

Complete and File:

- 1 Divorce Petition
- 2 Statement of Arrangements for Children
- 3 Court fee

Court will issue the Divorce Petition by:

- 1 Sending the Notice of issue to the Petitioner stating the date the Divorce Petition was sent to the respondent.
- 2 Sending a copy of the Divorce Petition and Statement of Arrangements for Children to the Respondent with the Acknowledgment of Service.

The Respondent has 14 days to return the completed acknowledgment of service.

If returned

Complete and file at court:

- 1 An Affidavit in Support of the Divorce petition exhibiting the Process Servers Statement.
- 2 Request for Directions for Trial.

If not returned

The Petitioner must obtain sealed Divorce Papers from the Court and organise for a Process Server to personally serve the Respondent. The Process Server will complete a Statement confirming that the Divorce papers were personally served.

Complete and file at court:

- 1 An Affidavit in support of Divorce Petition exhibiting signed Acknowledgment of Service.
- 2 Requests for Directions for Trial.

The Court will send both parties the date of pronouncement of the Decree Nisi.

The Court will pronounce the Decree Nisi and send it to both parties.

6 weeks 1 day later complete and file:

- 1 Application to make Decree Nisi Absolute
- 2 Court fee

Decree Absolute