

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY <i>(Name, state bar number, and address):</i>     TELEPHONE NO. <i>(Optional):</i> _____ FAX NO. <i>(Optional):</i> _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS <i>(Optional):</i> _____ ATTORNEY FOR <i>(Name):</i> _____	<b>FOR COURT USE ONLY</b>
<b>SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF</b> STREET ADDRESS: MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: BRANCH NAME:	
PETITIONER:  RESPONDENT:	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PETITION TO ESTABLISH PARENTAL RELATIONSHIP</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Child Support</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Child Custody</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Visitation</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other (specify):</b>	CASE NUMBER:

1. Petitioner is
  - a.  the mother.
  - b.  the father.
  - c.  the child or the child's personal representative *(specify court and date of appointment):*
  - d.  other *(specify):*
  
2. The children are
 

a. <u>Child's name</u>	<u>Date of birth</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>
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 b.  a child who is not yet born.
  
3. The court has jurisdiction over the respondent because the respondent
  - a.  resides in this state.
  - b.  had sexual intercourse in this state, which resulted in conception of the children listed in item 2.
  - c.  other *(specify):*
  
4. The action is brought in this county because *(you must check one or more to file in this county):*
  - a.  the child resides or is found in the county.
  - b.  a parent is deceased and proceedings for administration of the estate have been or could be started in this county.
  
5. Petitioner claims *(check all that apply):*
  - a.  respondent is the child's mother.
  - b.  respondent is the child's father.
  - c.  parentage has been established by Voluntary Declaration of Paternity *(attach copy)*.
  - d.  respondent who is child's parent has failed to support the child.
  - e.  *(name):* \_\_\_\_\_ has furnished or is furnishing the following reasonable expenses of pregnancy and birth for which the respondent as parent of the child is obligated:  

<u>Amount</u>	<u>Payable to</u>	<u>For (specify):</u>
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  - f.  public assistance is being provided to the child.
  - g.  other *(specify):*
  
6. A completed *Declaration Under Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act (UCCJEA)* (form FL-105) is attached.

PETITIONER:	CASE NUMBER:
RESPONDENT:	

Petitioner requests the court to make the determinations indicated below.

**7. PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP**

- a.  Respondent    b.  Petitioner  
 c.  Other (*specify*):

is the parent of the children listed in item 2.

**8. CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION**

	Petitioner	Respondent	Joint	Other
a. Legal custody of children to	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Physical custody of children to	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

c. Visitation of children:

- (1)  None  
 (2)  Reasonable visitation.  
 (3)  Petitioner     Respondent    should have the right to visit the children as follows:

(4)  Visitation with the following restrictions (*specify*):

d. Facts in support of the requested custody and visitation orders are (*specify*):

- Contained in the attached declaration.  
 e.  I request mediation to work out a parenting plan.

**9. REASONABLE EXPENSES OF PREGNANCY AND BIRTH:**

Reasonable expenses of pregnancy and birth be paid by as follows:	Petitioner <input type="checkbox"/>	Respondent <input type="checkbox"/>	Joint <input type="checkbox"/>
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**10. FEES AND COSTS OF LITIGATION**

	Petitioner	Respondent	Joint
a. Attorney fees to be paid by	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Expert fees, guardian ad litem fees, and other costs of the action or pretrial proceedings to be paid by	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**11. NAME CHANGE**

Children's names be changed, according to Family Code section 7638, as follows (*specify*):

**12. CHILD SUPPORT**

The court may make orders for support of the children and issue an earnings assignment without further notice to either party.

13. I have read the restraining order on the back of the *Summons* (FL-210) and I understand it applies to me when this Petition is filed.

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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 (TYPE OR PRINT NAME) (SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)

A blank *Response to Petition to Establish Parental Relationship* (form FL-220) must be served on the Respondent with this Petition.

**NOTICE: If you have a child from this relationship, the court is required to order child support based upon the income of both parents. Support normally continues until the child is 18. You should supply the court with information about your finances. Otherwise, the child support order will be based upon information supplied by the other parent. Any party required to pay child support must pay interest on overdue amounts at the "legal" rate, which is currently 10 percent.**