

**APPENDIX OF FORMS**

**Rule 1.1901 — Form 1: Form of Original Notice for Personal Service.**

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF

Petitioner  <p style="text-align: center;">vs.</p> Respondent	EQUITY No. _____  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>ORIGINAL NOTICE</b></p>
---	---

TO THE ABOVE-NAMED RESPONDENT:

You are notified that a petition has been filed in the office of the clerk of this court naming you as the Respondent in this action. A copy of the petition (and any documents filed with it) is attached to this notice. The attorney for the Petitioner is \_\_\_\_\_, whose address is \_\_\_\_\_, Iowa \_\_\_\_\_. That attorney's telephone number is \_\_\_\_\_; facsimile number \_\_\_\_\_.

You must serve a motion or answer within 20 days after service of this original notice upon you and, within a reasonable time thereafter, file your motion or answer with the Clerk of Court for \_\_\_\_\_ County, at the county courthouse in \_\_\_\_\_, Iowa. If you do not, judgment by default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

If you require the assistance of auxiliary aids or services to participate in court because of a disability, immediately call your district ADA coordinator at \_\_\_\_\_. (If you are hearing impaired, call Relay Iowa TTY at 1-800-735-2942).

(SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 CLERK OF COURT  
 \_\_\_\_\_ County Courthouse  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Iowa \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT**

**YOU ARE ADVISED TO SEEK LEGAL ADVICE AT ONCE TO PROTECT YOUR INTERESTS.**

[Report 1976; Report 1978, effective July 1, 1979; April 30, 1987, effective July 1, 1987; October 31, 1997, effective January 24, 1998; November 9, 2001, effective February 15, 2002]