

STATE OF VERMONT

SUPERIOR COURT

FAMILY DIVISION

Unit

Case No. _____

Plaintiff	Date Of Birth	Defendant	Date Of Birth
		V.	

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE, ANSWER TO THE COMPLAINT AND COUNTERCLAIM

I intend to represent myself and hereby enter my appearance with the Court. No attorney will represent me in this case unless an attorney or I notify the Court otherwise.

I understand that IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY TO:

1. Notify the Court in writing if I change my address or phone number; AND
2. Send copies of any papers I file with the Court to the other party in this case.

All Court papers may be mailed to me by first class mail at the address listed below.

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Street Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____
Mailing Address (if different from Street Address): _____
City/State/Zip: _____ Email Address: _____
Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

ANSWER TO COMPLAINT FOR DIVORCE, LEGAL SEPARATION, CIVIL UNION DISSOLUTION

I am the Defendant in this case. This is my answer to the facts in the Plaintiff's Complaint: (Please refer to the Plaintiff's Complaint and check whether you agree or disagree with the facts in each paragraph of the Complaint.)

1. Residence
 - a. My Residence: Agree Disagree
 - b. Plaintiff's Residence: Agree Disagree
2. Date and Place of Marriage or Civil Union: Agree Disagree
3. Grounds for Divorce, Legal Separation, Dissolution: Agree Disagree
4. Minor Children of the Parties Agree Disagree
5. Facts Related to UCCJEA Jurisdiction: Agree Disagree
6. Property, Assets and Debts: I have listed all of the property, assets and debts that my spouse and I own either jointly or solely that are known to me, in the Financial Affidavit that I am filing with this Answer. (form 400-00813B)
7. Public Assistance: Agree Disagree Don't know
8. Earlier Actions for Divorce, Legal Separation, Dissolution, or Annulment: Agree Disagree
9. Relief from Abuse or protective order proceedings: Agree Disagree
10. Military Status: Agree Disagree

If you disagree with any of the facts in Plaintiff's Complaint, please write the paragraph number below and state the facts you believe to be true:

COUNTERCLAIM

Based on the facts stated above, I ask that the Family Court grant me: *(check each box that applies)*

- Decree of Divorce
- Decree of Legal Separation
- Decree of Dissolution
- Parental Rights and Responsibilities
 - Legal Parental Rights and Responsibilities:
 - Shared Jointly
 - Given Solely to: Myself Plaintiff
 - Physical Parental Rights and Responsibilities:
 - Shared Jointly
 - Given Solely to: Myself Plaintiff
- Parent Child Contact for Myself Plaintiff
- Child Support, Medical Support and/or Maintenance Supplement.
- Division of Property (divide our marital property, assets and debts).
- Spousal Maintenance (Alimony).
- Court costs.
- Attorney fees.
- Name change: I would like to resume my former name of _____.

Dated

Signature Defendant

Printed Name