Nebraska State Court Form DC 6:5.3 Rev. 05/2020 Neb. Rev. Stat. § 42-372	**DECREE OF DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (WITH CHILD(REN))**	

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF _____ COUNTY, NEBRASKA
Choose the county (county where Complaint filed)

_____, (your full name) Plaintiff,

vs.

_____, (spouse's full name) Defendant.

Case No. CI _____
(case number assigned by clerk of court)

DECREE OF DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (WITH CHILD(REN))

ON _____ (date) this matter came on for final hearing on the Complaint for Dissolution of Marriage of the plaintiff. The plaintiff appeared in court without an attorney. The defendant ☐ did ☐ did not appear. The plaintiff presented evidence, and the court, having fully reviewed the evidence, finds as follows:

1. Plaintiff or defendant has been a resident of the State of Nebraska for more than one year prior to the filing of this action with the intention of making Nebraska his or her permanent home and either plaintiff or defendant was a resident of _____ (county where Complaint filed) County at the time the complaint was filed.

2. More than 60 days have passed since service was perfected or a Voluntary Appearance was filed.

3. The court has jurisdiction over both parties and over the subject matter of this action and to make a child custody determination.

4. The parties were married on _____,
(date of marriage)

in _____.
(city and state where parties were married)

The parties have _____ child(ren) whose custody or welfare are affected by this
(number of children of marriage)

divorce:

_____, born _____
(name of child) (child's year of birth)

_____, born _____
(name of child) (child's year of birth)

_____, born _____
(name of child) (child's year of birth)

_____, born _____
(name of child) (child's year of birth)

Neither party is expecting a child at this time.

5. A parenting plan, developed by ☐ both parties ☐ the plaintiff only
(check if parties developed) (check if Plaintiff developed)

☐ the court in accordance with the Parenting Act is attached to this decree and
(check if Court developed)

incorporated herein by reference. The court finds the parenting plan complies with the Parenting Act and is in the best interests of the minor child(ren). _____
(Plaintiff or Defendant)

should contribute to the support of the child(ren).

6. The defendant is not a member of the Armed Forces of the United States or its allies.

7. The marriage of the plaintiff and the defendant is irretrievably broken, and every reasonable effort to effect reconciliation has been made.

8. The parties are owners of various items of personal property and have incurred certain debts, and all of the property and debts should be equitably divided between the parties.

9. *(if applicable)*_____'s former name of _____,
(Plaintiff or Defendant) (former or maiden name, including first, middle and last names)

should be restored.

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED as follows:

10. The marriage between the plaintiff, and the defendant, is hereby dissolved. Except for review on appeal, remarriage, and continuation of the health insurance coverage, this decree shall become final and operative 30 days after this decree is filed or on the date of death of one of the parties, whichever occurs first. For purposes of remarriage, neither the plaintiff nor the defendant may marry anyone anywhere in the world for six months after this decree is filed with the clerk of the district court. For the purposes of continuation of health insurance coverage, the decree shall become final and operative six months after the decree is entered.

11. Legal and physical custody:

☐ _____ is awarded sole legal and sole physical
(Plaintiff or Defendant)
custody of the child(ren).

☐ The parents are awarded joint legal custody of the child(ren). Sole physical custody of the child(ren) is awarded to _____.
(plaintiff or defendant)

☐ The parties are awarded joint legal and joint physical custody of the child(ren).

12. A parenting plan, developed by ☐ the parties ☐ the plaintiff only
(check if parties developed) (check if Plaintiff developed)
☐ the court in accordance with the Parenting Act, is attached to this decree and
(check if the Court developed)
incorporated herein by reference. The parties are ordered to perform by its terms.

13. _____ shall pay child support in accordance with the
(Plaintiff or Defendant)
Nebraska Child Support Guidelines beginning on the 1st day of _____, 20_____, and continuing on the first day of each subsequent month thereafter in the amounts listed:

_____ per month for _____ children
(support amount) (number of children)

_____ per month for _____ children
(support amount) (number of children)

_____ per month for _____ children
(support amount) (number of children)

_____ per month for one child
(support amount)

☐ Child support will abate by _____% during the month(s) of

_____.

A worksheet showing the calculations under the Nebraska Child Support Guidelines is attached to this decree.

Upon the occurrence of any of the following events, child support shall terminate effective the first day of the month following the event: the child turns 19 years of age; the child marries; the court finds the child is emancipated; the death of the child; or further order of the court.

All child support payments shall be paid to the Child Support Payment Center, P. O. Box 82600, Lincoln, NE 68501-2600.

14. _____ shall provide health insurance for the dependent
(Plaintiff or Defendant)
minor child(ren).

[ ] *(for sole physical custody)* _____ shall pay
(Judge will complete this blank)
the first $250 of reasonable and necessary health care costs per child per year.

_____ shall pay _____% of all nonreimbursed reasonable
(Judge will complete this blank)
and necessary child(ren)'s health care costs in excess of $250 per child per year.

[ ] *(for joint physical custody)* Plaintiff shall pay _____% and defendant shall pay _____% of all nonreimbursed reasonable and necessary child(ren)'s health care costs.

15. [ ] *(for sole physical custody)* _____
(Judge will complete this blank)

shall pay _____% of any childcare costs which are due to the employment of _____ or to allow _____ to obtain training or education necessary to obtain a job or enhance earning potential.
(Judge will complete this blank) (Judge will complete this blank)

[ ] *(for joint physical custody)* Plaintiff shall pay _____% and defendant shall pay _____% of any childcare costs which are due to the employment of _____ or to allow _____ to obtain training or education necessary to obtain a job or enhance earning potential.
(Judge will complete this blank) (Judge will complete this blank)

16. Each party shall continue to have full and equal access to the education and medical records of the minor child(ren).

17. Either party may make emergency decisions affecting the health or safety of the minor child(ren) while the child(ren) is/are in the physical custody of such party.

18. The plaintiff and defendant shall furnish to the clerk of the district court their addresses, telephone numbers, Social Security numbers, names of their employers, whether or not they have access to employer-related health insurance coverage and, if so, the health insurance policy information, until any judgment to pay child support is paid in full. The parties are also required to advise the clerk of any changes in such information between the time of entry of the decree and the payment of the judgment in full. Failure to comply with this section shall be punishable by contempt.

19. In the event a party fails to pay any child, medical, or spousal support payment, as such failure is certified each month by the State Disbursement Unit in cases in which court-ordered support is delinquent in an amount equal to the support due and payable for a one-month period of time, that party shall be subject to income withholding

and may be required to appear in court on a date to be determined by the court and show cause why such payment was not made. In the event that such party fails to pay and appear as ordered, a warrant shall be issued for the arrest of that party.

20. Each party shall keep the property in each party's possession and shall be responsible for the debts each has incurred.

21. *(if applicable)* Plaintiff's or defendant's former name of

_____, is restored.
(former name, including first, middle and last names)

22. The parties shall pay their own court costs.

23. Neither party is awarded alimony.

24. Delinquent child support shall accrue interest at _____% per annum.

Dated: _____.

BY THE COURT:

_____
JUDGE