SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF ORANGE Self-Help Services www.occourts.org/self-help

REQUEST FOR ORDER: CHILD SUPPORT

SELF-HELP FORM PACKET



Self-Help Services can review your completed forms before you file them with the Court. To request review of your completed forms:

- 1. Complete the attached forms in black ink.
- 2. Scan your completed forms and save as a single PDF file.
- 3. Go to <u>www.occourts.org/self-help</u> (click the button labeled *Contact Self-Help Services*), attach the PDF, and complete the online request form. For cases involving the Dept. of Child Support Services, Make sure to select CHILD SUPPORT CASES INVOLVING THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES as the case type on the form. For all other cases, select FAMILY LAW as the case type.

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FL-300-INFO Information Sheet for Request for Order

1) USE *Request for Order* (form FL-300):

- To schedule a court hearing and ask the court to make new orders or to change orders in your case.
- When *Restraining Order After Hearing* (form <u>DV-130</u>) has expired, and you want to change the orders that are still in effect (examples: child custody, visitation (parenting time), child support, and other orders).
- To change or end *Juvenile Restraining Order After Hearing* (form <u>JV-255</u>) when the case is closed (dismissed) and the order was granted under the Code of Civil Procedure.

2) DO NOT USE *Request for Order* (form FL-300):

- To ask for a restraining order against your spouse or domestic partner, a former spouse or domestic partner, or someone you have a child with. Read *How to Ask for a Temporary Restraining Order* (form <u>DV-505-INFO</u>).
- To ask to change or end a *Restraining Order After Hearing* granted under the Domestic Violence Prevention Act, including form DV-130 and form JV-255 in a juvenile case. For more information, read *How Do I Ask to Change or End a Domestic Violence Restraining Order?* (form <u>DV-300-INFO</u>).
- Before you have filed a Petition to start your family law case (form FL-300 may be filed with the Petition).
- If you and the other party have an agreement. For information about how to write up your agreement, get it approved by the court, and filed in your case, see <u>www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp-agreeFL</u>, speak with an attorney, or get help at your court's Self-Help Center or Family Law Facilitator's Office.
- When specific Judicial Council forms must be used to ask the court for other orders. For example, to ask:

 For an order for contempt, use form <u>FL-410</u>. –To set aside a child support order, use form <u>FL-360</u> or form <u>FL-640</u>. –To set aside a voluntary declaration of paternity, use form <u>FL-280</u>.

3) Forms checklist

- a. Form <u>FL-300</u>, *Request for Order*, is the basic form you need to file with the court. Depending on your request, you may need these additional forms:
- b. To request child custody or visitation (parenting time) orders, you may need to complete some of these forms:
 - EL-105, Declaration Under Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act
 - EL-311, Child Custody and Visitation (Parenting Time) Application Attachment
 - EL-312, Request for Child Abduction Prevention Orders
 - EL-341(C), Children's Holiday Schedule Attachment
 - EL-341(D), Additional Provisions—Physical Custody Attachment
 - EL-341(E), Joint Legal Custody Attachment
- c. If you want child support, you need this form:
 - A current <u>FL-150</u>, *Income and Expense Declaration*. You may use form <u>FL-155</u>, *Financial Statement (Simplified)* instead of form FL-150 if you meet the requirements listed on page 2 of form FL-155.
- d. If you want spousal or partner support or orders about your finances, you need these forms:
 - A current <u>FL-150</u>, *Income and Expense Declaration*
 - [] FL-157, Spousal or Partner Support Declaration Attachment (if the request is to change a support judgment)
- e. If you want attorney's fees and costs, you need these forms:*
 - A current <u>FL-150</u>, Income and Expense Declaration
 - EL-319, Request for Attorney's Fees and Costs Attachment (or provide the information in a declaration)
 - [] <u>FL-158</u>, Supporting Declaration for Attorney's Fees and Costs (or provide the information in a declaration) (*The above forms are not required when asking for attorney's fees and costs under the Domestic Violence Prevention Act.)
- f. To request temporary emergency (ex parte) orders, you need these forms:
 - EL-305, *Temporary Emergency Orders* to serve as the proposed temporary emergency orders.
 - ☐ Your declaration describing how and when you gave notice about the request for temporary emergency orders. You may use <u>form FL-303</u>, *Declaration Regarding Notice and Service of Request for Temporary Emergency (Ex Parte) Orders*.
 - □ Other forms required by local courts. See item 9 on page 3 of this form for more information.
- g. If you plan to have witnesses testify at the hearing, you need form:
 - EL-321, Witness List
- h. If you want to request a separate trial (bifurcation) on an issue, you need form:
 - EL-315, Request or Response to Request for Separate Trial

FL-300-INFO Information Sheet for Request for Order

Complete form FL-300 (Page 1)

Caption: Complete the top part with your name, address, and telephone number. Below that, fill in the court's address.

Write the name of the Petitioner, Respondent, or Other Parent/Party. (You must use the party names as they appear in the petition.)

In the next section, check "CHANGE" if you want to change an existing order. Check "TEMPORARY EMERGENCY (EX PARTE) ORDER" if you are asking that the court make emergency orders that will be effective until the hearing date.

Then, check the boxes that apply to the orders you are requesting. Finally, in the box on the right, write your case number.

- Item 1: List the name(s) of the other person(s) in your case who will receive your request. In some cases, this might include a grandparent who is joined as a party in the case, a local child support agency, or a lawyer who represents a child in the case.
- Item 2: Leave this blank. The court clerk will fill in the date, time, and location of the hearing.
- Item 3: This is a notice to all other parties.
- Items Leave these blank. The court will
- **4–5:** complete them if the orders are granted.
- Item 6: In some counties, the court clerk will check item 6 and provide the details for your required child custody mediation or recommending counseling appointment. Other courts require the party or the party's lawyer to make the appointment and then complete item 6 before filing form FL-300.

Ask your court's Family Law Facilitator or Self-Help Center to find out what your court requires.

ItemsLeave these blank. The court will7-8:complete them, if needed.

5) Complete form FL-300 (pages 2–4)

) Complete additional forms and make copies

Complete any additional forms that you need to file with the *Request for Order*. Make at least two copies of your full packet.

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RESPONDENT:		
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:		
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Other (specify):		
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Time for service un	til the hearing is shortened. Service must be on or	before (date)
	t for Order (form FL-320) must be served on or befor	
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. The orders in Temporary Emergency served with all documents filed with t	(Ex Parte) Orders (form FL-305) apply to this proce his Request for Order.	eding and must be personally
Other (specify):		
late:		JUDICIAL OFFICER

Note: You may file one form *FL-150* to respond to items 3, 4, and 6.

7) File your documents

Give your paperwork and the copies you made to the court clerk to process. You may take them to the clerk's office in person, mail them, or, in some counties, you can e-file them.

The clerk will keep the original and give you back the copies you made with a court date and time stamped on the first page of the *Request for Order*. The procedure may be different in some courts if you are requesting temporary emergency orders.

8) Pay filing fees

A fee is due at the time of filing.

If you cannot afford to pay the filing fee, and you do not already have a valid fee waiver order in this case, you can ask the court to waive the fee by completing and filing form <u>FW-001</u>, *Request to Waive Court Fees* and form <u>FW-003</u>, *Order on Court Fee Waiver*.

