Nebraska State Court Form DC 6:15.7 Rev. 06/19	**ANSWER AND COUNTERCLAIM TO COMPLAINT FOR MODIFICATION (Child Support)**	

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF _____ COUNTY, NEBRASKA
Choose the county (county where the original action was filed)

_____,
(name of plaintiff in original action) Plaintiff,
vs.

_____,
(name of defendant in original action) Defendant.

Case No. CI_____
(case number in original action)

ANSWER AND COUNTERCLAIM TO COMPLAINT FOR MODIFICATION (Child Support)

ANSWER

COMES NOW, _____, the ☐ plaintiff
(your full name)

☐ defendant in the above-captioned matter, and for the Answer to the other party's Complaint for Modification, hereby admits, denies, and alleges as follows:

1. Admits Paragraph(s) _____ of
(paragraph number(s) with which you agree)
the Complaint for Modification.

2. Denies Paragraph(s) _____ of
(paragraph number(s) with which you disagree)
the Complaint for Modification.

COUNTERCLAIM

I _____, the ☐ plaintiff ☐ defendant in
(your full name)
the above entitled action, without assistance of an attorney, hereby state and allege as follows:

1. On _____ the court ordered _____
   (date of the most recent order setting child support) (name of payor)
   to pay child support for the below listed child(ren):

   _____, born _____
   (name of child) (child's year of birth)
   _____, born _____
   (name of child) (child's year of birth)
   _____, born _____
   (name of child) (child's year of birth)
   _____, born _____
   (name of child) (child's year of birth)

   ☐ Additional children are listed on a separate page.

   Pursuant to the Nebraska Child Support Guidelines, child support payments were to begin on the 1st day of _____, and continue
   (month and year the most recent order setting child support became effective)
   on the first day of each subsequent month thereafter in the amounts set forth:

   _____ per month for _____ children
   (support amount) (number of children)

   _____ per month for _____ children
   (support amount) (number of children)

   _____ per month for _____ children
   (support amount) (number of children)

   _____ per month for one child
   (support amount)

2. There has been a material change in circumstances since the date the Order was entered.

3. _____ is eligible for a Modification of the Child Support Order
   (name of payor)
   within the meaning of the Nebraska Child Support Guidelines and Nebraska Statutes.

4. Application of the Nebraska Child Support Guidelines to the party(ies) current income would ☐ increase ☐ decrease the monthly child support obligation by 10% or more, and by not less than $25 per month.

5. The material change in the party(ies) circumstances since the date of the most recent order setting child support is as follows:

Check All That Apply

☐ _____'s employment income has substantially increased.
(name of party)

☐ _____'s employment income has substantially decreased.
(name of party)

6. The change in the party(ies) financial circumstances has lasted for three months and can reasonably be expected to last for an additional six months.

WHEREFORE, I ask that this court modify the child support obligation entered on _____, and ☐ increase ☐ decrease the monthly child
(date of the most recent order setting child support)
support obligation to an amount consistent with the Nebraska Child Support Guidelines, and for such other relief as the court deems appropriate.

_____ Date _____
Signature

_____ _____
Name Street Address/P.O. Box

_____
City/State/ZIP Code

_____ _____
Phone Email Address

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on _____, a true copy of the
(date)
foregoing Answer and Counterclaim for Modification of Child Support was sent by first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the other party at _____
_____.
(spouse's address, including street address, city, state, and ZIP code)

_____
(your name)