child custody and visitation include that:

- Complete items 1 through 13 that apply to your request for orders.

☐ [Attachment 1.](#)

Age

Other Parent/Party

- Note:** To ask the court for joint legal custody orders that specify when the parents must agree before making decisions (for example, before choosing or changing the children's school, doctor, or religious or school activities), use *Joint Legal Custody Attachment* (form [FL-341\(E\)](#)) or a document that includes the same content as form FL-341(E).

To learn about physical and legal custody, go to selfhelp.courts.ca.gov/child-custody.

- c. ☐ There are allegations of a history of abuse or substance abuse in this case. (You must complete item 5.)
- d. ☐ Other (specify):

e. ☐ No visitation (parenting time) to the person without physical custody for the reasons described in item 13.

Note: Unless specifically ordered, a child's holiday schedule order has priority over the regular parenting time.

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4. ☐ **Petitioner's** ☐ **Respondent's** ☐ **Other Parent's/Party's** visitation (parenting time) will be (check all that apply):
- a. ☐ **In person**, as follows (Specify start and ending date and time. If applicable, check "start of" OR "after school"):

- (1) ☐ **Weekends starting** (date):

(Note: The first weekend of the month is the first weekend with a Saturday.)

Weekend	Day(s)	Times	Start of (or After) School (if applicable)
☐ 1st	from _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
	to _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
☐ 2nd	from _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
	to _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
☐ 3rd	from _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
	to _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
☐ 4th	from _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
	to _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
☐ 5th	from _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after
	to _____ at _____	☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.	☐ start of ☐ after

- (a) ☐ The parties will alternate the fifth weekends, with the ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party having the initial fifth weekend, starting (date):

- (b) ☐ The ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party will have the fifth weekend in ☐ odd ☐ even numbered months.

- (2) ☐ **Alternate weekends starting** (date):

(Specify day(s) from _____ at _____ ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m. ☐ start of ☐ after
and times): to _____ at _____ ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m. ☐ start of ☐ after

- (3) ☐ **Weekdays starting** (date):

(Specify day(s) from _____ at _____ ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m. ☐ start of ☐ after
and times): to _____ at _____ ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m. ☐ start of ☐ after

- (4) ☐ Other visitation (parenting time) days and restrictions are ☐ [listed in Attachment 4a\(4\)](#)
☐ as follows:

- b. ☐ **Virtual visitation**

I ask that the court order virtual visitation as described ☐ [in Attachment 4b.](#) ☐ below:
 Virtual visitation means using audiovisual electronic technology (like a smartphone, tablet, smart watch, or computer) for a parent and a child to see and hear each other. Learn more about how to have safe virtual visits at selfhelp.courts.ca.gov/child-custody/virtual-visitations.

- c. ☐ **Other ways that visitation (parenting time) can happen** that are in the best interests of the child (specify):



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5. ☐ **Child custody and visitation when there are allegations of a history of abuse or substance abuse**

a. **Allegations**

- (1) ☐ Petitioner ☐ Respondent ☐ Other parent/party is (or are) alleged to have a history of abuse against any of the following persons: a child, the other parent, their current spouse, or the person they live with or are dating or engaged to.
- (2) ☐ Petitioner ☐ Respondent ☐ Other parent/party is (or are) alleged to have the habitual or continual illegal use of controlled substances, or the habitual or continual abuse of alcohol, or the habitual or continual abuse of prescribed controlled substances.