Temporary Emergency (Ex Parte) Orders (nondomestic violence restraining orders)

Courts can make temporary orders in your family law case to respond to emergencies that cannot wait to be heard on the court's regular hearing calendar.

The emergency must involve an immediate danger or irreparable harm to a party or children in the case, or an immediate loss or damage to property.

To request these orders:

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- Complete form FL-300. Describe the emergency and explain why you need the temporary emergency orders before the hearing.
- Complete form FL-305 to serve as your proposed temporary orders.
- Include a declaration describing how and when you notified the other parties (or why you could not give notice) about your request and the hearing (see form FL-303).
- Complete other forms if required by your local court rules.
- Follow your court's local procedures for reserving the day for the hearing, submitting your paperwork, and paying filing fees.

(10) General information about "service"

"Service" is the act of giving your legal papers to all persons named as parties in the case so that they know what orders you are asking for and have information about the hearing.

If the other parties are NOT properly served, the judge cannot make the orders you requested on the date of the hearing.

11) Serve the Request for Order and blank forms

The other party must be "served" with a:

- Copy of the *Request for Order* and all the other forms and attachments filed with the court clerk.
- Copy of any temporary emergency orders granted.
- Blank form <u>FL-320</u>, *Responsive Declaration to Request for Order*.
- Blank form <u>FL-150</u>, *Income and Expense Declaration* (if you served form FL-150 or FL-155).

(12) Who can be a "server"

You cannot serve the papers. Have someone else (who is at least 18 years old) do it. The server can be a friend, a relative who is not involved in your case, a sheriff, or a professional process server.

(13) "Personal Service"

Personal service means that your server walks up to each person to be served, makes sure the right person is served, and then hand-delivers a copy of all the papers (and the blank forms). If the person served does not take the papers, the server may leave the papers near the person.

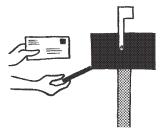


Note: Sometimes the papers may be personally served on the other party's lawyer (if the other party has one) in the family law case.

"Service by mail"

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Service by mail means that your server places copies of all the documents (and blank forms) in a sealed envelope and mails them to the address of each



party being served (or to the party's lawyer, if the party has one).

The server must be 18 years of age or over and live or work in the county where the mailing took place.

Important! For questions about personal service or service by mail, talk with a lawyer or check with your court's Family Law Facilitator or Self-Help Center at <u>www.courts.ca.gov/1083.htm</u>.

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15)	When to use personal service or service by mail		
16)	 Personal Service Personal service is the best way to make sure the other adults in your case are correctly served. Sometimes you must use personal service. You must use personal service when the court: ✓ Ordered personal service; ✓ Granted temporary emergency orders; ✓ Does not yet have the power to make orders that apply to the other party because the person has either NOT previously: Been served with a <i>Summons</i> and <i>Petition</i>;* OR Appeared in the case by filing a: <i>a. Response</i> to a <i>Petition</i>; and <i>Waivers</i>; Written notice of appearance; Request to strike all or part of the <i>Petition</i>; or Request to transfer the case. *Note: A <i>Request for Order</i> may be served at the same time as the family law <i>Summons</i> and <i>Petition</i>. After serving, the server must fill out a <i>Proof of Personal Service</i> (form FL-330) and give it to you. If the server needs instructions, give them form FL-330-INFO, <i>Information Sheet for Proof of Personal Service</i>. Take the completed <i>Proof of Personal Service</i> form to the clerk's office (or e-file it, if available in your court) at least 5 court days before your hearing. Deadline: The deadline for personal service is 16 court days before the hearing date, unless the court orders a different deadline.	 Service by Mail If you are not required to use personal service, you may use service by mail. <i>Important!</i> Check with your court's Family Law Facilitator's Office or Self-Help Center, or ask a lawyer to be sure you are allowed to use service by mail in your case. A <i>Request for Order</i> to change a judgment or final order on the issue of child custody, visitation (parenting time), or child support may be served by mail if: The documents do not include temporary emergency orders; The court did not order personal service; and You have verified the other party's current residence or office address. (You may use <i>Address Verification</i> (form FL-334).) To change a judgment or final order on any other issue, including spousal or domestic partner support, the <i>Request for Order</i> may need to be personally served on the other party. After serving, the server must fill out a <i>Proof of Service by Mail</i> (form FL-335) and give it to you. If the server needs instructions, give them <i>Information Sheet for Proof of Service by Mail</i> (form FL-335-INFO). Take the completed <i>Proof of Personal Service</i> form to the clerk's office (or e-file it, if available in your court) at least 5 court days before your hearing. Deadline: Unless the court orders a different time, service by mail must be completed at least 16 court days <i>PLUS</i> 5 calendar days before the hearing date (if service is in California). Other time lines apply for service outside of California. 	
		forms to the hearing. Include a filed <i>Proof of Service</i> form ing at <u>www.courts.ca.gov/1094.htm.</u>	

• For information about having the other party testify in court, go to <u>www.courts.ca.gov/29283.htm</u>.

17) After the hearing, the order made on form <u>FL-340</u> *Findings and Order After Hearing*, must be filed and served.



Do you have questions or need help?

- Find a lawyer through your local bar association, the State Bar of California at <u>calbar.ca.gov</u>, or the Lawyer Referral Service at 1-866-442-2529.
- For free and low-cost legal help (if you qualify), go to <u>www.lawhelpca.org</u>.
- Contact the Family Law Facilitator or Self-Help Center for information and assistance, and referrals to local legal services providers. Go to <u>www.courts.ca.gov/selfhelp-courtresources.htm</u>.

NAME: FIRM NAME: STREET ADDRESS: CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE: TELEPHONE NO.: FAX NO.: EMAIL ADDRESS: ATTORNEY FOR (name): SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE	OR COURT USE ONLY
FIRM NAME: STREET ADDRESS: CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE: TELEPHONE NO.: FAX NO.: EMAIL ADDRESS: ATTORNEY FOR (name): SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE	
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CITY AND ZIP CODE: ORANGE, CA 92868	
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PETITIONER:	
RESPONDENT:	
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	
Child Custody Visitation (Parenting Time) Spousal or Partner Support	
X Child Support Property Control Attorney's Fees and Costs	
Other (specify):	
Note: Read form <u>FL-300-INFO</u> for information about how to complete this form. To ask to change or e that was granted in a Restraining Order After Hearing (form DV-130 or JV-255), read form <u>FL-3</u> <u>DV-300-INFO</u>	
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.: F	Room.:
b. Address of court same as noted above other (<i>specify</i>):	
 WARNING to the person served with the Request for Order: The court may make the requested orders not file a Responsive Declaration to Request for Order (form FL-320), serve a copy on the other parties at lebefore the hearing (unless the court has ordered a shorter period of time), and appear at the hearing. (See the more information.) 	east nine court days
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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 co (specify date, time, and location):	ounseling as follows
 7. The orders in <i>Temporary Emergency (Ex Parte) Orders</i> (form FL-305) apply to this proceeding and me served with all documents filed with this <i>Request for Order</i>. 8. Other (<i>specify</i>): 	ust be personally

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 restrain Petitioner Respondent The orders are from the following court a. Criminal: County/state (specified) b. Family: County/state (specified) c. Juvenile: County/state (specified) d. Other: County/state (specify)	ning/protective orders are nov Other Parent/Party t or courts (<i>specify county and</i> <i>ify</i>): <i>ify</i>):	(Attach a copy of the orders	
2.	CHILD CUSTODY VISITATION (PARENTING TIME)		I request	temporary emergency orders
	a. I request that the court make order <u>Child's Name</u>	Data of Disth	(specify): <u>ustody to</u> (person who health, education, etc):	Physical Custody to (person with whom child lives):
	b The orders I request for (1) Specified in the a		ation (parenting time) are:	Attachment 2a.
	Form <u>FL-305</u> Form <u>FL-341(D)</u>	Form FL-311 Form FL-341(E)	Form FL-312 Other (specify):	Form <u>FL-341(C)</u>
	(2) As follows (speci	fy):		Attachment 2b.

