OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR REVIEW AND MODIFICATION OF CHILD SUPPORT

AM-3

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Use this packet only if the following statements are true:

You are not initiating a new motion. If you want to file a new motion or request of your own, you must complete the appropriate motion packet.

You have been served a motion for review and modification of child support not any other type of motion.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING FORMS

Carefully read all instructions before starting to fill out any of the forms.

Use black or blue ink only. Neatly print or type the information requested.

Do not use correction fluid/tape on the forms.

This packet contains the following forms:

- 1. Opposition to Motion for Review and Modification of Child Support
- 2. General Financial Disclosure
- 3. Proof of Service

This packet contains the following additional information at the end:

- 1. Nevada Statutes regarding child support
- 2. Child support calculation worksheets

The penalty for willfully making a false statement under penalty of perjury is a minimum of 1 year, and a maximum of 4 years in prison, in addition to a fine of not more than \$5,000.00. N.R.S. §199.145.

INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 1

Complete the Opposition to Motion for Review and Modification of Child Support as Shown:



INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 2

Complete the General Financial Disclosure as Shown:

1)	Print your name, address, telephone number, and email address.	MISC Name: Address: Phone: Email: Attorney for Nevada State Bar No
2)	Print the names of the	Second Judicial District Court
	parties, the Case No.	Washoe County, Nevada
	and Department No.	Case No
	just as they appear on (Plaintiff / Petitioner, vs. Dept.
	all other documents in	Defendant / Respondent.
	this case.	GENERAL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FORM
		A. Personal Information:
3)	Complete pages 1-7, following the instructions on each page.	 What is your full name? (first, middle, last) How old are you? What is your date of birth? What is your highest level of education? B. Employment Information: Are you currently employed/ self-employed? (☑ check one)
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		C. Prior Employment: If you are unemployed or have been working at your current job for less than 2 years, complete the following information.
		Prior Employer: Date of Hire: Date of Termination: Reason for Leaving:
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INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 3

Electronically Filing the Documents

You will need to upload the original documents to eFlex. EFlex is available online at <u>https://wceflex.washoecourts.com/</u>, in the Law Library and Resource Center.

Sign into your eFlex account using the username and password you created and electronically file the:

- Opposition to Motion and any exhibits; and
- General Financial Disclosure.

Make sure to keep the original documents you file for your personal records. Filestamped copies of your documents are available through your eFlex account.

Scanners are available at the Law Library and Resource Center.

There may be a filing fee charged when documents are filed. Fee information is available at the Resource Center and online at: <u>www.washoecourts.com</u>.

FILING FEE WAIVERS

If you cannot afford the filing fee, you may apply to have your filing fee waived. To apply, you must fill out and file the application found in the **Application for Waiver of Fees and Costs packet**, which may be obtained at the following locations:

- Resource Center, 1 South Sierra Street, Reno, NV, Third Floor
- Law Library, 75 Court Street, Reno, NV, First Floor
- Online at: <u>www.washoecourts.com</u> (select the "Forms and Packets" tab on the right hand side of the home screen)

Once a document has been electronically filed, a Notice of Electronic Filing will be automatically generated and sent to any electronic filers in the case. All electronic filers have agreed to accept the notice as valid and effective service. This replaces the need for paper service.

If the other party has not yet signed up for electronic filing, or you do not know whether the other party is an electronic filer, please contact the Resource Center. Additional steps are required to complete service if the other party is not an electronic filer.

The Notice of Electronic Filing does not replace the Proof of Service (*see* INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 3).

INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 4

Complete the Proof of Service as Shown:

This form must be completed by the person who serves the documents.



INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 5

Filing the Proof of Service

After service is completed, you must file the proof of service with the court. See INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 4. There will not be a filing fee for the proof of service.

Without proof of service on the other party, the court cannot consider your answer.

INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 6

Wait for the Other Party to Respond

The other party has seven (7) days to respond, starting the day after being served. If you served the other party by mail, the other party has ten (10) days to respond.

Your documents are not filed until any filing fees are paid.

If the other party does not reply within that time period, and you want the Court to consider the Motion, you may file a **Request for Submission**.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

Once the motion and oppositions have been submitted to the court for a decision, the court may do a number of things, such as: 1) file an order based upon the documents you have submitted, 2) require you to file additional documents, or 3) file an order requiring you to set a hearing.

If you receive an order and do not know what to do next, contact a private attorney or seek help from the Resource Center. The Resource Center **cannot give legal advice** but can give information regarding court procedures.

Do not ignore a court order.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

NRS 125B.145 Review and modification of order for support: Request for review; jurisdiction; notification of right to request review states in part;

1. An order for the support of child must, upon the filing of a request for review by:

(a) ...

(b) A parent or legal guardian of the child,

be reviewed by the court at least every 3 years pursuant to this section to determine whether the order should be modified or adjusted. Each review conducted pursuant to this section must be in response to a separate request.

- 2. If the court:
 - (a) ...

(b) Has jurisdiction to modify the order and, taking into account the best interests of the child, determines that modification or adjustment of the order is appropriate, the court shall enter an order modifying or adjusting the previous order for support in accordance with the guidelines established by the Administrator of the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services of the Department of Health and Human Services pursuant to section 8 of this act.

3. The court shall ensure that:

(a) Each person who is subject to an order for the support of a child is notified, not less than once every 3 years, that the person may request a review of the order pursuant to this section; or

(b) An order for the support of a child includes notification that each person who is subject to the order may request a review of the order pursuant to this section.

- 4. An order for the support of a child may be reviewed at any time on the basis of changed circumstances. For the purposes of this subsection, a change of 20 percent or more in gross monthly income of a person who is subject to an order for the support of a child shall be deemed to constitute changed circumstances requiring a review for modification of the order for the support of a child.
- 5. As used in this section:
 - (a) "Gross monthly income" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 125.150.

(b) "Order for the support of a child" means such an order that was issued or is being enforced by a court of this State.

(Added to NRS by 1989,859; A 1991, 1337; 1993, 2626; 1997,489§173; 2003,96; 2017,371§3)

Legal Assistance Information

The information in this packet is provided as a courtesy only. This packet is not a substitute for the advice of an attorney. Counsel is always recommended for legal matters.

If you do not have an attorney, you are encouraged to seek the advice of a licensed attorney or contact the Resource Center or the Law Library. **The Resource Center and the Law Library staff cannot give legal advice** but can give information regarding court procedures.

You may wish to speak with a lawyer at no cost through the Law Library's Lawyer in the Library program. The Lawyer in the Library program is held via Zoom; you must register ahead of time to participate. No walk-ins accepted as space is limited.

LAWYER IN THE LIBRARY

Sign up on our website: <u>https://www.washoecourts.com/LawLibrary/LawyerInLibrary</u> For questions, contact the Law Library at 775-328-3250

To seek assistance from other free or reduced-cost legal resources in the area, please contact:

NEVADA LEGAL SERVICES

449 S. Virginia St. Reno, NV 89501 775-284-3491 – leave a message, if necessary https://nevadalegalservices.org

NORTHERN NEVADA LEGAL AID

1 S. Sierra St., 1st Floor Reno, NV 89501 775-321-2062 – leave a message, if necessary <u>https://nnlegalaid.org</u>

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