

Cause No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Print court information exactly as it appears on the Original Petition for Divorce

In the Matter of the Marriage of \_\_\_\_\_ In the \_\_\_\_\_  
(Court Number)

Petitioner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print first, middle, and last name of spouse filing divorce.  District Court  
and  County Court at Law

Respondent: \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas  
Print first, middle, and last name of other spouse.

## Respondent's Waiver of Service Only (Specific Waiver) (Divorce without Children)

**WARNING to Respondent:** Without the advice and help of a lawyer, you may be putting yourself, your property, and your money at risk. For a referral to a lawyer or free Legal Aid office call the State Bar of Texas Lawyer Referral Information Service at 800-252-9690.

If you are a victim of domestic violence, or if at any time you feel unsafe, you can get confidential help from the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 800-799-7233 or legal help from the Texas Advocacy Project Family Violence Legal Line at 800-374-4673.

**INSTRUCTIONS to Respondent:** If you decide to use this form:

- Do not sign it until **at least one day after** the Original Petition for Divorce has been filed (turned in to the court). If you sign this form before then, you will have to redo it. Your spouse should have given you a copy of the Original Petition for Divorce. The official court stamp on your copy will tell you when it was filed.
- Fill out this form completely. You MUST include your mailing address.
- **Sign this form in front of a notary.** Do not sign until you are standing in front of the notary.
- File (turn in) the original signed form to the court where your spouse filed the Original Petition for Divorce. Keep a copy for your records. Give a copy to your spouse.
- Get additional information about divorce at [www.TexasLawHelp.org](http://www.TexasLawHelp.org).

**The person who signed this affidavit appeared, in person, before me, the undersigned notary, and stated under oath:**

"I am the Respondent in this case.

"My name is: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last

"My mailing address is: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address City State ZIP

"My phone number is: \_\_\_\_\_.

"My email address is: \_\_\_\_\_.

"My fax number (if available) is: \_\_\_\_\_.

"The last three numbers of my driver's license number are: \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_. My driver's license was issued in (State): \_\_\_\_\_.

Or  I do not have a driver's license number.

"The last three numbers of my social security number are: \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_.

Or  I do not have a social security number.