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

PETITIONER: RESPONDENT: OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	CASE NUMBER:
 2. d. This is a change from the current order for child custody (1) The order for legal or physical custody was filed on (<i>date</i>): 	visitation (parenting time). . The court ordered <i>(specify):</i>
(2) The visitation (parenting time) order was filed on <i>(date)</i> :	. The court ordered <i>(specify):</i>
 3. X CHILD SUPPORT (Note: An earnings assignment may be issued. See <i>Income Withholding for Supp</i> a. I request that the court order child support as follows: <u>Child's name and age</u> I request support for each based on the child support 	·/
 b. I want to change a current court order for child support filed on (date): The court ordered child support as follows (specify): 	Attachment 3a.
 c. I have completed and filed with this <i>Request for Order</i> a current <i>Income and I</i> a current <i>Financial Statement (Simplified)</i> (form FL-155) because I meet the id. d. The court should make or change the support orders because (<i>specify</i>): 	
 4. SPOUSAL OR DOMESTIC PARTNER SUPPORT (Note: An Earnings Assignment Order for Spousal or Partner Support (form FL-4: a. Amount requested (monthly): \$ b. I want the court to change end the current support of The court ordered \$ per month for support. C. This request is to modify (change) spousal or partner support after entre I have completed and attached Spousal or Partner Support Declaration that addresses the same factors covered in form FL-157. d. I have completed and filed a current Income and Expense Declaration (form [order filed on <i>(date):</i> ry of a judgment. <i>n Attachment</i> (form <u>FL-157</u>) or a declaration
e. The court should make, change, or end the support orders because (specify).	,

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PETITIONER: RESPONDENT: OTHER PARENT/PARTY:		CASE NUME	SER:
5. PROPERTY CONTROL a. The petitioner re control of the following propert		arent/party be given exclusiv	quest temporary emergency orders e temporary use, possession, and (specify):
b. The petitioner re and liens coming due while the		arent/party be ordered to mak	e the following payments on debts
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 d. Specify in <u>Attachment 5d</u> the reference of the second secon	S s, which total (specify amou e Declaration (form <u>FL-150</u> and Costs Attachment (for ttorney's Fees and Costs /	<i>unt):</i> \$. I filed th). rm <u>FL-319</u>) or a declaration tha	ne following to support my request: at addresses the factors covered
	or Order no less than (<i>num</i> ervice of the <i>Request for</i> C	<i>ber):</i> court days before	e the hearing.
9. X FACTS TO SUPPORT the orders cannot be longer than 10 pages, u			ort and attach to this request <u>Attachment 9.</u>

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:



Requests for Accommodations

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

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 <u>courts.ca.gov/forms</u> for *Disability Accommodations Request* (form MC-410). (Civ. Code, § 54.8.)

(SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT)

	FL-302
PETITIONER:	CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT:	
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	
EARNING CAPACITY FA	CTORS ATTACHMENT
Attachment to:	
Child Support Information and Order Attachment (form FL-342)	Summons and Complaint or Supplemental Complaint Regarding Parental Obligations (form FL-600)
X Request for Order (form FL-300)	Declaration for Amended Proposed Judgment (form FL-616)
Judgment Regarding Parental Obligations (form FL-630)	
Notice of Motion (form FL-680)	Other (specify):
This form is intended to be used for considering the earning cap party whose earning capacity needs to be considered.	pacity of one party. Attach a separate form FL-302 for each
1. Earning capacity factors for (enter name of party):	under Family Code section 4058(b).
\$ per month. This determination is in	leted by court only). espondent other parent/party has the capacity to earn the best interests of the children, taking into consideration their that parent spends with the children. The factors the court
petitioner respondent other pa per month.	parent/party request the court determine that the arent/party has the capacity to earn ng into consideration their overall welfare and developmental

needs, and the time that parent spends with the children. The factors that the court is being asked to consider are listed below in item 2.

(If this form is attached to a request or declaration that is made under penalty of perjury, all statements in this attachment are made under penalty of perjury.)

2. Specific circumstances.

The specific circumstances of the parent that demonstrate why the parent has the capacity to earn the amount listed in item 1 are (specify all that apply):

The parent's assets (describe): a.

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RESPONDENT:	
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	

2. b. The parent's residence (describe):

c. The parent's employment and earnings history (describe):

d. The parent's job skills (describe):

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PETITIONER:	CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT:	
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	

- 2. e. The parent's education (check all that apply):
 - (1) Parent completed high school or the equivalent.
 - (2) Parent attended college.
 - (a) Number of years of college completed (specify):
 - (b) Degree obtained, if any (specify):
 - (3) Parent attended graduate school.
 - (a) Number of years of college completed (specify):
 - (b) Degree obtained, if any (specify):
 - (4) Parent has a professional or occupational license (specify):
 - (5) Parent has vocational training (specify):
 - (6) Other (describe):

f. The parent's ability to read and write (check all that apply):

(1) Parent is unable to read write.
(2) Parent is able to read write in English.
(3) Parent is able to read write in another language (<i>specify</i>):
(4) Other (describe):

- g. The parent's age *(describe):*
- h. ____ The parent's health (describe):

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PETITIONER:	CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT:	
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	

2. i. The parent's employment barriers due to incarceration (describe):

j. ____ The parent's other employment barriers (describe):

k. The parent's record of seeking work (describe):

I. The local job market (*describe*):

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PETITIONER:	CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT:	
OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	

2. m. The availability of employers willing to hire the parent (describe):

n. ____ The average earnings in the local community (describe):

o. Other relevant background factors affecting the parent's ability to earn (describe):

PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATT	DRNEY (Name and Address):	FOR COURT USE ONLY
TELEPHONE NO .:	FAX NO. (Optional):	
E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional):		
ATTORNEY FOR (Name):	BAR NO.:	
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALL JUSTICE CENTER: Central – 700 Civic Center Drive Lamoreaux – 341 The City Drive PETITIONER/PLAINTIFF: RESPONDENT/DEFENDANT OTHER PARENT/PARTY:	_	
DECLARATION IN SUPF	ORT OF MODIFICATION OF CHILD SUPPORT	CASE NUMBER:
I am requesting a modification of ch	ild support based upon the following change of	circumstance since the last order for