b. **Child custody**

- (1) ☐ I ask that the court NOT order sole or joint custody of the minor child to the party or parties in 5a.
- (2) ☐ Even though there are allegations, I ask that the court make the child custody orders in item 4.
(Write the reasons why you think it would be in the best interests of the child that the party or parties be granted child custody, even though there are allegations against them of a history of abuse or substance abuse. The orders that you request about child custody or visitation must also be specific as to time, day, place, and manner of transfer (exchange) of the child, as Family Code sections 3011(a)(5)(A) and 6323(c) require.)
☐ Below: ☐ [Attachment 5b\(2\)](#) ☐ Other (specify):

c. **Visitation (Parenting Time)**

- (1) ☐ I ask that the court order supervised visitation as specified in item 6.
- (2) ☐ I ask that the court order unsupervised visitation to the party or parties as specified in item 4.
- (A) Even though there are allegations of a history of abuse or substance abuse, I request that the court order unsupervised visitation to (specify): ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party.
- (B) The reasons why the court should make the orders are
(Write the reasons why you think it would be in the best interests of the child that the party or parties be granted unsupervised visitation (parenting time) even though there are allegations against them of a history of abuse or substance abuse. The orders that you request about child custody or visitation must also be specific as to time, day, place, and manner of transfer (exchange) of the child, as Family Code sections 3011(a)(5)(A) and 6323(c) require.)
☐ Below: ☐ [In Attachment 5c\(2\)\(B\)](#) ☐ Other (specify):

- (3) ☐ Other (specify):



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6. ☐ **Supervised visitation (parenting time)**

(To learn about supervised visitation, go to: selfhelp.courts.ca.gov/guide-supervised-visitation/.)

- a. I ask that ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party have supervised visitation with the minor children.
- b. The reasons why the court should make the orders are *(specify)*:
(Write the reasons why you think unsupervised visitation (parenting time) would NOT be in the best interest of the child.)
☐ Below ☐ [In Attachment 6b](#) ☐ Other *(specify)*:
- c. I ask that the visitations be monitored by *(name, if known)*:
 The provider's phone number is *(specify)*:
 - (1) ☐ The person or agency is a professional provider.
 - (A) A professional provider must meet the requirements listed in *Declaration of Supervised Visitation and Exchange Services Provider (Professional)* ([form FL-324\(P\)](#)) and sign the declaration.
 - (B) Professional provider fees to be paid by: petitioner: percent. respondent: percent.
 other parent/party: percent.
 - (2) ☐ The person is a nonprofessional provider. The person must meet the requirements listed in *Declaration of Supervised Visitation and Exchange Services Provider (Nonprofessional)* ([form FL-324\(NP\)](#)).
- d. Location of supervised visitation. I request that supervised visitation be *(check one)*:
 - (1) ☐ In person at a safe location.
 - (2) ☐ Virtual visitation (not in person).
 - (3) ☐ Other *(describe)*:
- e. Schedule for supervised visitation *(specify)*:
 - (1) ☐ Once a week, for *(number of hours for each visit)*:
 - (2) ☐ Two times each week, for *(number of hours for each visit)*:
 - (3) ☐ As specified in item 4.
 - (4) ☐ Other *(describe)*:

7. ☐ **Transportation for visitation (parenting time) and place of exchange**

Note: In cases of domestic violence, the court must have enough information to make orders that are specific as to the time, day, place, and manner of transfer (exchange) of the child for custody and visitation under Family Code section 6323(c).

- a. The children must be driven only by a licensed and insured driver. The vehicle must be legally registered with the Department of Motor Vehicles and must have child restraint devices properly installed, as required by law.
- b. ☐ Transportation **to** begin the visits will be provided by *(name)*:
- c. ☐ Transportation **from** the visits will be provided by *(name)*:
- d. ☐ The exchange point at the beginning of the visit will be *(address)*:
- e. ☐ The exchange point at the end of the visit will be *(address)*:
- f. ☐ During the exchanges, the party driving the children will wait in the car and the other party will wait in the home (or exchange location) while the children go between the car and the home (or exchange location).
- g. ☐ Other *(specify)*:



