

NP8 - Application for reduction of payment of divorce or decree of nullity – financial hardship

Give Details	
File number	
File name	
Date filed	

Family Law (Fees) Regulation 2012 - Section 2.06

Notice to applicant

For approval for a fee reduction, you will need to show that your income, day-to-day living expenses, liabilities and assets are at such a level that payment of the full fee would cause you financial hardship.

In considering your application the Court may ask you to provide documentary evidence to support your claim. In this case your application will be returned to you with instructions as to what further information you need to provide in the 'Notice of request for more information' on page 3 of this form.

If you are applying for a reduced court fee, this form must be lodged at the same time as the application being filed.

An approval is valid only for the current court fee for which you are applying. If a further fee is payable you will need to reapply.

- Cross boxes where applicable. Type or print clearly.
- Attach an extra page if you need more space for any of the details requested
- If your application for reduction is unsuccessful, you will be required to pay the full filing fee before your forms will be accepted.

Warning: Under the Criminal Code any person who knowingly makes an untrue representation or statement to obtain a benefit or advantage from the State is guilty of an offence and, if found guilty, can be fined or imprisoned.

Note: Where there is more than one applicant to an application, all applicants must meet the requirements for an exemption/reduction or the full fee applies.

Reductions only apply to divorce application and decree of nullity fees and **do not** apply to fees to serve documents on a person.

GST does not apply to court fees.

Part A – De	tails					
Name and address	family name (surname)		given names			
			postcode	telephone		
Court that divorce	e was filed in	☐ Famil	y Court of Western Australia			
Is this an applica	ation for a decree of nullity	☐ Yes	□No			
Number of people who are dependent on you (this may include a dependent spouse and any children under 18)?						
Part B – Yo	ur income (convert a	II incon	ne to fortnightly figures)	TOTAL		
Salary/wages/p	oension income – before ta	Х		\$		
Interest				\$		
Rent or board	received			\$		
Company profi	ts			\$		
Other income (include any child support/spouse maintenance received and so on)			\$			
Gross total for each fortnight (before tax)			\$			
Net total for e	ach fortnight (after tax)			\$		

Part C – Your assets	TOTAL	
Your home	\$	
Other real estate		
C1 – subtotal – value of assets		
Balance of all bank, credit union and building society accounts		
Shares		
Managed investments (including superannuation funds you can draw on now)		
Bonds		
Other liquid assets (give details)		
C2 – subtotal – value of liquid assets	\$	
Part D – Your liabilities (whole amount owing)	TOTAL	
Mortgages (give details)	\$	
Credit cards (give details)	\$	
Loans/leases (give details)	\$	
Other (specify and give details)	\$	
Total	\$	
Part E – Your day-to-day living expenses (for each fortnight)	TOTAL	
Food	\$	
Mortgage/rent	\$	
Gas, electricity, water, heating, telephone, rates, insurance	\$	
Car/travel	\$	
Superannuation	\$	
Clothing, medical and other personal expenses	\$	
Children's expenses (include child support, child care, school fees, children's clothing and so on)	\$	
Other (specify and give details)		
Total	\$	
Part F – Other circumstances		
If you do not meet the test as set out in the Guidelines, you may still qualify if there are circumstances which would cause you hardship if you were required to pay a full fee. In this case, give details here. Attach an ext need more space.		

Part G - Affidavit of applicant I ☐ swear / ☐ affirm that: 1. I am the applicant 2. I have read this application 3. The facts in it that are within my personal knowledge are true 4. All other facts are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief 5. I have disclosed all relevant financial information 6. I am aware that it is an offence to provide information or a document in connection with this application that is false or misleading. Place: Date: Signature Before me (signature of witness) Full name of witness (please print) ☐ Justice of the Peace or | lawyer This application was prepared by: or lawyer applicant (print lawyers name) (Office Use Only) Notice of request for more information Having considered your application, the Court requests you to provide documentary evidence of your income, assets, liabilities and day-to-day living expenses to support your claim In particular, you will need to provide the following The documents listed above should be provided within 14 days of the date on which this notice was issued. You can provide the originals or photocopies to the Court attached to the back of this application. Signature of officer Date ____/__/ Name of officer