1.	l lo hea bei	Job loss and current unemployment st my job on: I was:laid offterminatedOther: I have been looking for work since I lost my jobA list of my job contacts is attached or will be provided at the aringI am receiving unemployment benefits and ask that the court base my child support on my unemployment nefitsI am not eligible for unemployment benefits and I ask that the court reduce my child support to zero until I d employment.
2.		Change of employment and decrease in earnings I am no longer working for the same employer as I was when the last order was made. I have not worked there since The reason I am not working there is because Mucasuration is
		I currently work at My occupation is I earn \$ per hour and usually work hours per week. My average gross monthly income is \$ This is a decrease in my gross monthly earnings of \$ from the time of the last order. I tried to find work at my previous rate of pay but was unable to. I am still employed at the same place I was when the last order was made, but my earnings have decreased. I now earn \$ per hour and usually work hours per week. This is a decrease in my gross monthly earnings of \$
3.		Change in child custody and/or timeshare with children in this case
		Timeshare is estimated to be:% to me and% to the other parent. Timeshare was calculated by Family Court Services the court me. My child,, is now emancipated as a result of attaining the age 18 and not in high school attaining the age 19 married in the military judicial decree. I request that support for that child be terminated.
		or Optional Use ew 02/17] DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF MODIFICATION OF CHILD SUPPORT Page 1 of 3

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OTHER PARENT:	
4. Disability and decrease in earnings and/or loss of	
	and consists of the following medical/psychologi
problems:	
I will be disabled until I have a	attached a Verification of Disability from my treating doctor.
(Select one)	
	t I have applied for benefits. I expect to receive disability
	povernment 🗌 private insurance 🗌 Other:
I expect to start receiving benefits on or about	in the amount of \$ monthly. Unti
start to receive these benefits, I ask the court to redu	uce my child support to zero.
b. I do not expect to receive disability benefits in the	e future because:
I ask the court to reduce my child support to zero.	
c. 🗌 I receive disability benefits from 🗌 state govern	ment 🔲 federal government 🗌 private policy. The amour
receive monthly is \$ D From this disa	ability income the sum of \$ is deducted for child
	spended and/or reduced during the period of my disability.
	Social Security as a result of my disability be offset against
child support order entered, pursuant to Family Code	, , , , ,
	SI/SSP benefits since Thus, child suppo
should be set at zero for so long as I continue to rec	
3 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
5. 🗌 Change in income or ability to earn of the other I	parent
Since the last order for child support was made, the oth	-
a. has become employed, earning \$ p	•
b. has received an increase in earnings and now ea	
c. now has the ability to obtain employment and ea	
5. 🔲 Financial hardship	
Since the last order was made, I have sustained the foll	lowing financial hardshin(s):
a. Statutory hardship –	
	e home (FC § 4071(a)(2)). I provide support for the following
natural or adopted minor children who reside in m	
	-
2. Extraordinary health expenses and uninsured	(alastrophic losses (FC § 407 I(a)(T)).
b. Low income adjustment - I request that the cou	urt order a low income adjustment in this case because I net
less than \$1,500 per month, taking into consideration	•
	•
c. Court discretion - I request that the court use its	s discretion and deviate from the guideline amount because

c. Court discretion - I request that the court use its discretion and deviate from the guideline amount because application of the guideline formula would be unjust or inappropriate due to the special circumstances in my case. The facts supporting the special circumstances in my case are: ______

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7. Recent release from incarceration and decrease in earnings and/or current unemployment

I was released from incarceratio	n on I was incarcerat	ed from	to	🗌 I am
currently unemployed as a resul	of my incarceration and am active	ly looking for work.	A list of my jo	ob contacts is
attached or will be provided at th	e hearing. I have no current incon	ne. I am asking the	court to reduc	e my child support
to zero until I find employment.	am willing to return to court for rev	view hearings as ne	ecessary.	am in a recovery
program called	and	have been there si	nce	The program
requirements are				I am not
allowed to work for the first	weeks/months. Thereafter I	can work as follows	8:	

I have attached verification of my enrollment and participation in this program. I am asking the court to reduce my child support to zero until I find employment. I am willing to return to court for review hearings as necessary.

8. Other change of circumstance: ______

9. I request child support be modified and set at zero for any full calendar months in which the parent ordered to pay support is incarcerated or receiving SSI, and has no other assets or income. For all other periods, I request current support remain in effect until modified by court order.

10. Other information I want the court to know concerning child support in my case that supports my request as set forth above:

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

Date: ___

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

Adopted for Optional Use L-1400 [New 02/17] (SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT)

		I L-130
PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATTORNEY	STATE BAR NUMBER:	FOR COURT USE ONLY
NAME:		
STREET ADDRESS: CITY:	STATE: ZIP CODE:	
TELEPHONE NO.:	FAX NO.:	
E-MAIL ADDRESS:		
ATTORNEY FOR (name):		
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COU		_
STREET ADDRESS: 341 The City Drive South		
MAILING ADDRESS: same as above		
CITY AND ZIP CODE: Orange, CA 92868		
BRANCH NAME: Lamoreaux Justice Center		
PETITIONER:		
RESPONDENT:		
OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:		
		CASE NUMBER:
INCOME AND EX	PENSE DECLARATION	
1. Employment (Give information on year)	our current job or, if you're unemployed, your mo	st recent job.)
Attach copies a. Employer:		
of your pay b. Employer's address:		
stubs for last c. Employer's phone n	umber:	
two months d. Occupation:		
(black out e. Date job started:		
Social f. If unemployed, date	job ended:	
Security g. I work about	hours per week.	
numbers). h. I get paid \$	gross (before taxes) per month	per week per hour.
(If you have more than one job, attach jobs. Write "Question 1—Other Jobs"	n an 8 1/2-by-11-inch sheet of paper and list th at the top.)	e same information as above for your other
2. Age and education		
a. My age is <i>(specify):</i>		
b. I have completed high school or t	the equivalent: Yes No If n	o, highest grade completed <i>(specify):</i>
d. Number of years of graduate sch		gree(s) obtained <i>(specify):</i>
e. I have: professional/occ		
vocational trainir	ng (specify):	
3. Tax information		
a. I last filed taxes for tax yea	r (specify year):	
b. My tax filing status is	ingle head of household man	ried, filing separately
married, filing jointly with (s		
c. I file state tax returns in	California other (specify state):	
	kemptions (including myself) on my taxes (specify	d.
	cemptions (including mysell) on my taxes (specify	/).
 Other party's income. I estimate the This estimate is based on (explain): 	e gross monthly income (before taxes) of the othe	er party in this case at <i>(specify):</i> \$
(If you need more space to answer an question number before your answer.	y questions on this form, attach an 8 1/2-by-1) Number of pages attached:	1-inch sheet of paper and write the
I declare under penalty of perjury under any attachments is true and correct.	the laws of the State of California that the information	ation contained on all pages of this form and
Date:		
	•	
(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)		(SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT)

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RESPONDENT:	
OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:	