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8. ☐ **Travel with children** The ☐ petitioner ☐ respondent ☐ other parent/party **must** have written permission from the other parent or party, or a court order, to take the children out of
- a. ☐ the state of California.
 - b. ☐ the following counties (*specify*):
 - c. ☐ other places (*specify*):
9. ☐ **Child abduction prevention.** There is a risk that one of the parties will take the children out of California without the other party's permission. I request the orders set out on attached [form FL-312](#).
10. ☐ **Child custody mediation**
 I request an order for the parties to go to child custody mediation or child custody recommending counseling (*specify date, time, and location, if applicable*):

Note: Parents with a family court case who do not agree about child custody or visitation are required to attend mediation to try to develop a parenting plan that is in the best interest of their child. A party who alleges domestic violence in a written declaration under penalty of perjury or who is protected by a protective order may ask the mediator or child custody recommending counselor to meet with the parties separately and at separate times. A court order for separate sessions is not required.

11. ☐ **Children's holiday schedule.** I request the holiday and vacation schedule set out ☐ below ☐ [on form FL-341\(C\)](#)
12. ☐ **Additional custody provisions.** I request the additional orders for custody set out ☐ below ☐ [on form FL-341\(D\)](#)
13. ☐ **Other (*specify*):**

**DECLARATION OF FACTS IN SUPPORT OF, OR IN RESPONSE TO, REQUEST FOR
CHILD CUSTODY AND/OR VISITATION ORDERS**

I, _____, declare as follows:

1. In my dissolution or paternity case,

☐ I am the Petitioner

Or

☐ I am the Respondent

2. The other party and I are the parents of the following child(ren):

Full name of the minor child(ren)	Date of Birth	Age
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

3. I am the ☐ mother ☐ father.

4. The child(ren) have lived primarily with that parent since _____.

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5. I believe that the orders that I am asking for would be in the best interest of the minor child(ren) because: _____

6. I request that there be NO visitation which would be in the best interest of the minor child(ren) for the following reasons: _____

7. A monitor/supervisor is necessary for the following reasons: _____

(A) I request that _____ shall serve as the visitation monitor for the following reasons: _____

(B) I request that _____ shall NOT serve as the visitation monitor for the following reasons: _____

(C) I request that ☐ mother ☐ father pay the fees for any professional monitor.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed at _____, California on _____, 20____.

☐ Petitioner ☐ Respondent

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY NAME: FIRM NAME: STREET ADDRESS: CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE: TELEPHONE NO.: FAX NO.: EMAIL ADDRESS: ATTORNEY FOR (name): Self-Represented	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Los Angeles STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	
<i>(This section applies to cases other than probate guardianships.)</i> PETITIONER: RESPONDENT: OTHER PARTY: CHILD'S NAME (Juvenile cases only):	
<i>(This section applies only to probate guardianship cases.)</i> GUARDIANSHIP OF (name):	CASE NUMBER:
DECLARATION UNDER UNIFORM CHILD CUSTODY JURISDICTION AND ENFORCEMENT ACT (UCCJEA)	

1. I am (check one): ☐ a party to this proceeding to determine custody of a child ☐ the authorized representative of the agency, which is a party to this proceeding to determine custody of a child.

2. There are (specify number): _____ minor children who are subject to this proceeding, as follows (list oldest child first):

Full Name	Date of birth	Place of birth (city and state)
a.		
b.		
c.		
d.		

☐ Check this box if you need to list more children. (On form MC-020 or a separate piece of paper, write "FL-105, Attachment 2, Additional Children" at the top, provide all requested information for each additional child, and attach to this form.)

3. a. ☐ Check this box if there is only one child or if all of the children listed in item 2 have lived together for the past five years. (Provide the current address of the child listed in item 2a and their residence history for the past **five years**. If the current address is confidential under Family Code section 3429, check the box and provide only the state of residence.)

Dates of residence (Month/Year)		Residence (City, State)	Person child lived with and complete current address	Relationship
From:	To present	☐ Confidential (list state only)	☐ Confidential (list state only)	
From:	To:			
From:	To:			
From:	To:			
From:	To:			

☐ Additional addresses are listed on Attachment 3a. (Form MC-020 may be used for this purpose.)

b. ☐ Check this box if there is more than one child and all the children have not lived together for the past five years. (Attach form FL-105(A)/GC-120(A) and list each other child's current address and their residence history for the past five years.)

