

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF ORANGE

720 FILING AND ESTABLISHMENT OF PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP
PURSUANT TO A GESTATIONAL SURROGACY (Fam. Code, §§7620 and 7960, *et seq.*)

(a) Filing Petition. A party seeking to establish a parent-child relationship pursuant to gestational surrogacy must file the Petition to Determine Parental Relationship (“Petition”) in the Lamoreaux Justice Center.

(b) Petition and Supporting Papers. The petition (FL-200) must be filed with the following documents.

- (1) Petitioner(s) Documents:
 - (A) Gestational Surrogacy Cover Sheet – completed and signed;
 - (B) Confidential - Party Identification and Notice of Related Case(s) (OCSC Local Form L-1120);
 - (C) Confidential Cover Sheet- Parentage Action Involving Assisted Reproduction (FL-211);
 - (D) Summons (FL-210);
 - (E) Stipulation for Entry of Judgment Re: Determination of Parental Relationship (FL-240);
 - (F) Appearance, Stipulations, and Waivers (FL-130);
 - (G) Declaration for Default or Uncontested Judgment (FL-230);
 - (H) Advisement and Waiver of Rights Re: Determination of Parental Relationship (FL-235);
 - (I) Judgment (FL-250);
 - (J) Notice of Entry of Judgment (FL-190);
 - (K) Lodge original Gestational Carriers Agreement, executed and notarized (Notice of Lodgment);
 - (L) Declaration(s) of IVF doctor;
 - (M) Declaration of Petitioner(s);
 - (N) Declaration of attorney for Petitioner(s) including as an exhibit a criminal background check for Petitioner(s).
- (2) Respondent(s) Documents:
 - (A) Appearance, Stipulations, and Waivers (FL-130);
 - (B) Declaration for Default or Uncontested Judgment (FL-230);
 - (C) Advisement and Waiver of Rights Re: Determination of Parental Relationship (FL-235);
 - (D) Stipulation For Entry of Judgment Re: Determination of Parental Relationship (FL-240);
 - (E) Declaration of Respondent(s);
 - (F) Declaration of Attorney for Respondent(s).

(Rule 720 new and effective January 01, 2023)