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*	2	
	f. Partner support from this domestic partnership from a different domestic partnership \$	<u> </u>	
	g. Pension/retirement fund payments	>	
	h. Social Security retirement (not SSI)	8	
	i. Disability: Social Security (not SSI) State disability (SDI) Private insurance	2	
	j. Unemployment compensation		
	k. Workers' compensation		-
	<i>l</i> . Other (military allowances, royalty payments) <i>(specify):</i>	\$	
_			
6.	Investment income (Attach a schedule showing gross receipts less cash expenses for each piece of property of the state of		
	a. Dividends/interest	\$	
	b. Rental property income	5	
	c. Trust income	5	
	d. Other (specify):	\$	
7	Income from self-employment, after business expenses for all businesses	\$	
1.	I am the owner/sole proprietor business partner other (<i>specify</i>):		
	Number of years in this business (<i>specify</i>):		
	Name of business (<i>specify</i>):		
	Type of business (specify):		
	Attach a profit and loss statement for the last two years or a Schedule C from your last federal tax r		
	Social Security number. If you have more than one business, provide the information above for eac	n of your bu	isinesses.
8.	Additional income. I received one-time money (lottery winnings, inheritance, etc.) in the last 12 mon <i>amount):</i>	ths <i>(specify</i> s	source and
9.	Change in income. My financial situation has changed significantly over the last 12 months because	(snecify):	
0.		(Specify).	
10	Deductions		
10.	a. Required union dues	¢	Last month
	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		- · ·
	a. Cash and checking accounts, savings, credit union, money market, and other deposit accounts	¢	Total
	c. All other property, real and personal (estimate fair market value minus the debts y	ou owe) Þ	
* ^	the set if the ensured support order or judgment was even uted by the parties and the sourt before lanuary 1, 2010.		darad abanas

* 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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OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:	

12. The following people live with me:

1	Jame	Age	How the person is related to me <i>(ex: so</i>	<i>n)</i> That person's gross monthly income	Pays some of the household expenses	s?
					Yes Yes	No No No No
3. A	verage monthly expenses	stimated e	expenses Act	tual expenses Propos	ed needs	
а	Home:		h. La	undry and cleaning	\$	
	(1) Rent or mortgag	Je \$	i. Cl	othes	\$	
	If mortgage: j. Education				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	(a) average principal: \$		k. Er	tertainment, gifts, and vacation.	\$	
	(b) average interest: \$			to expenses and transportation		
	(2) Real property taxes		,	surance, gas, repairs, bus, etc.)		
	(3) Homeowner's or renter's insurance			surance (life, accident, etc.; do r to, home, or health insurance)		
	(if not included above)(4) Maintenance and repair			avings and investments		
h				naritable contributions		
b	1 5			onthly payments listed in item 14		
C	Child care		(ite	emize below in 14 and insert tota		
d	Groceries and household supplies		q. Ui	her <i>(specify):</i>	\$	
е	Eating out	\$	-	DTAL EXPENSES (a–q) (do not	add in	
f.	Utilities (gas, electric, water, trash)		the	e amounts in a(1)(a) and (b))	\$	
g	Telephone, cell phone, and e-mail	\$	s. Ar	nount of expenses paid by ot	ners \$	

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: _____

(SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY)

CASE NUMBER:

PETITIONER: RESPONDENT:

OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:

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.)*

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	\$	
Major losses not covered by insurance (examples: fire, theft, other insured loss)	\$	
c. (1) Expenses for my minor children who are from other relationships and are living with me	\$	
(2) Names and ages of those children (specify):		

(3) Child support I receive for those children\$	
The expenses listed in a, b, and c create an extreme financial hardship because <i>(exp</i> .	lain):

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

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WI (Name, State Bar number, a	THOUT ATTORNEY OR GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY (under Family Code, §§ 17400,17406 nd address):	FOR COURT USE ONLY
_		
TELEPHONE NO.: ATTORNEY FOR (Name):	FAX NO.:	
. ,	T OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE	
	341 THE CITY DRIVE SOUTH	
STREET ADDRESS:	541 THE CITT DRIVE SOUTH	
MAILING ADDRESS:	ORANGE, CA 92868	
CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	LAMOREAUX JUSTICE CENTER	
PETITIONER/P		CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT/DEF	FNDANT	
		(If applicable, provide):
OTHER PAREN	T/PARTY:	HEARING DATE:
		HEARING TIME:
	PROOF OF PERSONAL SERVICE	DEPT.:
1. I am at least 18	years old, not a party to this action, and not a protected person listed in a	nv of the orders.
2. Person served (,
	ne following documents (specify):	
Request for Ord	er (form FL-300), Declaration in Support of Modification of	Child Support (form L-1400)
1	lank Income and Expense Declaration (form FL-150), Earni	11 ()/
1	-302), and Blank Responsive Declaration (form FL-320)	ng Supuerty I detois
	502), and Drank (cosponsive Declaration (form 1 L-520)	

4. By personally delivering copies to the person served, as follows:

	c. Address:
5.	I am a. X not a registered California process server. b. a registered California process server. c. an employee or independent contractor of a registered California process server. e. a California sheriff or marshal.
6.	My name, address, and telephone number, and, if applicable, county of registration and number (specify):
7. 8.	 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. I am a California sheriff or marshal and I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

b. Time:

Date:

a. Date:

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

(SIGNATURE OF PERSON WHO SERVED THE PAPERS)

INFORMATION SHEET FOR PROOF OF PERSONAL SERVICE

Use these instructions to complete the Proof of Personal Service (form FL-330).

A person at least 18 years of age or older must serve the documents. There are two ways to serve documents: (1) personal delivery and (2) by mail. See the *Proof of Service by Mail* (form FL-335) if the documents are being served by mail. The person who serves the documents must complete a proof of service form for the documents being served. **You cannot serve documents if you are a party to the action.**

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PERSON WHO SERVES THE DOCUMENTS (TYPE OR PRINT IN BLACK INK)

You must complete a proof of service for each package of documents you serve. For example, if you serve the respondent and the other parent, you must complete two proofs of service; one for the respondent and one for the other parent.

Complete the top section of the proof of service forms as follows:

First box, left side: In this box print the name, address, and phone number of the person for whom you are serving the documents.

Second box, left side: Print the name of the county in which the legal action is filed and the court's address in this box. Use the same address for the court that is on the documents you are serving.

Third box, left side: Print the names of the petitioner/plaintiff, respondent/defendant, and other parent in this box. Use the same names listed on the documents you are serving.

First box, top of form, right side: Leave this box blank for the court's use.

Second box, right side: Print the case number in this box. This number is also stated on the documents you are serving. **Third box, right side:** Print the hearing date, time, and department. Use the same information that is on the documents you are serving.

- 1. You are stating that you are over the age of 18 and that you are neither a party of this action nor a protected person listed in any of the orders.
- 2. Print the name of the party to whom you handed the documents.
- 3. List the name of each document that you delivered to the party.
- 4. a. Write in the date that you delivered the documents to the party.
 - b. Write in the time of day that you delivered the documents to the party.
 - c. Print the address where you delivered the documents.
- 5. Check the box that applies to you. If you are a private person serving the documents for a party, check box "a."
- 6. Print your name, address, and telephone number. If applicable, include the county in which you are registered as a process server and your registration number.
- 7. You must check this box if you are not a California sheriff or marshal. You are stating under penalty of perjury that the information you have provided is true and correct.
- 8. Do not check this box unless you are a California sheriff or marshal.

Print your name, fill in the date, and sign the form.

If you need additional assistance with this form, contact the family law facilitator in your county.

