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SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
IN MARICOPA COUNTY

Case Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Petitioner/Party A)

DECREE OF DISSOLUTION  
OF MARRIAGE (Divorce)  
WITHOUT MINOR CHILDREN

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Respondent/Party B)

THE COURT FINDS:

1. This case has come before this Court for a final Decree of Dissolution of Marriage (Divorce) without Minor Children. The Court has taken all testimony needed to enter a final Decree or has determined testimony is not needed to enter the final Decree.
2. This Court has jurisdiction over the parties under the law, and the provisions of the Decree are fair and reasonable under the circumstances.
3. THE COURT FINDS:
  - (a) The marriage of the parties is not a "covenant" marriage.
  - (b) At the time this action was filed, one of the parties lived in Arizona for more than 90 days, or had lived in Arizona, while a member of the United States Armed Forces, for more than 90 days.
  - (c) The provisions of A.R.S. § 25-381.09 relating to Conciliation Court either do not apply or have been met.

- (d) The marriage is irretrievably broken (the marriage is over).
- (e) Where it has the legal power to do so and where it is applicable to the facts of this case, this Court has considered, approved, and made orders relating to the issue of spousal maintenance/support, and the division of property and/or debts.
  - The parties did not acquire any community property or debts during the marriage; OR,
  - There IS an agreement as to division of community property and debt; all community property and debt is divided pursuant to this Decree.
  - There is NO agreement as to division of property and/or debt, but all community property and/or debt is divided pursuant to this Decree.
- (f)  Party A, OR  
 Party B
  - Lacks sufficient property, including property apportioned to the spouse, to provide for that spouse's reasonable needs.
  - Lacks earning ability in the labor market that is adequate to be self-sufficient.
  - Is the parent of a child whose age or condition is such that the parent should not be required to seek employment outside the home.
  - Has made a significant financial or other contribution to the education, training, vocational skills, career, or earning ability of the other spouse or has significantly reduced that spouse's income or career opportunities for the benefit of the other spouse.
  - Had a marriage of long duration and is of an age that may preclude the possibility of gaining employment adequate to be self-sufficient.
- (g)  Party A is not pregnant. OR
  - Party A is pregnant, and Party B  IS OR  IS NOT a parent of the child.
  - Party B is not pregnant. OR
  - Party B is pregnant and Party A  IS OR  IS NOT a parent of the child.

**THE COURT ORDERS:**

1. The marriage of the parties is dissolved, and the parties are restored to the legal status of single persons.

2. NAMES:

The name of  Party A or  Party B, whose complete married name is:

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Is restored to: (List the complete legal name or maiden name as before this marriage)

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3. SPOUSAL MAINTENANCE/SUPPORT (ALIMONY):

(a)  Neither party shall pay spousal maintenance/support (alimony) to the other party; OR,

(b)  Party A OR  Party B

Is ordered to pay  Party B, OR  Party A the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ per month spousal maintenance/support BEGINNING THE FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH after this Decree is signed. Each payment shall be made by the first day of each month thereafter and shall continue until the receiving party is remarried, deceased, or for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. All payments shall be made through the Support Payment Clearinghouse by an Income Withholding Order, until all required payments have been made under this Decree. All spousal maintenance payments are governed by the applicable federal and state tax laws. It shall terminate upon the death of either party or remarriage of receiving party.

4. PROPERTY, DEBTS, AND TAXES:

(a)  Party A is ordered to pay all debts unknown to Party B.

(b)  Party B is ordered to pay all debts unknown to Party A.

(c)  Each party is ordered to pay his/her debts which he/she incurred since the date of the parties' separation on \_\_\_\_\_ (date).

(d)  Other orders and relief relating to the division of community property and/or debts which are contained in Exhibit A, is attached and incorporated into and made a part of this Decree.

(e)  Each party is assigned his/her separate property and debts as contained in Exhibit A, which is attached and incorporated into and made a part of this Decree.

- (f)  This Decree can be used as a transfer of title and can be recorded. Parties shall sign all documents necessary to complete all transfer of title ordered in this Decree, such as motor vehicles, houses, and bank accounts. The parties shall transfer all real and personal property as described in Exhibit A to the other party on or before \_\_\_\_\_ by 5:00 p.m.

If the party required to transfer the property has not transferred the property to the party entitled to receive the property on or before the date and time listed above, the party entitled to receive the property is entitled upon application to a Writ of Assistance or Writ of Execution to be issued by the Clerk of Superior Court commanding the sheriff to put him or her in possession of the property.

- (g)  For previous calendar years, the parties shall file, subject to IRS Rules and Regulations,

- Joint federal and state income tax returns, and hold the other harmless from half of all additional income taxes and costs, if any, and each party shall share equally in tax refunds, if any, OR

- Separate federal and state income tax returns.

