

INSTRUCTIONS FOR DIVORCE

DATE:

1. PLAINTIFF

FULL NAMES.....

MAIDEN NAME.....

PREVIOUS SURNAME/S.....

IDENTITY NUMBER..... AGE.....

PROFESSION/TRADE/BUSINESS.....

PRESENT BUSINESS ADDRESS.....

PRESENT RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS.....

E-MAIL ADDRESS.....

TEL NUMBERS BUSINESS.....

HOME.....

CELL.....

2. DEFENDANT

FULL NAMES.....

MAIDEN NAME.....

PREVIOUS SURNAME/S.....

IDENTITY NUMBER..... AGE.....

PROFESSION/TRADE/BUSINESS.....

PRESENT BUSINESS ADDRESS.....

PRESENT RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS.....

E-MAIL ADDRESS.....

TEL NUMBERS BUSINESS.....

HOME.....

CELL.....

3. DATE OF MARRIAGE

4. PLACE AND COUNTRY OF MARRIAGE

CHURCH OR MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE

5. ARE YOU MARRIED IN TERM OF AN ANTENUPTIAL CONTRACT

If the answer is "Yes", please furnish a copy of the contract.

6. CHILDREN BORN FROM THE MARRIAGE OR CHILDREN LEGALLY ADOPTED

(a)	Name	Gender	Age
	1.....		
	2.....		
	3.....		
	4.....		
	5.....		

(b) **CHILDREN BORN FROM PREVIOUS MARRIAGE/S, OR OTHER DEPENDANTS**

Number	Children	Other dependants
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- (c) Statement of expenses in respect of each child.
- (d) Maintenance (amount) required monthly until child becomes self-supporting. Escalation clause?
- (e) Medical expenses, medical fund – husband responsible for all expenses?
- (f) School fees, school clothes, and extra mural activities.
- (g) Tertiary education.
- (h) Custody
- (i) Access – general or defined.

**7. PLAINTIFF'S MONTHLY INCOME
DEFENDANT'S MONTHLY INCOME**

8. ASSETS AND LIAIBILITIES:

PLAINTIFF

Description	ASSETS (market value)	LIAIBILITIES
Residence.....		
Bond.....		
Vehicles.....		
Furniture.....		
Insurance Policies / Loans:		
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Investments.....		
Shares, Unit Trusts.....		
Pensions and annuities:		
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THE PLAINTIFF HAS BEEN RESIDENT IN THE RSA SINCE

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THE DEFENDANT HAS BEEN RESIDENT IN THE RSA SINCE

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**13. REASONS FOR THE BREAKDOWN OF THE MARRIAGE:
mark with X**

- a. The parties have not lived together as husband and wife for more than a year.
- b. The Plaintiff/Defendant left the Plaintiff/Defendant on and refused to return to the common home.
- c. The parties have lost their mutual love and respect for each other.
- d. The parties are no longer able to communicate with each other constructively.
- e. The Defendant has failed to maintain the Plaintiff adequately.
- f. The Defendant has abused alcohol. The defendant abuses habit-forming drugs.
- g. The Defendant frequently assaulted the Plaintiff and had driven her from the matrimonial home.
- h. The Defendant informed the Plaintiff the he/she no longer loved him/her and that he/she wished to terminate the marriage relationship.
- i. The Defendant was frequently absent from the common home without furnishing any reasons for his/her absence.
- j. The Defendant entered into adulterous relationships that conduct the Plaintiff finds unacceptable.
- k. The Defendant threatened to harm the Plaintiff and minor children physically.
- l. The Defendant insulted the Plaintiff in the presence of other people by passing negative remarks.
- m. Other:

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14. TERMS OF POSSIBLE SETTLEMENT

- a.
- b.
- c.

15. PLAINTIFF WISHES TO INSTITUTE ACTION FOR: (if not settled before summons)

- a.
- b.
- c.
- d.
- e.
- f.
- g.
- h.

16. FORMS TO BE COMPLETED:

- a. Statistics
- b. Family Advocate (Annexure "A")
- c. Agreement re fees

DATE:

CLIENT