Law Library Resource Center

PROCEDURES: WHAT TO DO AFTER YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE FORMS TO MODIFY AN INCOME WITHHOLDING ORDER by Agreement

 □ STEP 1: MAKE TWO COPIES OF THE: "Agreement to Modify Income Withholding Order" ("Agreement to Modify") □ STEP 2: SEPARATE YOUR DOCUMENTS INTO THREE SETS: 	
Sheet (1 original) +2 Self-Addressed, Stamped Envelopes: One Addressed to you;	Set 3 – COPIES for You (1) Agreement to Modify

STEP 3: FILE THE PAPERS AT THE COURT. Take all originals and copies.

GO TO THE CLERK OF THE COURT'S FILING COUNTER: Hand over the originals and all sets of copies to the Clerk at the filing counter. The Clerk will keep the originals, stamp the extra copies to show that these are copies of papers you have filed with the Court, and return the stamped copies to you. These stamped sets of copies are now called "conformed" copies.

You may file your papers from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, at any of the following Superior Court locations:

Central Court Building

201 West Jefferson, 1st floor Phoenix, Arizona 85003

Northwest Court Complex
14264 West Tierra Buena Lane
Surprise, Arizona 85374

Southeast Court Complex

222 East Javelina Avenue, 1st floor Mesa, Arizona 85210

Northeast Court Complex 18380 North 40th Street

18380 North 40th Street Phoenix, Arizona 85032

One Addressed to the Other Party

FEES: A list of current fees is available from the Law Library Resource Center and from the Clerk of Court's website.

If you cannot afford the filing fee and/or the fee for having the papers served by the Sheriff or by publication, you may request a deferral (payment plan) when you file your papers with the Clerk of the Court. Deferral Applications are available at no charge from the Law Library Resource Center.

STEP 4: MAKE SURE YOU GET BACK THE FOLLOWING FROM THE CLERK:

• Your Sets of Copies with the Clerk's stamp on them (the "conformed" copies).

WHAT THE COURT WILL DO:

- Grant the relief you requested;
- Schedule a hearing for you and the other party to come talk to the Judge about the case (if the Judge has questions);
- Return your paperwork because you did not show good reason for the change requested; OR
- Other orders the Judge thinks proper.

If the Court grants your request, a **new Income Withholding Order** with the new/correct information will be completed by Judicial Officers or court staff.

STEP 5: WAIT for the Court to let you know whether the Order was signed or the matter was set for a hearing. If a hearing is scheduled, you will receive written notice of when and where to appear (date, time, and location).

REMINDER:

Did you provide *two* self-addressed, stamped envelopes so the staff can mail the decision to both parties (as listed in STEP 3, above)?

- one addressed to you;
- one addressed to the other party