CASE NAME:

CASE NUMBER:

4. Do you have information about, or have you participated as a party or as a witness or in some other capacity in, another court case or custody or visitation proceeding, in California or elsewhere, concerning a child subject to this proceeding?

☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, attach a copy of the orders if you have one and provide the following information):

Proceeding	Case number	Court (name, state or tribe, location)	Court order or judgment (date)	Name of each child	Your connection to the case	Case status
a. ☐ Family						
b. ☐ Probate Guardianship						
c. ☐ Other						

Proceeding	Case Number	Court (name, state or tribe, location)
d. ☐ Juvenile		
e. ☐ Adoption		

5. ☐ One or more domestic violence restraining/protective orders are now in effect. (Attach a copy of the orders if you have one and provide the following information):

Court	County	State or Tribe	Case Number (if known)	Orders expire (date)
a. ☐ Criminal				
b. ☐ Family				
c. ☐ Juvenile				
d. ☐ Other				

6. Do you know of any person who is not a party to this proceeding who has physical custody of or claims to have rights to custody of or visitation with any child in this case? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, provide the following information):

a. Name and address of person:

b. Name and address of person:

c. Name and address of person:

☐ Has physical custody☐ Claims custody rights☐ Claims visitation rights

Name of each child:

☐ Has physical custody☐ Claims custody rights☐ Claims visitation rights

Name of each child:

☐ Has physical custody☐ Claims custody rights☐ Claims visitation rights

Name of each child:

7. ☐ Number of pages attached: _____

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date:

(NAME OF DECLARANT)

(SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT)

NOTICE TO DECLARANT: You have a continuing duty to inform this court if you obtain any information about a custody proceeding in a California court or any other court concerning a child subject to this proceeding.

Attach copies of your pay stubs for last two months (black out Social Security numbers).

- (If you have more than one job, attach an 8 1/2-by-11-inch sheet of paper and list the same information as above for your other jobs. Write "Question 1—Other Jobs" at the top.)

a. My age is (*specify*):

b. I have completed high school or the equivalent: ☐ Yes ☐ No If no, highest grade completed (*specify*):

c. Number of years of college completed (*specify*): ☐ Degree(s) obtained (*specify*):

d. Number of years of graduate school completed (*specify*): ☐ Degree(s) obtained (*specify*):

e. I have: ☐ professional/occupational license(s) (*specify*):
☐ vocational training (*specify*):

4. **Other party's income.** I estimate the gross monthly income (before taxes) of the other party in this case at (*specify*): \$
This estimate is based on (*explain*):

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information contained on all pages of this form and any attachments is true and correct.

Date:

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Attach copies of your pay stubs for the last two months and proof of any other income. Take a copy of your latest federal tax return to the court hearing. (Black out your Social Security number on the pay stub and tax return.)

5. **Income** (For average monthly, add up all the income you received in each category in the last 12 months and divide the total by 12.)

	Last month	Average monthly
a. Salary or wages (gross, before taxes).....	\$	_____
b. Overtime (gross, before taxes).....	\$	_____
c. Commissions or bonuses.....	\$	_____
d. Public assistance (for example: TANF, SSI, GA/GR) ☐ currently receiving	\$	_____
e. Spousal support ☐ from this marriage ☐ from a different marriage ☐ federally taxable*	\$	_____
f. Partner support ☐ from this domestic partnership ☐ from a different domestic partnership	\$	_____
g. Pension/retirement fund payments.....	\$	_____
h. Social Security retirement (not SSI).....	\$	_____
i. Disability: ☐ Social Security (not SSI) ☐ State disability (SDI) ☐ Private insurance	\$	_____
j. Unemployment compensation.....	\$	_____
k. Workers' compensation.....	\$	_____
l. Other (military allowances, royalty payments) (specify):	\$	_____