AND

- This calendar year and continuing thereafter, each party shall file separate tax returns.

AND

- Each party shall give the other party all necessary documentation to file all tax returns.

5. ENFORCEMENT OF TEMPORARY ORDERS:

All obligations ordered to be paid by the parties in Temporary Orders dated (fill in dates of ALL temporary orders here) \_\_\_\_\_ shall be satisfied in full or judgment is awarded against the party with the obligation, up to the amount due and owing as of the date of this Decree, together with the highest legal interest allowed by law.

6. FINAL APPEALABLE ORDER. There are no further matters that remain pending before the court and this judgment is a final order under Rule 78(c) of the Arizona Rules of Family Law Procedure.

DONE IN OPEN COURT this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
JUDGE OR COURT COMMISSIONER

If this Decree/Judgment was issued as a "Default," I certify that within three (3) days of receiving this Decree/Judgment, I will mail a copy of this Decree/Judgment to the last known address of the party in default as follows:

Party's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A: PROPERTY AND DEBTS**

1. **DIVISION OF COMMUNITY PROPERTY:** (Be very specific in your description of the property)

Award each party the furniture, furnishings, artwork, collectibles, appliances, cookware, and related items of personalty in his/her possession, or

The community property is awarded to each party as follows:

2. **LIST OF COMMUNITY PROPERTY**

**AWARD TO:**  
Party A      Party B

Household furniture/furnishings. (Be specific.)

_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Appliances. (Be specific.)

_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

DVD/VCR/DVR. (Be specific)

_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AWARD TO:  
Party A      Party B

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|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | TV. (Be specific)<br>_____<br>_____                | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Personal Computer. (Be specific)<br>_____<br>_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Stereo. (Be specific)<br>_____<br>_____            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Motor vehicle _____                                | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Motor vehicle _____                                | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Motor vehicle _____                                | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Cash, bonds of \$ _____                            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other: _____                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other: _____                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Continued on attached list.                        |                          |                          |

3. DIVISION OF RETIREMENT, PENSION, DEFERRED COMPENSATION

(WARNING. You should see a lawyer about your retirement, pension, deferred compensation, 401k plans and/or benefits. If you do not see a lawyer regarding these assets, you risk losing any interest you have in these plans and/or benefits. There are certain documents the plan administrator must have. Only a lawyer can help you prepare these documents.)

- Award each party his/her interest in any and all retirement benefits, pension plans, or other deferred compensation described as:  
\_\_\_\_\_
- OR
- Each party WAIVES AND GIVES UP his/her interest in any and all retirement benefits, pension plans, or other deferred compensation of the other party.
- OR
- Neither party has a retirement, pension, deferred compensation, 401K Plan and/or benefits.

4. DIVISION OF REAL PROPERTY: Section A is for one piece of property. Section B is for another piece of property. If you own more than two pieces of property, check the box and attach another sheet of paper with the information requested in Sections A and B.

A. Real property located at (address) \_\_\_\_\_ and which is legally described as: (You must provide the legal description. The legal description can be found on the deed to the property. If you do not provide the legal description, you may have to come back to court to amend the Decree to include the legal description.)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

The real property as described above is:

Awarded to  Party A or  Party B as his/her sole and separate property.

OR

Shall be sold and the proceeds divided as follows:

\_\_\_\_\_ % or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Party A.

\_\_\_\_\_ % or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Party B.

B. Real property located at (address) \_\_\_\_\_ and which is legally described as: (You must provide the legal description. The legal description can be found on the deed to the property. If you do not provide the legal description, you may have to come back to court to amend the Decree to include the legal description.)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

The real property as described above is:

Awarded to  Party A or  Party B as his/her sole and separate property.

OR

Shall be sold and the proceeds divided as follows:

\_\_\_\_\_ % or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Party A.

\_\_\_\_\_ % or \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Party B.

More than two pieces of property are involved. See attached sheet listing the same information as in Sections A and B.

5. DIVISION OF COMMUNITY DEBTS: (You should see a lawyer about how to divide secured and unsecured debts.)

The community debts shall be divided as follows:

Creditors	Amount Owed	Party A	Party B
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____

Continued on attached list.

6.  Any debts or obligations incurred by either party before the date of separation, that are not identified in the list above or attached, shall be paid by the party who incurred the debt or obligation, and that party shall indemnify and hold the other party harmless from such debts.

7. SEPARATE PROPERTY:

The separate property is awarded to each party as follows:

Description	Value	Party A	Party B
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____

Continued on attached list.



8. SEPARATE DEBT:

The separate debts shall be the responsibility of the person as described below.

Creditors	Amount Owed	Party A	Party B
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____
_____	\$ _____	_____	_____

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