



Cover Sheet:	Request to Enter Default (Parentage)
Effective Date:	October 4, 2021
Last Revision Date:	August 23, 2024
Purpose:	The Request to Enter Default is used to complete a case where the Respondent has not filed a Response and more than thirty days have passed since personal service of the Summons and Petition.
Assistance:	Parties who are acting as their own attorneys may receive help from the Self Help Center to complete these forms. You may contact the Self Help Center through the Court's website, by creating an e-Correspondence account, or visit the Self Help Center in person, Monday through Thursday, and Friday morning.
Required Forms:	All forms are Judicial Council forms, unless otherwise indicated: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Request to Enter Default, FL-165• Income and Expense Declaration, FL-150
Optional Forms:	This form is needed only if not already on file or there have been changes since the previous filing: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Family Law Case Participant Enrollment Form (Party), local form FL/E-LP-665
Filing Fee:	None
Copies:	Make 3 copies of the completed forms if you are requesting a hearing and 2 copies if you are not requesting a hearing. The Court will file and keep the original and will endorse and mail one copy to the Respondent and will return the other copies to you.
Before You File:	Address a stamped envelope to the Respondent and submit it with your forms for filing.
Filing:	All forms must be typewritten or printed in blue or black ink. (See California Rules of Court, Rules 2.100-2.119) Mail or place completed forms in the court drop-box located at the Family Court at 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826. Drop box hours are 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday through Friday, excluding Court holidays. Include a cover letter if you are requesting a hearing. Forms may also be filed in person between the hours of 8:30 am and 4:00 pm. You must make an appointment online or obtain a ticket from Reception to file in person.
Next Steps:	Attend the hearing if one is scheduled. Otherwise, seek legal assistance to determine the next steps to complete your case.

PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATTORNEY NAME: FIRM NAME: STREET ADDRESS: CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE: TELEPHONE NO.: FAX NO.: EMAIL ADDRESS: ATTORNEY FOR (<i>name</i>):	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	
PETITIONER: RESPONDENT:	
REQUEST TO ENTER DEFAULT	
CASE NUMBER:	

1. **To the clerk:** Please enter the default of the respondent who has failed to respond to the petition.
2. A completed *Income and Expense Declaration* (form FL-150) or *Financial Statement (Simplified)* (form FL-155) is attached is not attached.
 A completed *Property Declaration* (form FL-160) is attached is not attached
 because (*check at least one of the following*):
 - (a) there have been no changes since the previous filing.
 - (b) the issues subject to disposition by the court in this proceeding are the subject of a written agreement.
 - (c) there are no issues of child, spousal, or partner support or attorney fees and costs subject to determination by the court.
 - (d) the petition does not request money, property, costs, or attorney fees. (Family Code section 2330.5.)
 - (e) there are no issues of division of community property.
 - (f) this is an action to establish parental relationship.

Date: _____

 (TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

 (SIGNATURE OF [ATTORNEY FOR] PETITIONER)

3. **Declaration**
 - (a) No mailing is required because service was by publication or posting and the address of the respondent remains unknown.
 - (b) A copy of this *Request to Enter Default*, including any attachments and an envelope with sufficient postage, was provided to the court clerk, with the envelope addressed as follows (*address of the respondent's attorney or, if none, the respondent's last known address*):

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 DECLARANT)

FOR COURT USE ONLY
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Request to Enter Default</i> mailed to the respondent or the respondent's attorney on (<i>date</i>): _____ .
<input type="checkbox"/> Default entered as requested on (<i>date</i>): _____ .
<input type="checkbox"/> Default not entered. Reason: _____ .
Clerk, by _____, Deputy

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4. Memorandum of costs

- a. Costs and disbursements are waived.
- b. Costs and disbursements are listed as follows:
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|--|-----------------|
| (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Clerk's fees | \$ |
| (2) <input type="checkbox"/> Process server's fees | \$ |
| (3) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>specify</i>): | \$ |
| | \$ |
| | \$ |
| | \$ |
| TOTAL | \$ |
- c. I am the attorney, agent, or party who claims these costs. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing items of cost are correct and have been necessarily incurred in this cause or proceeding.

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

Date: _____

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5. Declaration of nonmilitary status (*required for a judgment*).
 The respondent is not in the military service of the United States as defined by either the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (see 50 U.S.C. § 3911(2)) or California Military and Veterans Code sections 400 and 402(f).

- I know that the respondent is not in the U.S. military service because (*check all that apply*):
- (a) the search results that I received from _____ say the respondent is not in the U.S. military service.
 - (b) I am in regular communication with the respondent and know that they are not in the U.S. military service.
 - (c) I recently contacted the respondent, and they told me that they are not in the U.S. military service.
 - (d) I know that the respondent was discharged from U.S. military service on or about (*date*): _____
 - (e) the respondent is not eligible to serve in the U.S. military because they are incarcerated (in jail or prison).
 - (f) other (*specify*): _____

Note

- U.S. military status can be checked online at*
- If the respondent is in the military service, or their military status is unknown, the respondent is entitled to certain rights and protections under federal and state law before a default judgment can be entered.
- For more information, see _____

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

Date: _____

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 (SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT)



PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY OR ATTORNEY STATE BAR NUMBER: NAME: FIRM NAME: STREET ADDRESS: CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE: TELEPHONE NO.: FAX NO.: E-MAIL ADDRESS: ATTORNEY FOR (name):	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	
PETITIONER: RESPONDENT: OTHER PARTY/PARENT/CLAIMANT:	
INCOME AND EXPENSE DECLARATION	CASE NUMBER:

1. **Employment** (Give information on your current job or, if you're unemployed, your most recent job.)

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

- a. Employer:
- b. Employer's address:
- c. Employer's phone number:
- d. Occupation:
- e. Date job started:
- f. If unemployed, date job ended:
- g. I work about _____ hours per week.
- h. I get paid \$ _____ gross (before taxes) per month per week per hour.

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

2. **Age and education**

- a. My age is (specify): _____
- b. I have completed high school or the equivalent: Yes No If no, highest grade completed (specify): _____
- c. Number of years of college completed (specify): _____ Degree(s) obtained (specify): _____
- d. Number of years of graduate school completed (specify): _____ Degree(s) obtained (specify): _____
- e. I have: professional/occupational license(s) (specify): _____
 vocational training (specify): _____

3. **Tax information**

- a. I last filed taxes for tax year (specify year): _____
- b. My tax filing status is single head of household married, filing separately
 married, filing jointly with (specify name): _____
- c. I file state tax returns in California other (specify state): _____
- d. I claim the following number of exemptions (including myself) on my taxes (specify): _____

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

(If you need more space to answer any questions on this form, attach an 8 1/2-by-11-inch sheet of paper and write the question number before your answer.) Number of pages attached: _____

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

Date: _____

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(SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Number of years in this business (specify): _____

Name of business (specify): _____

Type of business (specify): _____

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

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

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

10. Deductions

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

11. Assets

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

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

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12. The following people live with me:

Name	Age	How the person is related to me (ex: son)	That person's gross monthly income	Pays some of the household expenses?
a.				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
b.				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
c.				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
d.				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
e.				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

13. Average monthly expenses Estimated expenses Actual expenses Proposed needs

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|---|---|
| a. Home: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Rent or <input type="checkbox"/> mortgage..... \$ _____ <li style="padding-left: 40px;">If mortgage: <li style="padding-left: 40px;">(a) average principal: \$ _____ <li style="padding-left: 40px;">(b) average interest: \$ _____ (2) Real property taxes..... \$ _____ (3) Homeowner's or renter's insurance (if not included above)..... \$ _____ (4) Maintenance and repair..... \$ _____ b. Health-care costs not paid by insurance..... \$ _____ | h. Laundry and cleaning..... \$ _____ |
| c. Child care..... \$ _____ | i. Clothes..... \$ _____ |
| d. Groceries and household supplies..... \$ _____ | j. Education..... \$ _____ |
| e. Eating out..... \$ _____ | k. Entertainment, gifts, and vacation..... \$ _____ |
| f. Utilities (gas, electric, water, trash)..... \$ _____ | l. Auto expenses and transportation (insurance, gas, repairs, bus, etc.)..... \$ _____ |
| g. Telephone, cell phone, and e-mail..... \$ _____ | m. Insurance (life, accident, etc.; do not include auto, home, or health insurance)..... \$ _____ |
| | n. Savings and investments..... \$ _____ |
| | o. Charitable contributions..... \$ _____ |
| | p. Monthly payments listed in item 14 (itemize below in 14 and insert total here)... \$ _____ |
| | q. Other (specify): \$ _____ |
| | r. TOTAL EXPENSES (a-q) (do not add in the amounts in a(1)(a) and (b)) \$ _____ |
| | s. Amount of expenses paid by others \$ _____ |

14. Installment payments and debts not listed above

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

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

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

I confirm this fee arrangement.

Date: _____

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF ATTORNEY)



(SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY)

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

16. Number of children

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

17. Children's health-care expenses

- a. I do I do not have health insurance available to me for the children through my job.
- b. Name of insurance company: _____
- c. Address of insurance company: _____

- d. The monthly cost for the **children's** health insurance is or would be *(specify)*: \$ _____
(Do not include the amount your employer pays.)

18. Additional expense for the children in this case

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

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

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

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

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



Important Notice about Access to Your Case

Court orders, minute orders, and child custody mediation reports are available online using our Public Case Access System. Access to court orders and minute orders provides you with information on what the court ordered in your case. Access to child custody mediation reports is necessary so that you know what child custody, visitation, or other suggestions the mediator recommended to the court.

To get secure access to your case online, you must complete and submit to the court the attached Family Law Case Participant Enrollment Form - Party, along with a copy of your driver's license, to create or update an account on our Public Case Access System. A separate form must be filed for each case or when you change your email address.

Once you complete the form, you may submit it in person at the courthouse at the public service counter or use the Drop Box. You may also submit it by US Mail at 3341 Power Inn Road, Sacramento, CA 95826.

Submitting the form as soon as possible is important because it may take two to five days to be processed from the date of receipt.

Once your access is set up you will receive an email letting you know that you are subscribed to your case. If you do not receive an email notifying you that you are subscribed to your case during the timeframes identified above, please inform the court using our Contact Us page at:

<https://www.saccourt.ca.gov/contact.aspx>

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CASE PARTICIPANT NAME: _____ STATE BAR NO: _____ FIRM NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: <i>(must be legible)</i> _____ TELEPHONE NO.: _____ ATTORNEY FOR <i>(Name)</i> : _____ FAX NO. <i>(Optional)</i> : _____	FOR COURT USE ONLY
NAME OF COURT: Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento STREET ADDRESS: 3341 Power Inn Road MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: Sacramento, CA 95826 BRANCH NAME: William R. Ridgeway Family Relations Courthouse	
PETITIONER/PLAINTIFF: _____ RESPONDENT/DEFENDANT: _____ CLAIMANT: _____	
FAMILY LAW CASE PARTICIPANT ENROLLMENT FORM (PARTY)	CASE NUMBER: _____

You may access orders for law and motion hearings, and mediation reports prepared by Family Court Services using the court's online Public Case Access System. Free access is available for 72 hours from the time the order is issued or the report is prepared, or from the time the court creates your case subscription. After 72 hours, you may pay for copies.

INSTRUCTIONS

To setup your account you must:

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- A separate form must be filed for each of your Family Law cases.
- Once the court has created your subscription to your case, you will receive a confirming email. You must follow the instructions in that email to complete the process.
- Once your subscription is completed, you will receive an email notification each time an order or report is added to your case.

I, _____, request that the court create an account and/or subscription to my Family Law case.

I declare that my private email address is *(must be legible)*:

(Please use Ø for zero, 1 for one and clearly differentiate i, L, S, 5, 3 and 8's).

I understand if I change my email address I must file a new enrollment form with the court.

I acknowledge that confidential mediation reports contain private information that is not part of the public court file. I understand that without a court order, I must not disclose any contents of the Report to anyone (including any minor children) other than the parties to my case (Petitioner/Respondent/Claimant), their attorneys and court professionals. I acknowledge that the court may impose a penalty for any unauthorized disclosure of any content of the Family Court Services report.

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 DECLARANT)