

Garnishment Forms Summary of Changes

Changes are based on Chapter 50, Laws of 2021 and Chapter 35, Laws of 2021

GARN 01.0200 Writ of Garnishment not Earnings

Added: exemption language.

"FOR ALL DEBTS EXCEPT PRIVATE STUDENT LOAN DEBT AND CONSUMER DEBT:

If you are a bank or other institution in which the defendant has accounts to which the exemption under RCW 6.15.010(1)(d)(ii)(A) applies and the total of the amounts held in all the defendant's accounts is less than or equal to \$500, release all funds or property to the defendant and do not hold any amount.

If you are a bank or other institution in which the defendant has accounts to which the exemption under RCW 6.15.010(1)(d)(ii)(A) applies and the total of the amounts held in all the defendant's accounts is in excess of \$500, release at least \$500, hold no more than the amount set forth in the first paragraph of this writ and any processing fee if one is charged, and release additional funds or property, if any, to the defendant.

FOR PRIVATE STUDENT LOAN DEBT AND CONSUMER DEBT:

If you are a bank or other institution in which the defendant has accounts to which the exemption under RCW 6.15.010(1)(d)(ii)(B) or (C) -applies and the total of the amounts held in all the defendant's accounts is less than or equal to \$1,000, release all funds or property to the defendant and do not hold any amount.

If you are a bank or other institution in which the defendant has accounts to which the exemption under RCW 6.15.010(1)(d)(ii)(B) or (C) applies and the total of the amounts held in all the defendant's accounts is in excess of \$1,000, release at least \$1,000, hold no more than the amount set forth in the first paragraph of this writ and any processing fee if one is charged, and release additional funds or property, if any, to the defendant."

GARN 01.0250 Writ of Garnishment Continuing Lien on Earnings; GARN 01.0520 Exemption Claim Earnings; GARN 01.0450 Notice of Garnishment and Rights; and GARN 01.0570 Notice to Defendant of Non Responsive Exemption Claim