

FORM 70J

File No. FD _____

ANSWER

(Heading as in Form 70A)

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1. The respondent agrees to the following relief sought by the petitioner:
2. The respondent contests the petition as to:
(State issues briefly)
3. The position of the respondent on these issues is:
(Add schedules, if necessary)
4. The respondent hereby seeks an order for the following relief:
(Where the answer contains an application for child support, state whether the claim is for an amount of support in the applicable table, an amount for special or extraordinary expenses, or another amount under the guidelines.)
5. The respondent's grounds for seeking that relief are:
6. Attached is the respondent's financial statement (Form 70D).

(Note: The respondent does not need to attach a financial statement or an affidavit containing the documents required by section 21 of the Federal Child Support Guidelines if:

- (a) there is no claim by either the petitioner or the respondent to child or spousal support or to a division of property, or*
- (b) the only support or property issue is a claim by the respondent to be paid a table amount of child support under the child support guidelines, and*
 - all the children for whom the respondent claims support are under the age of majority, and*
 - the petitioner has not raised any issues requiring the production of the respondent's income information under the child support guidelines.)*

(Where the petition or the answer contains a claim for child support under the Divorce Act (Canada) and either the petitioner or the respondent lives outside Manitoba, add:)

Attached is the respondent's affidavit containing the documents required under section 21 of the *Federal Child Support Guidelines*.

7. Where partition or sale is at issue, the market value of the property is:

8. Declaration of Respondent:

I have read and understand this answer. Those statements contained in this answer of which I have personal knowledge are true, and those of which I do not have personal knowledge, I believe to be true.

(date)

(signature of respondent)

The respondent's address for service is:

Where the respondent claims a divorce in the answer, this form shall be titled "ANSWER AND PETITION FOR DIVORCE" and the following statement shall be included in the document:

Statement of Lawyer:

I, _____, the lawyer for _____, the respondent, certify to this court that I have complied with the requirements of section 9 of the *Divorce Act* (Canada).

Dated at _____, this _____ day of _____, _____.

(signature of lawyer)

(Name of lawyer)

(Firm name)

(Address)

(Phone)

(Fax)

(E-mail)