

**IN THE JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE NAVAJO NATION
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF _____**

Docket No. _____

INTERROGATORIES TO GARNISHEE

_____, Petitioner

_____, Respondent

_____, Garnishee

Instructions: Garnishee, you are to answer these interrogatories under oath as part of your answer to the writ of garnishment that has been served on you. You shall file your answers to these interrogatories with your Answer with the Clerk of this Court within ten (10) business days of the date the writ is served on you, with copies to the Petitioner and Respondent.

A. Answer the following if you owe or will owe earnings to the Respondent for personal services. If not applicable to you, proceed to Section (B).

(1) Respondent is a **Full-time Employee**
 Part-time Employee, @ _____ hrs/week
 Other (Explain) _____

(2) What is Respondent's hourly rate of pay or other manner of compensation?

Answer: _____

(3) What is the date of Respondent's next pay date?

Answer: _____

(4) After subtracting only state and federal deductions and withholdings (e.g. FICA, Medicare, federal income tax, state income tax, etc.), what is the amount of Respondent's earnings for the pay period during which this writ was served?

Answer: \$ _____

(5) Multiply the above amount by 15%.

Answer: \$ _____

(6) Pursuant to 2 N.N.C. § 3810, only disposable earnings in excess of \$217.50 per week (30 X Fed. Min. Wage of \$7.25) may be garnished under the Garnishment Act. As a named Garnishee you shall withhold the lesser of 15% of Respondent's disposable

earnings in any pay period, or his/her disposable earnings in excess of 30 times federal minimum wage per 40-day workweek, adjusted to the timeframe of Respondent's pay period.

(a) What is Respondent's pay period?

Answer: **Weekly** **Biweekly** **Semi-monthly** **Monthly** **Other**____

(b) Multiply \$217.50 by the number of weeks in Respondent's pay period.

Answer: \$ _____

(c) Subtract the amount in (6)(b) from the amount in (4).

Answer: \$ _____

(7) Write down the lesser of the two amounts you wrote down in (5) or (6)(c).

Answer: \$ _____ **** THIS IS THE AMOUNT OF RESPONDENT'S EARNINGS THAT YOU MUST IMMEDIATELY WITHHOLD UNTIL FURTHER ORDER OF THE COURT. ****

B. Answer the following if, at the time of service of the Writ of Garnishment, you had in your possession or control Respondent's assets, or are indebted to Respondent for assets, which are defined as personal property and monies that are not earnings or real property, such as chattels, cash, bank accounts, securities, notes, and accounts receivables that Respondent has an interest in.

(1) What is the total amount of your indebtedness to the Respondent, if any?

Answer: \$ _____

(2) At the time of service of the Writ of Garnishment, did you have, in your possession or under your control, any of Respondent's assets or assets in which that Respondent has an interest? If "yes", identify and describe the asset(s); the value of the asset(s); and Respondent's interest in the asset(s).

Answer:

(use additional sheets if necessary)

