

Penobscot Indian Nation  
Judicial System  
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12 Wabanaki Way  
Indian Island, Maine  
04468

PENOBSCOT NATION

Indian Island, ss

Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Plaintiff

v.

\_\_\_\_\_ Defendant

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF SUMMONS AND  
COMPLAINT OR POST- JUDGMENT MOTION  
M.R. Civ. P. 4(c)(1)**

**NOTICE**

Please sign the acknowledgement below and return this form in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope so it will be received by the send within 20 days from the day it was mailed to you. If you do not do this, you may be required by the Court to pay for the cost of serving the Summons and Complaint or Post-Judgment Motion on you.

**(Keep one copy of this form and the copy of the Complaint or Motion for your records)**

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**STATEMENT**

By signing, dating and returning this form, I state that I received a copy of the Summons and Complaint or a copy of the Post-Judgment Motion and that:

**AS TO ALL CIVIL COURT CASES, INCLUDING DIVORCE, JUDICIAL SEPERATION AND PARENTAL RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES,** I understand that if I do not file an answer to the Complaint or an objection to the Motion within the time limits established by statute or court rule and appear at all court conferences and hearings, then a judgment may be entered against me in my absence, and Plaintiff or the moving party may request that other orders be entered against me.

**AS TO DIVORCE, JUDICIAL SERPARATION, AND PARENTAGE AND PARENTAL RIGHTS RESPONSIBILITIES CASES,** I understand that if I do not want to file an Answer to the Complaint, but I do not want to heard on issues of parental rights and responsibilities regarding my children, alimony, support, counsel fees and division of marital and non-marital property, I must file an Entry of Appearance form and appear at all court conferences and hearings. I may file an Answer and Counterclaim to a divorce or parental rights and responsibilities' complaint. If I intend to file an Answer and Counterclaim, I understand it must be filed within 20 days of being served with the complaint. You can get these forms at the Tribal Court.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone :(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT WARNING**  
**YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTIFYING THE COURT CLERK OF ANY CHANGES TO YOUR ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER. IF YOU DON'T INFORM THE CLERK OF ANY CHANGES TO EITHER YOUR ADDRESS OR TELEPHONE NUMBER, IT MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE FOR YOU TO GET NOTICE OF ANY COURT CONFERENCES OR HEARINGS.**