OBJECTION TO MASTER'S RECOMMENDATION

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* These forms cannot be used for appeals to the Nevada Supreme Court.

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Use this packet only if the following statements are true:

If you received the written finding of fact and recommendation by electronic service or personal service, it has not been more than 14 days. Or if you received the documents by mail, it has not been more than 17 days.

-OR-

If this is a juvenile case and you received the written finding of fact and recommendation by electronic service or personal service, it has not been more than 7 days. Or if you received the documents by mail, it has not been more than 10 days.

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 the information requested. Do not use correction fluid/tape on the forms.

This packet contains the following forms:

- 1. Objection to Master's Recommendation
- 2. Request for Submission
- 3. Proof of Service x 2

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 Page One of the Objection to Master's Recommendation:



INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 2

Complete the Request for Submission as Shown:



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.

If you have not done so, you will need to sign up for an eFlex account and turn in the EFile User Agreement, to the Second Judicial District Court or email to <u>eflexsupport@washoecourts.us</u>.

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

- Objection to Master's Recommendation; and
- Request for Submission

Scanners are available at the Law Library and Resource Center.

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 5)

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

There is no filing fee for filing this document.

INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 4

Serving the Documents

If this case involves a child support matter with the District Attorney's Office, a copy must be served upon the District Attorney's Office **and** the other party.

If the other party has not yet signed up for electronic filing, please contact the Resource Center. If the other party is an electronic filer, they will be automatically served a file-stamped copy of all the forms filed through eFlex. Once a document has been filed, a Notice of Electronic Filing will be automatically generated and available to be viewed on your eFlex account. The Notice of Electronic Filing will tell you whether or not the other party is an electronic filer.

INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 5

Complete the Proof of Service as Shown:

If this case involves a child support matter with the District Attorney's Office, and the other party was represented by the District Attorney's Office, a copy must be served upon the District Attorney's Office **and** the other party. You will need to fill out a Proof of Service for each party served.



INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 6

Filing the Proof of Service

After service is completed, you must file the Proof of Service with the Court (*See INSTRUCTIONS: STEP 3*). 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 request.

WHAT HAPPENS NOW?

After you have completed all the forms and submitted them to the Court, you must wait for the Judge to make a decision. This could take up to 60 days.

If the Judge sets a hearing on the Objection to Master's recommendation, you <u>must</u> attend the hearing.

You will be notified through eFlex as soon as the Judge makes a decision. You can view and print copies of the Judge's orders through your eFlex account. Certified copies are available at the Resource Center.

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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