6. **Investment income** (Attach a schedule showing gross receipts less cash expenses for each piece of property.)

a. Dividends/interest.....	\$	_____
b. Rental property income.....	\$	_____
c. Trust income.....	\$	_____
d. Other (specify):	\$	_____

7. **Income from self-employment, after business expenses for all businesses**..... \$ _____

I am the ☐ owner/sole proprietor ☐ business partner ☐ other (specify): _____

Number of years in this business (specify): _____

Name of business (specify): _____

Type of business (specify): _____

Attach a profit and loss statement for the last two years or a Schedule C from your last federal tax return. Black out your Social Security number. If you have more than one business, provide the information above for each of your businesses.

8. ☐ **Additional income.** I received one-time money (lottery winnings, inheritance, etc.) in the last 12 months (specify source and amount): _____

9. ☐ **Change in income.** My financial situation has changed significantly over the last 12 months because (specify): _____

10. **Deductions**

	Last month
a. Required union dues.....	\$ _____
b. Required retirement payments (not Social Security, FICA, 401(k), or IRA).....	\$ _____
c. Medical, hospital, dental, and other health insurance premiums (total monthly amount).....	\$ _____
d. Child support that I pay for children from other relationships.....	\$ _____
e. Spousal support that I pay by court order from a different marriage ☐ federally tax deductible*.....	\$ _____
f. Partner support that I pay by court order from a different domestic partnership.....	\$ _____
g. Necessary job-related expenses not reimbursed by my employer (attach explanation labeled "Question 10g").....	\$ _____

11. **Assets**

	Total
a. Cash and checking accounts, savings, credit union, money market, and other deposit accounts.....	\$ _____
b. Stocks, bonds, and other assets I could easily sell.....	\$ _____
c. All other property, ☐ real and ☐ personal (estimate fair market value minus the debts you owe).....	\$ _____

* Check the box if the spousal support order or judgment was executed by the parties and the court before January 1, 2019, or if a court-ordered change maintains the spousal support payments as taxable income to the recipient and tax deductible to the payor.

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12. The following people live with me:

Name	Age	How the person is related to me (ex: son)	That person's gross monthly income	Pays some of the household expenses?	
a.				☐ Yes	☐ No
b.				☐ Yes	☐ No
c.				☐ Yes	☐ No
d.				☐ Yes	☐ No
e.				☐ Yes	☐ No

13. Average monthly expenses ☐ Estimated expenses ☐ Actual expenses ☐ Proposed needs

a. Home: (1) ☐ Rent or ☐ mortgage..... \$ _____ If mortgage: (a) average principal: \$ _____ (b) average interest: \$ _____ (2) Real property taxes..... \$ _____ (3) Homeowner's or renter's insurance (if not included above)..... \$ _____ (4) Maintenance and repair..... \$ _____ b. Health-care costs not paid by insurance..... \$ _____ c. Child care..... \$ _____ d. Groceries and household supplies..... \$ _____ e. Eating out..... \$ _____ f. Utilities (gas, electric, water, trash)..... \$ _____ g. Telephone, cell phone, and e-mail..... \$ _____	h. Laundry and cleaning..... \$ _____ i. Clothes..... \$ _____ j. Education..... \$ _____ k. Entertainment, gifts, and vacation..... \$ _____ l. Auto expenses and transportation (insurance, gas, repairs, bus, etc.)..... \$ _____ m. Insurance (life, accident, etc.; do not include auto, home, or health insurance)..... \$ _____ n. Savings and investments..... \$ _____ o. Charitable contributions..... \$ _____ p. Monthly payments listed in item 14 (itemize below in 14 and insert total here)... \$ _____ q. Other (specify): \$ _____ r. TOTAL EXPENSES (a–q) (do not add in the amounts in a(1)(a) and (b)) \$ _____ s. Amount of expenses paid by others \$ _____
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14. Installment payments and debts not listed above

Paid to	For	Amount	Balance	Date of last payment
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	
		\$	\$	

15. Attorney fees (This information is required if either party is requesting attorney fees):

- a. To date, I have paid my attorney this amount for fees and costs (specify): \$
- b. The source of this money was (specify):
- c. I still owe the following fees and costs to my attorney (specify total owed): \$
- d. My attorney's hourly rate is (specify):

I confirm this fee arrangement.

