

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The Trial Court

Division _____

Probate and Family Court Department

Docket No. _____

COMPLAINT TO ESTABLISH PATERNITY

_____, Plaintiff v. _____, Defendant

1. Plaintiff, who resides at _____ (Street Address) _____ (City/Town) _____ (County) _____ (State) _____ (Zip), is

- Plaintiff is:
- the mother or father of a child born out of wedlock.
- a child born out of wedlock.
- the guardian or custodian of a child born out of wedlock.
- the parent or personal representative of the mother or father of a child born out of wedlock.
- the Department of Social Services or agency licensed under G.L. c. 28A.
- the Department of Revenue.

2. The child who is the subject of this complaint is:
Name _____ Date of Birth _____
_____ (Street address) _____ (City/Town) _____ (State) _____ (Zip)

3. Defendant, who resides at _____ (Street Address) _____ (City/Town) _____ (County) _____ (State) _____ (Zip), is the mother or father of the above-named child who was born out of wedlock.

4. The plaintiff and defendant are not married.
5. The mother of the child was not married at the time of the child's birth and was not married within three hundred days before the birth of the child.

- 6. Wherefore, the plaintiff requests that the Court:
- adjudicate the plaintiff or defendant to be the father of the child.
- order a suitable amount of support for the child.
- order the plaintiff or defendant to maintain or provide health insurance for the benefit of the child.
- prohibit the defendant from imposing any restraint on the personal liberty of the plaintiff and/or the child.
- grant the plaintiff or defendant custody of the child.
- grant the plaintiff or defendant parenting time with the child.

Date _____
_____, (Signature of attorney or plaintiff, if pro se)
_____, (Print name)
_____, (Street address)
_____, (City/Town) _____ (State) _____ (Zip)

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