



NP7 - Application for reduction of payment of divorce or decree of nullity – general

Family Law (Fees) Regulation 2022 – Section 2.06

Give Details

File number

File name

Date filed

Notice to applicant

Use this form if:

- you are receiving Legal Aid, Youth allowance or Austudy/Abstudy payments,
- you are aged 18 or under, or
- you are an inmate of a prison or otherwise legally detained in a public institution.

When electronically lodging your completed application form via the eCourts Portal of WA you will need to attach photocopies of documentary evidence of any of the above (such as your proof of age Card or Legal Aid letter) to support your claim. Photocopy both sides of the card or other document.

If you are the primary cardholder of a Health Care Card, Health Benefit Card, Pensioner Concession Card, Commonwealth Seniors Health Card or any other card issued by Centrelink or the Department of Veterans' Affairs that entitles you to Commonwealth health concessions (does not include a dependant of the primary cardholder) please proceed to the eCourts Portal of WA to electronically lodge your application. You will be required to enter the Customer Reference Number (CRN) from your government issued card for fee reduction.

If you do not qualify for any of the above, you may be able to apply for a fee to be reduced on the basis of financial hardship. Ask registry staff for the appropriate form and guidelines.

If your application for reduction is unsuccessful, you will be required to pay the full filing fee before your divorce application 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 a reduction or the full fee applies.

GST does not apply to court fees.

Details		Cross boxes where applicable	
Name and address	family name (surname)	given names	
		postcode	telephone
Court that divorce was filed in		<input type="checkbox"/> Family Court of Western Australia	
Is this an application for a decree of nullity		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Reason for seeking reduction	<input type="checkbox"/> I am in receipt of Legal Aid, Youth allowance or Austudy/Abstudy payments. <input type="checkbox"/> I am a child under 18 years <input type="checkbox"/> I am an inmate of a prison or otherwise lawfully detained in a public institution		
Signature			
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant or <input type="checkbox"/> lawyer who prepared this application (<i>print lawyers name</i>)			