**Superior Court of Washington, County of**

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| In re:  Petitioner/s *(as listed on the out-of-state order)*:    And Respondent/s *(as listed on the out-of-state order)*: | No.  Petition to Enforce Out-of-State  Custody Order  (PTECO) |

**Petition to Enforce Out-of-State Custody Order**

**1.** My name is: . I ask the Court to enforce the attached out-of-state custody order that was issued on *(date):*  by a court in *(county):* , *(state):* .

I am a *(check one):* [ ] Petitioner [ ] Respondent in the out-of-state custody case.

I have attached a certified copy of the out-of-state custody order to this *Petition*. *(A copy of a certified copy is acceptable.)*

**2.**  **Other parties**

*List any other parent or person acting as a parent who has custody or visitation under the out-of-state court order.*

*(Name):*

Relationship to the children in this case:

Lives in *(county and state only):*

This person is a *(check one):* [ ] Petitioner [ ] Respondent in the out-of-state case.

*(Other name, if any):*

Relationship to the children in this case:

Lives in *(county and state only):*

This person is a *(check one):* [ ] Petitioner [ ] Respondent in the out-of-state case.

**3.** **Confidential information**

I am filing the *Confidential Information* form (FL All Family 001) separately to provide the physical address (if known) and other information about the parties and the children.

**4.** **Out-of-state court’s jurisdiction**

The Court that issued the out-of-state custody order *(check one):*

[ ] decided it had jurisdiction to issue a custody order because *(specify):*

[ ] did not specify the basis of its jurisdiction to issue a custody order.

**5.** **Registration**

[ ] I have not registered the out-of-state custody order in Washington state.

[ ] I am filing *a Request to Register Out-of-State Custody Order* (form FL UCCJEA 801) at the same time as this *Petition*.

[ ] I registered the out-of-state custody order in Washington state on *(date):*   
in *(county):* Superior Court. The registration *(check one):*

[ ] has not been confirmed yet.

[ ] was confirmed on *(date):* . *(Attach a certified copy of any order confirming registration. A copy of a certified copy is acceptable.)*

**6.** **Confirmation that order is valid**

The out-of-state custody order I am asking the court to enforce has not been canceled (vacated), suspended (stayed), or changed (modified).

**7.** **Other cases that could affect this case**

Have any other cases been started that could affect the enforceability of this order?

[ ] No.

[ ] Yes. *(List the other case/s below.)*

| Kind of case  *(Family Law, Criminal, Protection Order, Juvenile, Dependency, Adoption, Other)* | County and State | Case number |
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**8.** **Requests**

I ask the Court to *(check all that apply):*

[ ] give me immediate physical custody of the children in this case.

[ ] order that *(name):*  go to a court hearing to show why the Court should not approve the orders I have requested.

[ ] and bring the children to that court hearing.

[ ] order the other party/parties to pay my lawyer fees, court costs, and other reasonable costs for travel, investigation, communication, witnesses, and child care needed for this case.

[ ] other *(specify any other orders necessary to ensure the safety of the parties and the children):*

**Person filing this Petition fills out below:**

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Washington that the facts I have provided on this form are true.

Signed at *(city and state):* Date:

*Person filing Petition signs here Print name here*

I agree to accept legal papers for this case at *(check one):*

[ ] my lawyer’s address, listed below.

[ ] the following address *(this does* ***not*** *have to be your home address):*

*street address or PO box city state zip*

***(Optional)*** email:

*(If this address changes before the case ends, you* ***must*** *notify all parties and the court clerk in writing. You may use the Notice of Address Change form (FL All Family 120). You must also update your Confidential Information form (FL All Family 001) if this case involves parentage or child support.)*

**Lawyer (if any) fills out below:**

*Lawyer signs here Print name and WSBA No. Date*

*Lawyer’s address city state zip*

Email *(if applicable):*