

Divorce Sequence of Events - If You Are Applying as Co-petitioners

1. Get the divorce forms either on line at:
http://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/rules/forms_e.php?set=1 or at the Law Courts – 408 York.
2. Order your Marriage Certificate from the Department of Vital Statistics or its equivalent in the jurisdiction where the marriage took place (see page 10).
3. Together, fill out the Petition for Divorce (Form 70A) and Financial Statement (Form 70D) if necessary.
4. File the Petition for Divorce (Form 70A) and your marriage certificate at Court, and pay the fee of \$160.00. The Court will apply for the CDR search and certificate.
5. Call the court registry office to confirm the CDR certificate has arrived (it will take about 6 - 8 weeks).
6. Go to the court registry office and fill out a requisition (Form 4E) for an affidavit divorce. The form will be given to you at the court registry office. Deputy Registrars and any court staff cannot assist you in filling out your forms. Take with you:
 - three copies of a completed Divorce Judgment (Form 70O), and
 - two envelopes with postage, one addressed to you and one to your spouse.

At this time you must also file an Affidavit of Petitioner's Evidence (Form 70M).

7. You will be informed whether the court has granted your divorce by mail. If the judge signs the divorce judgment, one copy will be mailed to you and one copy will be mailed to your spouse, unless the judge orders otherwise. The court staff will include information about CPP credit splitting.
8. You can order a Certificate of Divorce 31 days after your divorce is granted from the Court of Queen's Bench Registry Office where your divorce was granted. The cost is \$20.00.