## S-5 STIPULATION TO DISMISS CASE

Note: Both parties must sign, otherwise the stipulation will not be granted.

### Use this packet if all the following statements are true:

- You have an existing case in the Family Division of the Second Judicial District Court.
- You <u>and</u> the other party both agree to dismiss the case.
- No final decree or final order has been issued in the case.
- An attorney is not representing either of you in this case.

### This packet contains the following:

- 1. Instructions
- 2. Legal Assistance Information
- 3. Stipulation to Dismiss Case
- 4. Request for Submission
- 5. Index of Exhibits and the Exhibit Cover Page
- 6. Order Dismissing Case

Note: 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: The Second Judicial District Court requires all documents to be electronically filed using the eFlex system. To file electronically, you must have an eFlex account which you can sign up for in person at the Resource Center, or online at: <u>https://www.washoecourts.com/EFiling/SignUp</u>.

Both parties need an eFlex account.

□ <u>Step 2:</u> Fill out and sign the **Stipulation to Dismiss Case** and the **Request for Submission**.

□ <u>Step 3:</u> Fill out the **Order Dismissing Case**. On the **Order Dismissing Case**, complete the entire form, except for the two lines that the judge will date and sign.

You may either electronically file the documents yourself or bring your completed documents to the Resource Center to get help filing them. If you take them to the Resource Center to file, skip to Step 5 once they have been filed.

# □ <u>Step 4</u>: Electronically file the **Stipulation to Dismiss Case**, the **Request for Submission**, and the **Order Dismissing Case**.

- Log into your eFlex account: <u>https://wceflex.washoecourts.com/</u>.
- Click "Existing Cases."
- Locate the case you are filing into, click on the blue "eFile" link.
- To file each document, select the applicable Document Type, and click "Choose File." Locate your document file on your computer, click "Add."
- Follow the prompts to upload the documents below.

Note: The Document Category field can be left blank.

- Stipulation to Dismiss Case (Document Type: "Stip & Ord Dismiss W/O Prej")
- **Request for Submission** and **Exhibit Index** as a 2-page PDF (Document Type: "Request for Submission")
- Exhibit Cover Page and Order Dismissing Case as a 2-page PDF attached to the Request for Submission
   (Document Type: "\*\*Continuation")

- The Order Dismissing Case gets attached to the Request for Submission by selecting the Document Type: "\*\*Continuation."
- Upon attaching the Order Dismissing Case, you will be prompted to select which document you are attaching it to; confirm that "Request for Submission" is selected and click "Next."

A helpful video can be found here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6JRMlXxa8Pg

- When the documents have been uploaded, review them by clicking on the hyperlinked file name in the "View Document" column.
- When you have confirmed everything is correct, click "Next."
- When you are ready to submit your document to the court, click "Submit the Filing."

□ <u>Step 4:</u> Wait. Once all the documents are filed, the judge will have approximately 60 days to review your documents and issue an order.

# For procedural questions, or help with electronically filing your documents, visit or contact:

Resource Center 1 South Sierra St., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Reno, NV 89501 775-325-6731 Law Library 75 Court St., Room 101 Reno, NV 89501 775-328-3250

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

Rev. 12.05.2023 SB

LEGAL ASSISTANCE INFO – Page 1