### **Divorce Interview Form**

This is a quick, easy, straight forward form. Some fields are required and can not be left blank. If you don't know the answer to a required field, just type 'unknown' and move on to the next question. We will assist you with unknown question(s) later.

I Am Interested In:\* Required Field

Standard Uncontested Divorce – having your Law Firm handle my Divorce for \$395 (which covers everything) Expedited Uncontested Divorce – having your Law Firm handle my Divorce as quick as possible for \$495

Divorce Forms Only – doing my own divorce \$50

#### Information on All Options

Please Note: A Standard Uncontested Divorce is \$395 and can be completed in 45 to 60 days. We can complete it quicker in 30 to 45 days if your spouse is willing to cooperate with you. There is an additional fee \$100 for a total of \$495 for the Expedited Service. Doing your own divorce is not recommended but you may be able to save some money IF you are also eligible to have Court cost waived.

### Enter Your FULL Legal Name (First, Middle, Last, Any Suffix)\* Required Field

We MUST have your FULL legal name. Usually this will be as it appears on your Driver License or other current government issued ID.

### Enter Your FULL Address: Street Address, City, State and Zip Code (PO Box's are OK)\* Required Field

Street Address

Suite / Apt. or Other Address Information

City

State/Province

Zip/Postal

If you do not enter your full address including the street address, city, state and zip code – it may delay the processing of your divorce and you likely will not receive a hard copy of your divorce complaint in the mail.

### Enter The COUNTY You Reside In (NOT COUNTRY – Do Not put USA, US or NC)\* Required Field

If you live in Louisiana, enter the Parish you live in. If you live in an Incorporated City or outside the United States this entry may not apply. If so, write Incorporated City, 'NA' or 'Unknown'.

### Has Either You OR Your Spouse Resided In North Carolina For At Least The Past 6 (six) Months?\* Required Field

Yes, I Have Yes, My Spouse Has Yes, We Both Have No

Either you OR your spouse MUST have resided in the state of North Carolina for at least the past 6 months to be eligible to file for divorce in North Carolina.

# Enter Your e-Mail Address - This is necessary to send you a copy of your Divorce Complaint to review. There is no fee for this unless you decide to retain us.\* Required Field

Your e-mail address will not be sold or used for any purpose other than for us to contact you directly.

### If You'd Like A Follow Up Phone Call – Enter Your Phone # with Area Code Along With Any Contact Instructions (Example: 'Please only call me between 3pm and 6pm')

This field is OPTIONAL. If you do not want to be contacted by phone just leave blank!

### Enter Your Date of Marriage\* Required Field

The exact date of marriage is critical. If you do not know the exact date – we may be able to look it up for you if you know where you were married.

#### Enter The City, County and State You Were Married In\* Required Field

If married in Louisiana, enter the Parish. If married outside the United States, enter the Country and that countries' equivalent of City, County, and State

### Enter Your Date of Separation -YOU MUST HAVE BEEN SEPARATED FOR ONE YEAR\* Required Field

Note: YOU MUST BE SEPARATED FOR ONE YEAR! You must have been physically separated (not living together) for at least one year in order to be eligible to file for divorce in North Carolina. This date does not have to be exact but should include at least the month and year.

### Enter the FULL Names AND Birth Dates of Any Children Born and / or Adopted During the Marriage (Write 'None' If No Children)

Children born or adopted BEFORE the marriage do not need to be included.

# If You Are The Wife – Would You Like To Resume The Use Of Your Maiden Name or Former Married Name (if eligible)?\* Required Field

No

Yes

#### Not Applicable To Me / I'm The Husband

#### I'm not sure. What does this mean?

You can choose to go back to the name you were born with. This is known as your 'Maiden Name'. Or you may choose to resume a former married name IF you also have children from that former marriage. You can not change your name to anything other than your Maiden Name or Former Married Name in a divorce action.

#### If You Want To Resume The Use of Your Maiden Name or Former Married Name – Enter Your FULL Maiden Name or Former Married Name Here

The Court Requires Your Birth Date for Identification Purposes in Order to Resume Your Maiden Name – Enter Your Birth Date Here in Month, Day, Year Format

This field is OPTIONAL however, if you want to resume your Maiden Name or Former Married Name and you do not provide your

birth date or provide an incorrect birth date, you will most likely have difficulty changing government ID's such as your drivers license and Social Security card.

### Do You Have A Written Separation Agreement?\* Required Field

No

Yes

If you have a Separation Agreement we will need to see a copy of it – please do not send your original document.

### If you have a Separation Agreement – Do you want it Incorporated into the Divorce Judgment?\* Required Field

No

Yes

I'm not sure - what does ths mean?

Enter Your Spouse's FULL Legal Name (First, Middle, Last, Any Suffix)\* Required Field

We MUST have your spouse's FULL legal name.

Enter your Spouse's FULL Address: Street Address, City, State and Zip Code (PO Box's are OK) – DO NOT USE SAME ADDRESS AS YOURS ABOVE\* Required Field

Street Address

Suite / Apt. or Other Address Information

City

State/Province

Zip/Postal

If you do not know your spouse's address, you can still get divorced but it may require doing a legal publication in a major newspaper where your spouse was last know to live. The cost for a legal publication varies, so if you need to serve your spouse by this method we will need to get a quote for you. This cost is not included in the \$395 fee. We recommend doing everything you can to locate a good address for your spouse because it is by far much less expensive to serve your spouse by certified mail or by sheriff.

# Enter The COUNTY Your Spouse Lives In (NOT COUNTRY – Do Not put USA, US or NC)\* Required Field

If your spouse lives in Louisiana, enter the Parish they live in. If your spouse lives in an Incorporated City or outside the United States this entry may not apply. If so, write 'NA' or 'Unknown'.

### Is your Spouse an Active Duty Member of the U.S. Military?\* Required Field

No

Yes

NOTE: We will likely need to verify your Spouse's military status. This is done by a simple affidavit but does require personal information such as your spouse's date of birth and social security number.

# Enter your Spouse's Date of Birth and Social Security – (this is optional, you can provide this information later if you prefer).

NOTE: This information is needed to verify and prepare an affidavit of military status. It is OPTIONAL at this stage if you prefer not to provide in now but we will likely need it at some point.

Do you have any Unresolved Marital Issues? (check all that apply)\* Required Field

None - All Marital Issues Resolved

Child Related Issues - Support, Custody, Visitation

Property Division - Personal Property and / or Real Estate

Spousal Support and / or Alimony

Retirement and / or other Accounts

#### Other (list any concerns in the Comment Section below)

If you have unresolved marital issues, you may need a formal written Separation and / or Property Settlement Agreement. This is an additional fee and would need to be done prior to the divorce. If you divorce without resolving certain marital issues you may be barred from having the court decide those issues later.

Please List Any Additional Comments, Questions or Concerns You May Have Here: