

Motion and Order for Continuance

Forms and Instructions

Instructions

The attached forms are to be used by a Petitioner in a Dissolution, or other family law case who wants to ask for more time when a case is in jeopardy of being dismissed by the court because the Petitioner has been unable to serve the Respondent, pay the fees, or complete the appropriate action in the time required by trial court rule. Do not use this packet if a response has been filed and/or the case is set for trial.

➤ General Instructions

- ✓ Use black ink and print or type when you fill out your forms.
- ✓ Always file the original forms with the clerk. Be sure and make yourself an extra copy of any document before you file it with the clerk.
- ✓ Case heading. On each document, fill out the case caption exactly as it appears in the original case filing, including the case number.
- ✓ Address information. On the document you are asked for your address and telephone number. You must give a contact address and telephone, which may be your own. However, if you do not wish the other side to know your address, you may give the address of some person who can be relied upon to get mail and messages to you promptly.
- ✓ Representing yourself. We strongly recommend that you seek legal advice and representation to protect yourself.

➤ Completing the forms

- ✓ Fill out the Motion completely. Fill out the case caption of the Order, the Judge will complete the rest. Make a copy of the documents for your record. File the documents with the Circuit Court.

➤ Completion

- ✓ If the Judge grants your motion, you will need to complete the appropriate action within the time granted by the Judge in the order.

Certificate of Mailing

I certify that on *(date)*: _____ I placed a true and complete copy of this *Motion*
in the United States mail to the Respondent at *(address)*:

Date

Signature

Print Name

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Marriage of:)

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Case No. _____

ORDER OF CONTINUANCE

It is hereby ordered that Petitioner's request is:

Granted. This case is continued an additional _____ days from the date of this order

It is further ordered: _____

Denied. _____

DATED this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Circuit Court Judge

Certificate of Readiness for Judicial Signature. This proposed order is ready for judicial signature under UTCR 5.100 because this order is submitted ex parte as allowed by statute or rule.

Submitted by:

Petitioner Signature

Print Name

Address or Contact Address

City, State, Zip

Telephone or Contact Telephone