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Enter the name of the county in which you are filing this case.	STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT, _____ COUNTY
Enter your name (you are the petitioner).	IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF
Enter your address.	Petitioner
On the far right, check divorce or legal separation.	Name (First, Middle and Last) _____
	Address _____
	Address _____
	City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Enter the respondent's name (the other party is the respondent).	and
Enter the respondent's address.	Respondent
Note: Leave case number blank; the clerk will add this.	Name (First, Middle and Last) _____
	Address _____
	Address _____
	City _____ State _____ Zip _____

**Petition
Without Minor Children**
 Divorce - 40101
 Legal Separation - 40201
 Case No. _____

Check if interpreter is required and indicate party and language.

One or both parties require the services of an interpreter. Which party? _____
 Which language? _____ Complete and file the Interpreter Request ([GF-149](#)) form.

I am the Petitioner in this action.

Enter your date of birth [month, day, year].
For 2, 3, 4, and 5, check yes or no. Military personnel: Please see Basic Guide to Divorce/Legal Separation.
For 5, check yes or no.
Enter the respondent's date of birth [month, day, year].
For 2, 3, 4, and 5, check yes or no.

- A. I am providing the following information about myself:**
- Date of birth _____.
 - Immediately before filing this Petition, I will have lived in this county for 30 days or more.
 Yes **No**
 - Immediately before filing this Petition, I will have lived in the state of Wisconsin for 6 months or more.
 Yes **No**
 - I am currently on active duty as a member of the Armed Forces of the United States of America or its allies.
 Yes **No**
 - I am currently pregnant.
 Yes **No**
- B. I am providing the following information about the respondent:**
- Date of birth _____.
 - Immediately before filing this Petition, the respondent will have lived in this county for 30 days or more.
 Yes **No**

Military personnel:

Please see Basic Guide to Divorce/Legal Separation.

- 3. Immediately before filing this Petition, the respondent will have lived in the state of Wisconsin for 6 months or more.
 Yes No
- 4. The respondent is currently on active duty as a member of the Armed Forces of the United States of America or its allies.
 Yes No
- 5. The respondent is currently pregnant.
 Yes No

Enter the date [month, day, year], city, and state in which you were married.

Check a or b. If b, explain why you are filing for legal separation and not a divorce.

Check a or b. If b, enter the county and state in which it was filed, the case number assigned to it, and check yes or no to indicate if the case has been dismissed.

Check yes or no. If no, respond to 5a-5d with information about your most recent previous marriage.

Check yes or no. If no, respond to 6a-6d with information about the respondent's most recent previous marriage, if known.

If the respondent's had an additional previous marriage, respond to 6e-6h.

C. I am providing the following marriage information:

- 1. The respondent and I were married on [Date] _____.
- 2. We were married in [City] _____ [State] _____.
- 3. I am filing for
 a. **Divorce:** This marriage is irretrievably broken.
 b. **Legal Separation:** This marriage is broken and the reason I am requesting a legal separation and not a divorce is _____

4. Previous Actions

This is the first time that either party or I have filed for divorce or legal separation from each other in Wisconsin or in any other state:

- a. **Yes**
- b. **No:** County _____
State _____
Case No. _____
Has this case been dismissed? Yes No

- 5. This is my first marriage. Yes No
 - a. I was previously married to _____.
 - b. The marriage was terminated by divorce. death.
 - c. Date of the divorce or death _____.
 - d. The divorce was granted in:
Name of court _____
City _____ State _____
 - e. I was also previously married to _____.
 - f. The marriage was terminated by divorce. death.
 - g. Date of the divorce or death _____.
 - h. The divorce was granted in:
Name of court _____
City _____ State _____

If you had more than 2 previous marriages, repeat 5e-5h on an additional sheet.

- 6. This is the respondent's first marriage. Yes No
 - a. The respondent was previously married to _____.
 - b. The marriage was terminated by divorce. death.
 - c. Date of the divorce or death _____.
 - d. The divorce was granted in:
Name of court _____
City _____ State _____
 - e. The respondent was also previously married to _____.
 - f. The marriage was terminated by divorce. death.
 - g. Date of the divorce or death _____.
 - h. The divorce was granted in:
Name of court _____
City _____ State _____

If the respondent had more than 2 previous marriages, repeat 6e-6h on an additional sheet.

D. I am providing the following information regarding children:

Check a or b. If b, write the names and dates of birth of all **adult** children born to a party or adopted by you and the respondent during the marriage.

- a. No children were born to or adopted together by either party before or during our marriage.
 b. All children, who are currently age 18 or older, born to a party, or adopted together by me and the other party during the marriage include:

Name of Child	Date of Birth

Check yes or no. If yes, attach a copy of the written agreement to this petition.

- The respondent and I have made written agreements or received orders from the court about some or all of the matters in this action such as maintenance (spousal support) or property division.
 a. **Yes, and I have attached a copy of the written agreement to this petition.**
 b. **No**

I ASK THAT THE COURT:

If you are requesting maintenance (spousal support) at this time, check yes. If not, check no.

- Grant a judgment as requested.
- Enter an order granting maintenance. **Yes** **No**
- Enter other orders as it deems just and equitable.

ACTS PROHIBITED BY STATUTE

Neither party to this divorce or legal separation action can participate in any of the following activities while this action is pending:

- Harassing, intimidating, physically abusing or imposing any restraint on the personal liberty of the other party or a minor child of either of the parties.
- Encumbering, concealing, damaging, destroying, transferring, or in any other way disposing of property owned by either or both of the parties, without the consent of the other party or an order of the court, except in the usual course of business, in order to secure necessities or in order to pay reasonable costs and expenses of the action, including attorney fees.

A VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE PROHIBITIONS MAY RESULT IN PUNISHMENT FOR CONTEMPT, WHICH MAY INCLUDE MONETARY PENALTIES, IMPRISONMENT, AND OTHER SANCTIONS AS PROVIDED FOR IN §785.04, WIS. STATS.

These PROHIBITIONS apply until the action is dismissed, a final judgment in the action is entered, or the court orders otherwise.

Sign and print your name. Enter the date on which you signed your name.

Note: This document does not need to be notarized.

Signature
 Name Printed or Typed
 Address
 Email Address Telephone Number
 Date State Bar No. (if any)