Date: _____

 (TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ATTORNEY)



 (SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY)

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CHILD SUPPORT INFORMATION
(NOTE: Fill out this page only if your case involves child support.)

16. Number of children

- a. I have *(specify number)*: _____ children under the age of 18 with the other parent in this case.
- b. The children spend _____ percent of their time with me and _____ percent of their time with the other parent.
(If you're not sure about percentage or it has not been agreed on, please describe your parenting schedule here.)

17. Children's health-care expenses

- a. ☐ I do ☐ I do not have health insurance available to me for the children through my job.
- b. Name of insurance company: _____
- c. Address of insurance company: _____
- d. The monthly cost for the **children's** health insurance is or would be *(specify)*: \$ _____
(Do not include the amount your employer pays.)

18. Additional expense for the children in this case

- | | Amount per month |
|--|------------------|
| a. Childcare so I can work or get job training..... | \$ _____ |
| b. Children's health care not covered by insurance..... | \$ _____ |
| c. Travel expenses for visitation..... | \$ _____ |
| d. Children's educational or other special needs <i>(specify below)</i> :..... | \$ _____ |

19. Special hardships. I ask the court to consider the following special financial circumstances
(attach documentation of any item listed here, including court orders):

- | | Amount per month | For how many months? |
|--|------------------|----------------------|
| a. Extraordinary health expenses not included in 18b..... | \$ _____ | _____ |
| b. Major losses not covered by insurance <i>(examples: fire, theft, other insured loss)</i> | \$ _____ | _____ |
| c. (1) Expenses for my minor children who are from other relationships and are living with me..... | \$ _____ | _____ |
| (2) Names and ages of those children <i>(specify)</i> : _____ | | |

(3) Child support I receive for those children..... \$ _____

The expenses listed in a, b, and c create an extreme financial hardship because *(explain)*: _____

20. Other information I want the court to know concerning support in my case *(specify)*:

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY (under Family Code, §§ 17400, 17406) (Name, State Bar number, and address): TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO.: _____ ATTORNEY FOR (Name): Self-Represented	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Los Angeles STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	
PETITIONER/PLAINTIFF:	CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT/DEFENDANT:	(If applicable, provide):
PROOF OF PERSONAL SERVICE	HEARING DATE: HEARING TIME: DEPT.:

1. I am at least 18 years old, not a party to this action, and not a protected person listed in any of the orders.
2. Person served (name):
3. I served copies of the following documents (specify):

4. By personally delivering copies to the person served, as follows:
 - a. Date:
 - b. Time:
 - c. Address:

5. I am
 - a. ☐ not a registered California process server.
 - b. ☐ a registered California process server.
 - c. ☐ an employee or independent contractor of a registered California process server.
 - d. ☐ exempt from registration under Business & Profession Code section 22350(b).
 - e. ☐ a California sheriff or marshal.

6. My name, address, and telephone number, and, if applicable, county of registration and number (specify):

7. ☐ I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.
8. ☐ I am a California sheriff or marshal and I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date:

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PERSON WHO SERVED THE PAPERS)



(SIGNATURE OF PERSON WHO SERVED THE PAPERS)

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PERSONA

PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATTORNEY		STATE BAR NUMBER:	
NAME:			
FIRM NAME:			
STREET ADDRESS:			
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP CODE:	
TELEPHONE NO.:	FAX NO.:		
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
ATTORNEY FOR (name):		Self-Represented	
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Los Angeles			
STREET ADDRESS:			
MAILING ADDRESS:			
CITY AND ZIP CODE:			
BRANCH NAME:			
PETITIONER:			
RESPONDENT:			
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:			
RESPONSIVE DECLARATION TO REQUEST FOR ORDER		CASE NUMBER:	
HEARING DATE:	TIME:	DEPARTMENT OR ROOM:	

Read *Information Sheet: Responsive Declaration to Request for Order* (form [FL-320-INFO](#)) for more information about this form.

