

## COMPLETING THE ANSWER AND COUNTERCLAIM FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (No Children)

Use this form to tell the court which items you agree with, and which items you do not agree with in the Complaint that you were served with.

Much of the information needed to complete this form can be found on the Complaint.

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Choose the county using the drop-down list.

Enter the name of the other party.

Enter your full name.

Enter your full name.

Enter your full name.

Enter the case number.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, NEBRASKA  
Choose the court

\_\_\_\_\_  
Plaintiff

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

vs. \_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant

**ANSWER AND COUNTERCLAIM FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILDREN)**

**ANSWER**

COMES NOW, \_\_\_\_\_ the defendant in the  
(your full name)  
above-captioned matter, and for the Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint for Dissolution of Marriage, hereby admits, denies, and alleges as follows:

1. Admits Paragraph(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of the Complaint. (paragraph number(s) with which you agree)

2. Denies Paragraph(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of the Complaint. (paragraph number(s) with which you disagree)

**COUNTERCLAIM**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the defendant in the  
(your full name)  
above-captioned action, without assistance of an attorney, hereby state and allege as follows:

1. I live at \_\_\_\_\_  
(your street address; if confidential under Nebraska or Federal law, enter county and state only and provide an alternative address for mailing of notice)  
in \_\_\_\_\_  
(city, county, and state where you live)

List the paragraph numbers you agree with, and the paragraph numbers you do not agree with, separated by commas.

Enter your current address. **If you cannot give your address** because it is confidential under Nebraska or Federal law, only enter the county and state.

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Enter the other party's address.

Enter the county in Nebraska where either you or the other party is living.

Enter when and where you were married.

If you are asking for your former name to be restored, enter the first, middle, and last names. If not needed, write "N/A" in the space.

2. My spouse's address is \_\_\_\_\_,  
(spouse's street address)  
in \_\_\_\_\_,  
(city, county and state where spouse lives)

3. Either my spouse or I have lived in the state of Nebraska for more than one year prior to the filing of the Complaint, with the bona fide intention of making this state our permanent home.

4. At the time this action was filed, either my spouse or I was living in \_\_\_\_\_,  
County, Nebraska.  
(county where complaint filed)

5. We were lawfully married on \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_,  
(date of marriage)  
(city and state of marriage)

6. Neither my spouse nor I am a party to any other pending actions for divorce, separation, or dissolution of marriage in this state or in any other state.

7. My spouse is not a member of the Armed Forces of the United States or its allies.

8. My marriage is irretrievably broken.

9. No child or children were born to or adopted by my spouse or me and none are expected, or all of our children are age 19 or older.

10. During the course of the marriage, my spouse and I have accumulated certain items of property, which should be equitably divided between us.

11. My spouse and I have incurred certain debts and obligations during the marriage, and the liability for payment of these debts and obligations should be equitably divided between us.

12. I wish my former name, \_\_\_\_\_,  
(former or maiden name, including first, middle and last names)  
to be restored to me.

13. I want this dissolution of marriage proceeding heard by a district court judge.

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14. Check the box that applies:

☐ There are no existing restraining orders, protection orders, or criminal no-contact orders regarding either party.

OR

☐ There are one or more existing restraining orders, protection orders, or criminal no-contact orders regarding one or more of the parties. Details are as follows:

(a) Type of order: ☐ restraining; ☐ protection;  
☐ criminal no-contact.

(b) Name of court, case number, and date of order for each order:

\_\_\_\_\_

(name of court, case number and date of each order)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

WHEREFORE, I request the court:

A. Dissolve my marriage.

B. Equitably divide the property and debts between my spouse and me.

C. Restore to me my former name of \_\_\_\_\_  
(former or maiden name, including first, middle and last names)

G. Grant any further relief that may be just.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(of defendant)

Street Address/P.O. Box: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

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If you are asking for your former name to be restored, enter the first, middle, and last names. If not needed, write "N/A" in the space.

Check the box that applies. If you check the second box, also check the box in front of each type of current restraining, protection, or criminal no-contact order. List the court, case number, and date for each.

Sign and date the form. Enter your printed name, your address, telephone number, and your email address.

**Read this  
statement carefully.**

If you **CANNOT**  
receive emails,  
check the box, and  
use the lines  
to explain  
why you can't.

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\*Nebraska Supreme Court Rule § 2-208 requires individuals who are not attorneys and representing themselves to provide their email address. The court will use the email address to send notices from the court about this case **except** for items that require another type of service as directed by statute or Nebraska Supreme Court Rule.

If you no longer have email capability or if your email or other contact information changes, you must complete a [Change of Contact Information Form](#).

☐ By checking this box, I am letting the court know that I do not have the ability to receive emails. The reason I cannot receive email is: \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on \_\_\_\_\_, a true copy of the  
(date)  
foregoing Answer and Counterclaim for Dissolution of Marriage was sent by  
first-class mail, postage prepaid, to my spouse at \_\_\_\_\_

(spouse's address, including street address, city, state, and ZIP code)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(your name)

Enter the date you  
mailed a copy of  
the Answer and  
Counterclaim to  
the other party and  
the address you  
mailed it to.