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ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITH	OUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address):	FOR COURT USE ONLY
TELEPHONE NO.: E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional): ATTORNEY FOR (Name):	FAX NO. (Optional):	
STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE:	OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE 341 THE CITY DRIVE SOUTH ORANGE, CA 92868 LAMOREAUX JUSTICE CENTER	
PETITIONER/PLA		CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT/DEFEI		(If applicable, provide): HEARING DATE:
	PROOF OF SERVICE BY MAIL	HEARING TIME: DEPT.:

NOTICE: To serve temporary restraining orders you must use personal service (see form FL-330).

- 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):

Request for Order (form FL-300), Declaration in Support of Modification of Child Support (form L-1400), completed and blank Income and Expense Declaration (form FL-150), Earning Capacity Factors Attachment (FL-302), and Blank Responsive Declaration (form FL-320)

by enclosing them in an envelope AND

- 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.
- 4. The envelope was addressed and mailed as follows:
 - a. Name of person served:
 - b. Address:
 - c. Date mailed:
 - d. Place of mailing (city and state):
- 5. I served a request to modify a child custody, visitation, or child support judgment or permanent order which included an address verification declaration. (Declaration Regarding Address Verification—Postjudgment Request to Modify a Child Custody, Visitation, or Child Support Order (form FL-334) may be used for this purpose.)
- 6. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date:

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS FORM)

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INFORMATION SHEET FOR PROOF OF SERVICE BY MAIL

Use these instructions to complete the Proof of Service by Mail (form FL-335).

A person at least 18 years of age or older must serve the documents. There are two ways to serve documents: (1) personal delivery and (2) by mail. See the *Proof of Personal Service* (form FL-330) if the documents are being personally served. The person who serves the documents must complete a proof of service form for the documents being served. **You cannot serve documents if you are a party to the action.**

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PERSON WHO SERVES THE DOCUMENTS (TYPE OR PRINT IN BLACK INK)

You must complete a proof of service for each package of documents you serve. For example, if you serve the respondent and the other parent, you must complete two proofs of service; one for the respondent and one for the other parent.

Complete the top section of the proof of service forms as follows:

First box, left side: In this box print the name, address, and phone number of the person for whom you are serving the documents.

Second box, left side: Print the name of the county in which the legal action is filed and the court's address in this box. Use the same address for the court that is on the documents you are serving.

Third box, left side: Print the names of the petitioner/plaintiff, respondent/defendant, and other parent in this box. Use the same names listed on the documents you are serving.

First box, top of form, right side: Leave this box blank for the court's use.

Second box, right side: Print the case number in this box. This number is also stated on the documents you are serving. **Third box, right side:** Print the hearing date, time, and department. Use the same information that is on the documents you are serving.

You cannot serve a temporary restraining order by mail. You must serve those documents by personal service.

- 1. You are stating that you are at least 18 years old and that you are not a party to this action. You are also stating that you either live in or are employed in the county where the mailing took place.
- 2. Print your home or business address.
- 3. List the name of each document that you mailed (the exact names are listed on the bottoms of the forms).
- a. Check this box if you put the documents in the regular U.S. mail.
 - b. Check this box if you put the documents in the mail at your place of employment.
- 4. a. Print the name you put on the envelope containing the documents.
 - b. Print the address you put on the envelope containing the documents.
 - c. Print the date that you put the envelope containing the documents in the mail.
 - d. Print the city and state you were in when you mailed the envelope containing the documents.
- 5. Check this box if you are serving an address verification form (required for service by mail of a postjudgment request to change a child custody, visitation, or child support order).
- 6. You are stating under penalty of perjury that the information you have provided is true and correct.

Print your name, fill in the date, and sign the form.

If you need additional assistance with this form, contact the family law facilitator in your county.



DO NOT write on the following blank forms!

These blank forms must be served on the Other Party so that the Other Party may respond to this action. These blank forms must accompany a conformed (stamped) copy of all the forms that you prepared and filed today.

<u>NO escriba</u> en los siguientes formularios en blanco!

Estos formularios en blanco deben ser entregadas a la Otra Parte para que la Otra Parte podrá responder a esta acción. Estos formularios en blanco deberán acompañar una copia conforme (sellada) de todas las formas que ha preparado y archivado hoy.



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1) If you received a *Request for Order* (form FL-300):

- Carefully read the papers you received to make sure you understand what orders are being requested.
- Note the date, time, and location of the court hearing.
- Check to see if the court ordered a specific date for filing and serving your *Responsive Declaration to Request* for Order (form FL-320).
- If you need more time before the hearing to prepare a responsive declaration or talk with a lawyer, you may ask the court to continue the hearing date. For more information, consult with a lawyer or contact the the Family Law Facilitator or Self-Help Center in your court (see item (16)).

2 USE Responsive Declaration to Request for Order (form FL-320)

Use form FL-320 to let the court and the other party know that you agree or disagree with each of the requests made in the *Request for Order* (form FL-300).

- If you disagree, use form FL-320 to describe the orders you would like the court to make.
- If you do not file and serve form FL-320, the court can still make orders without your input.

3 DO NOT USE Responsive Declaration to Request for Order (form FL-320) to:

- Ask for court orders that were not requested in the *Request for Order* (form FL-300). Instead, file and serve your own *Request for Order* (form FL-300) to ask for orders about other issues.
- Respond to Request for Domestic Violence Restraining Order (form <u>DV-100</u>). Instead, you must use Response to Request for Domestic Restraining Order (form <u>DV-120</u>).
- Respond to *Request to Change or End Restraining Order* (form <u>DV-300</u> or form <u>JV-255</u> when the juvenile case is closed and the order was granted under the Domestic Violence Prevention Act). Instead, you must use *Response to Request to End or Change Restraining Order* (form <u>DV-320</u>).

4) Forms checklist

- a. Form <u>FL-320</u>, *Responsive Declaration to Request for Order*, is the basic form you need. Depending on the requests made in the *Request for Order* (form FL-300), you may need other forms.
- b. For child custody or visitation (parenting time) orders, you may need to complete some of these forms:
 - EL-105, Declaration Under Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act
 - [] FL-311, Child Custody and Visitation (Parenting Time) Application Attachment
 - EL-312, Request for Child Abduction Prevention Orders
 - [] <u>FL-341(C)</u>, Children's Holiday Schedule Attachment
 - [] FL-341(D), Additional Provisions—Physical Custody Attachment
 - <u>FL-341(E)</u>, *Joint Legal Custody Attachment*
- c. For child support, you need:
 - A current form <u>FL-150</u>, *Income and Expense Declaration*. You may use form <u>FL-155</u>, *Financial Statement (Simplified)*, instead of form FL-150 if you meet the requirements listed on page 2 of form FL-155.

Notice: • The court will order child support based on the income of the parents.

- Child support normally continues until the child is 18 years and has graduated from high school.
- You must give the court information about your finances. If you do not, the child support order will be based on information about your income that the court receives from other sources.
- d. For spousal or domestic partner support or orders about your finances, you need these forms:
 - EL-150, Income and Expense Declaration

EL-157, Spousal or Partner Support Declaration Attachment (if the request is to change a support judgment)

- e. For attorney's fees and costs, you need these forms (except in Domestic Violence Prevention Act cases):
 - EL-150, Income and Expense Declaration
 - □ <u>FL-158</u>, Supporting Declaration for Attorney's Fees and Costs (or provide the information in a declaration) □ <u>FL-319</u>, Request for Attorney's Fees and Costs Attachment (or provide the information in a declaration)
- f. If you plan on having witnesses testify at the hearing, you need this form: FL-321, Witness List

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To respond to a *Request for Order*, you must:

5 Complete the top part (caption) of the form Complete the top portion including your name, address, and telephone number, the court address, the names of all the parties in the case, and the case number. Also, print or type the same hearing date, time, and department that appears on the *Request for Order* (form FL-300).