1. ☐ **RESTRAINING ORDER INFORMATION**
- a. ☐ No domestic violence restraining/protective orders are now in effect between the parties in this case.
- b. ☐ I agree that one or more domestic violence restraining/protective orders are now in effect between the parties in this case.
2. ☐ **CHILD CUSTODY**
- ☐ **VISITATION (PARENTING TIME)**
- a. ☐ I consent to the order requested for child custody (legal and physical custody).
- b. ☐ I consent to the order requested for visitation (parenting time).
- c. ☐ I do not consent to the order requested for ☐ child custody ☐ visitation (parenting time)
- ☐ but I consent to the following order:
3. ☐ **CHILD SUPPORT**
- a. I have completed and filed a current *Income and Expense Declaration* (form [FL-150](#)) or, if eligible, a current *Financial Statement (Simplified)* (form FL-155) to support my responsive declaration.
- b. ☐ I consent to the order requested.
- c. ☐ I consent to guideline support.
- d. ☐ I do not consent to the order requested ☐ but I consent to the following order:
4. ☐ **SPOUSAL OR DOMESTIC PARTNER SUPPORT**
- a. I have completed and filed a current *Income and Expense Declaration* (form [FL-150](#)) to support my responsive declaration.
- b. ☐ I consent to the order requested.
- c. ☐ I do not consent to the order requested ☐ but I consent to the following order:

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5. ☐ PROPERTY CONTROL
- a. ☐ I consent to the order requested.
- b. ☐ I do not consent to the order requested ☐ but I consent to the following order:
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6. ☐ ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS
- a. I have completed and filed a current *Income and Expense Declaration* (form [FL-150](#)) to support my responsive declaration.
- b. I have completed and filed with this form a *Supporting Declaration for Attorney's Fees and Costs Attachment* (form [FL-158](#)) or a declaration that addresses the factors covered in that form.
- c. ☐ I consent to the order requested.
- d. ☐ I do not consent to the order requested ☐ but I consent to the following order:
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7. ☐ OTHER ORDERS REQUESTED
- a. ☐ I consent to the order requested.
- b. ☐ I do not consent to the order requested ☐ but I consent to the following order:
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8. ☐ TIME FOR SERVICE / TIME UNTIL HEARING
- a. ☐ I consent to the order requested.
- b. ☐ I do not consent to the order requested ☐ but I consent to the following order:
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9. ☐ FACTS TO SUPPORT my responsive declaration are listed below. The facts that I write and attach to this form cannot be longer than 10 pages, unless the court gives me permission. ☐ [Attachment 9.](#)

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information provided in this form and all attachments is true and correct.

Date:

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)



(SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT)

1. I am at least 18 years of age, not a party to this action, and I am a resident of or employed in the county where the mailing took place.
2. My residence or business address is:
3. I served a copy of the following documents (*specify*) :

a. ☐ **depositing** the sealed envelope with the United States Postal Service with the postage fully prepaid.

b. ☐ **placing** the envelope for collection and mailing on the date and at the place shown in item 4 following our ordinary business practices. I am readily familiar with this business's practice for collecting and processing correspondence for mailing. On the same day that correspondence is placed for collection and mailing, it is deposited in the ordinary course of business with the United States Postal Service in a sealed envelope with postage fully prepaid.

- Name of person served:
- Address:
- Date mailed:
- Place of mailing (*city and state*):

6. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)  _____
(SIGNATURE OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS FORM)