

In re the Marriage of:

\_\_\_\_\_,  
(Petitioner)

**AFFIDAVIT OF EFFORTS TO LOCATE ABSENT  
RESPONDENT for Divorce, Legal Separation, or  
Annulment Actions**

and

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Respondent)

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

IVD Case \_\_\_\_\_

Being duly sworn on oath, I \_\_\_\_\_ (your name) declare that I am the petitioner in this action. I have been unable to locate the respondent in this matter. I have published proper notice under WI Statute § 801.11(1)(c). An Affidavit of Publication pursuant to WI Statute § 801.10(4)(b) has been filed with the Clerk of Courts.

The following factors should be considered in determining whether I have exercised reasonable diligence in attempting to locate and to notify the respondent of this court action prior to publication.

**CHECK OFF EACH ACTION WHEN COMPLETED**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. Respondent's last known address is \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- a. \_\_\_\_\_ The Sheriff has been unable to serve the respondent at the above address as evidenced by the attached Affidavit of Non-Service
- b. \_\_\_\_\_ Mail I have sent to that address has been returned to me by the US Post Office as evidenced by the attached envelopes
- c. \_\_\_\_\_ I went to the above address on \_\_\_\_\_ (date) and was told by the occupants that the respondent no longer resides at that address

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. I last had contact with or saw the respondent on \_\_\_\_\_ (date)

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. I contacted the respondent's relatives on \_\_\_\_\_ (date). They have no knowledge of the respondent's whereabouts.

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. I have no knowledge of the respondent's whereabouts.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. I have mailed an authenticated copy of the Summons and Petition to the respondent's last known address.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner's Signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me on

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin  
My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_