6 Specify a response to orders requested Items 1–8: Each item on the form matches the item numbers on the *Request for Order* (form FL-300). Complete item 1. Next, mark the same box that is marked on form FL-300. Then, specify if you consent (agree) or do not consent to (disagree with) the orders requested. If you disagree, describe the order you would like the court to make. *Note: You may file one form FL-150 to respond to items 3, 4, and 6.*

Item 9: Use the space to explain your responses to items 1–8. Include the reasons why you do not agree with the orders requested by the other party and why the court should make the orders you described. If you need more space, write your responses on a separate sheet of paper and attach it to the form (*Attached Declaration* (form MC-031) may be used for this purpose).

Sign and date: Print your name, sign, and write the date you signed form FL-320.

) Next steps: file or serve your paperwork

You must file your paperwork with the court clerk at least 9 court days before the hearing. If the court orders a shorter time to file your papers, file them by the date specified in the order.

Make 2 copies of your original paperwork. Then, do one of the following before the filing deadline:

- Take your paperwork and copies to the court clerk to process (or e-file them, if available in your county). The clerk will keep the original and give you back copies with a court stamp on them. Have a stamped copy served; or
- Have an unstamped copy of your paperwork served *before* you take (or e-file) the originals and copies to the court clerk to file. Be sure the original documents are not served.

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NAME:			
FIRM NAME:			
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP CODE:	
TELEPHONE NO :	FAX NO.:		
EMAIL ADDRESS:			
ATTORNEY FOR (name):			
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA	COUNTY OF		
STREET ADDRESS:	,		
MAILING ADDRESS			
CITY AND ZIP CODE:			
BRANCH NAME:			
PETITIONER: RESPONDENT: OTHER PARENT/PARTY:			
RESPONSIVE DEC	CLARATION TO REQU	JEST FOR ORDER	CASE NUMBER:
HEARING DATE:	TIME:	DEPARTMENT OR ROOM:	
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8) Pay filing fees

Generally, you do not have to pay a fee to file the *Responsive Declaration*. However, if you have never filed any papers in the case, you may have to pay a "first appearance fee," which, in general, everyone has to pay when filing court papers in a case for the first time.

If you cannot afford to pay the filing fee, you can ask the court to waive the fees. To do so, complete and file form <u>FW-001</u>, *Request to Waive Court Fees*, and form <u>FW-003</u>, *Order on Court Fee Waiver*.

9) Serve your papers on the other party

"Service" is the act of giving your legal papers to all persons named as parties in the case so that they know what orders you want the court to make. Note: If a party has a lawyer in the case, the papers should be served on that party's lawyer.

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10) How to "serve"

Server. You cannot serve the papers. Have someone else (who is at least 18 years old) do it. The "server" can be a friend, a relative who is not involved in your case, a county sheriff, or a professional process server.

Personal service.

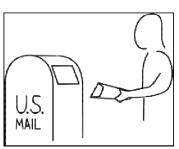
Your papers may be served by "personal service." Personal service means that



your server walks up to each person to be served, makes sure they are the right person, and then gives a copy of all the papers to each person.

Service by mail.

"Service by mail" means that your server places copies of all the documents in a sealed envelope and mails them to the address of each party



being served (or to the party's lawyer, if applicable.) The server must be 18 years of age or over and must live or work in the county where the mailing took place.

11) Deadline for service

Personal service or service by mail on the other party must be completed at least 9 *court days* before the court hearing. If the court has ordered a shorter time to serve your responsive papers, be sure to have them served by the date specified in the court order.

12) Server must complete a Proof of Service

After personal service, the server should complete a form <u>FL-330</u>, *Proof of Personal Service*. Form <u>FL-330-INFO</u>, *Information Sheet for Proof of Personal Service*, has instructions to help the person complete the form.

After service by mail, the server should complete form <u>FL-335</u>, *Proof of Service by Mail*. Form <u>FL-335-INFO</u>, *Information Sheet for Proof of Service by Mail*, has instructions to help the person complete the form.

13 File the *Proof of Service* before your hearing date

The *Proof of Service* shows the judge that the person received a copy of your *Responsive Declaration to Request for Order*. Make three copies of the completed *Proof of Service*. Take the original and copies to the court clerk as soon as possible **before your hearing**.

The clerk will keep the original and give you back the copies stamped "Filed." Bring a copy stamped "Filed" to your hearing. (If unstamped copies of your paperwork were served, you can file the completed *Proof of Service* when you file the original *Responsive Declaration*.)

14 Participate in child custody mediation or child custody recommending counseling

If the *Request for Order* includes a court order for you to attend mediation or child custody recommending counseling, the date, time, and location is found on page 1 of the *Request for Order*. For more information, read *Child Custody Information Sheet* (form FL-313-INFO or form FL-314-INFO).

(15) Get ready for your hearing

- Take at least two copies of your documents and filed forms to the hearing. Include a filed *Proof of Service* form.
- Find more information about preparing for the hearing at the following web link: selfhelp.courts.ca.gov/tips-your-day-court.

16) Still have questions or need help?

- Contact the Family Law Facilitator or Self-Help Center for information, local rules, and referrals to local legal services providers. Go to <u>selfhelp.courts.ca.gov/court-based-self-help-</u> <u>services</u>.
- Talk to a lawyer if you want legal advice, someone to go to court with you, or other legal help. Find an attorney through your local bar association, the State Bar of California at <u>www.calbar.ca.gov</u>, or the Lawyer Referral Service at 1-866-442-2529.
- For free and low-cost legal help (if you qualify), go to <u>www.lawhelpcalifornia.org</u>.

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NAME:				
FIRM N	AME:			
STREE	T ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	ZIP CODE:	
TELEPI	HONE NO.:	FAX NO.:		
EMAIL	ADDRESS:			
ATTOR	NEY FOR (name):			
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	HEARING DATE:	TIME:	DEPARTMENT OR ROOM:	
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3. [∑ a. b. c. d.		rm FL-155) to support my re er requested. ne support.		<u>)</u>) or, if eligible, a current <i>Financial</i> order:
4. [a. b. c.		er requested.	ense Declaration (form <u>FL-150</u> out I consent to the following o	0) to support my responsive declaration. order:

STATE BAR NUMBER:

PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATTORNEY

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	PETITIONER:	CASE NUMBER:
	RESPONDENT:	
0	THER PARENT/PARTY:	
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:
6.	ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS	
0.	a. I have completed and filed a current <i>Income and Expense Declaration</i> (form FL-150) to support my responsive declaration
		,
	b. I have completed and filed with this form a Supporting Declaration for Attorney's Federation that addresses the factors covered in that form.	ses and Costs Attachment ($10 \text{ m} - 1.50$) of a
	c. Consent to the order requested.	
	d. I do not consent to the order requested but I consent to the follow	wing 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 follow	wing order:
8.	TIME FOR SERVICE / TIME UNTIL HEARING	
0.	a. I consent to the order requested.	
	b. I do not consent to the order requested but I consent to the follo	wing order:

9. X 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.

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)

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PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATTORNEY	STATE BAR NUMBER:	FOR COURT USE ONLY
NAME:		
FIRM NAME:		
STREET ADDRESS:		
	STATE: ZIP CODE:	
TELEPHONE NO.: E-MAIL ADDRESS:	FAX NO.:	
ATTORNEY FOR (name):		
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUN		
STREET ADDRESS: 341 The City Drive South	IT OF ORANGE	
MAILING ADDRESS: same as above		
CITY AND ZIP CODE: Orange, CA 92868		
BRANCH NAME: Lamoreaux Justice Center		
PETITIONER:		
RESPONDENT:		
OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:		
		CASE NUMBER:
INCOME AND EXF	PENSE DECLARATION	CASE NUMBER.
1. Employment (Give information on you	ur current job or, if you're unemployed, you	ır most recent job.)
Attach copies a. Employer:		
of your pay b. Employer's address:		
stubs for last c. Employer's phone nu	mber:	
two months d. Occupation:		
(black out e. Date job started:		
Social f. If unemployed, date j		
Security g. I work about numbers).	hours per week.	the construction of the co
	gross (before taxes) per mon	
(If you have more than one job, attach jobs. Write "Question 1—Other Jobs" a		ist the same information as above for your other
2. Age and education		
a. My age is <i>(specify):</i>		
b. I have completed high school or the	ne equivalent: Yes No	If no, highest grade completed <i>(specify):</i>
c. Number of years of college comple		obtained (specify):
d. Number of years of graduate scho		Degree(s) obtained (specify):
e. I have: professional/occu		
vocational training		
	(specify).	
3. Tax information		
a. I last filed taxes for tax year		
	ngle head of household	married, filing separately
married, filing jointly with (sp	ecify name):	
c. I file state tax returns in	California other (specify state):	
d. I claim the following number of exe	emptions (including myself) on my taxes <i>(s</i>	pecify):
4. Other party's income. Lestimate the	gross monthly income (before taxes) of the	e other party in this case at (specify): \$
This estimate is based on <i>(explain):</i>		
	questions on this form, attach an 8 1/2 - Number of pages attached:	-by-11-inch sheet of paper and write the
		formation contained on all pages of this form and
Date:		
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OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:	

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*	2	
	f. Partner support from this domestic partnership from a different domestic partnership \$	<u> </u>	
	g. Pension/retirement fund payments	>	
	h. Social Security retirement (not SSI)	8	
	i. Disability: Social Security (not SSI) State disability (SDI) Private insurance	2	
	j. Unemployment compensation		
	k. Workers' compensation		
	<i>l</i> . Other (military allowances, royalty payments) (<i>specify</i>):	\$	
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6.	Investment income (Attach a schedule showing gross receipts less cash expenses for each piece of property of the state of		
	a. Dividends/interest	\$	
	b. Rental property income	5	
	c. Trust income	5	
	d. Other (specify):	\$	
7	Income from self-employment, after business expenses for all businesses	\$	
1.	I am the owner/sole proprietor business partner other (<i>specify</i>):		
	Number of years in this business (<i>specify</i>):		
	Name of business (specify):		
	Type of business <i>(specify):</i>		
	Attach a profit and loss statement for the last two years or a Schedule C from your last federal tax r		
	Social Security number. If you have more than one business, provide the information above for eac	n of your bu	isinesses.
8.	Additional income. I received one-time money (lottery winnings, inheritance, etc.) in the last 12 mon <i>amount):</i>	ths <i>(specify</i> s	source and
9.	Change in income. My financial situation has changed significantly over the last 12 months because	(snecify):	
0.		(Specify).	
10	Deductions		
10.	a. Required union dues	¢	Last month
	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		
	a. Cash and checking accounts, savings, credit union, money market, and other deposit accounts	¢	Total
	c. All other property, real and personal (estimate fair market value minus the debts y	ou owe) Þ	
* ^	the bay if the ensured support order or judgment was even used by the parties and the sourt before lanuary 1, 2010.		darad abanas

* 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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OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:	

12. The following people live with me:

1	Jame	Age	How the person is related to me (ex: so	<i>n)</i> That person's gross monthly income	Pays some of the household expense	es?
					Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes] No] No] No] No] No
3. A	verage monthly expenses	stimated e	expenses Ac	tual expenses Propos	ed needs	
a. Home: h. Laundry and cleaning \$				\$		
	(1) Rent or mortgag	Je \$	i. Cl	othes	\$	
	If mortgage:		,	lucation	·	
	(a) average principal: \$		k. Er	tertainment, gifts, and vacation.	\$	
 (b) average interest: \$\$ (2) Real property taxes			<i>l</i> . Auto expenses and transportation (insurance, gas, repairs, bus, etc.) \$			
				surance (life, accident, etc.; do r to, home, or health insurance)		
	(if not included above)(4) Maintenance and repair			avings and investments		
h				naritable contributions		
b		Child care				
C	-					
d	Groceries and household supplies		g. Other (specify):		\$	
е	Eating out	\$	-	DTAL EXPENSES (a–q) (do not	add in	
f.	Utilities (gas, electric, water, trash)		the	e amounts in a(1)(a) and (b))	\$	
g	Telephone, cell phone, and e-mail	\$	s. Ar	nount of expenses paid by ot	ners \$	

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)	
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(SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY)

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OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:

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.)*

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	\$	
Major losses not covered by insurance (examples: fire, theft, other insured loss)	\$	
c. (1) Expenses for my minor children who are from other relationships and are living with me	\$	
(2) Names and ages of those children (specify):		

(3) Child support I receive for those children\$	
The expenses listed in a, b, and c create an extreme financial hardship because <i>(exp</i> .	lain):

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

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ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITH	DUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address):	FOR COURT USE ONLY
TELEPHONE NO.:	FAX NO. (Optional):	
E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional): ATTORNEY FOR (Name):		
	OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE	
	341 THE CITY DRIVE SOUTH	
MAILING ADDRESS:		
	ORANGE, CA 92868	
BRANCH NAME:	LAMOREAUX JUSTICE CENTER	
PETITIONER/PLA	INTIFF:	CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT/DEFE	NDANT:	
		(If applicable, provide):
OTHER PARENT/F	PARTY:	HEARING DATE:
	PROOF OF SERVICE BY MAIL	HEARING TIME:
	FROOF OF SERVICE DI MAIL	DEPT.:

NOTICE: To serve temporary restraining orders you must use personal service (see form FL-330).

- 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):
 - by enclosing them in an envelope AND
 - 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.
- 4. The envelope was addressed and mailed as follows:
 - a. Name of person served:
 - b. Address:
 - c. Date mailed:
 - d. Place of mailing (city and state):
- 5. I served a request to modify a child custody, visitation, or child support judgment or permanent order which included an address verification declaration. (Declaration Regarding Address Verification—Postjudgment Request to Modify a Child Custody, Visitation, or Child Support Order (form FL-334) may be used for this purpose.)
- 6. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date:

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF PERSON COMPLETING THIS FORM)

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