STATE OF ILLINOIS, CIRCUIT COURT	CERTIFICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM E-FILING	*For Court Use Only*
_____ COUNTY		

Directly above, enter the name of the county where the case was filed.

Enter the name of the person who started the lawsuit as Plaintiff/Petitioner.

Enter the name of the person being sued as Defendant/Respondent

Enter the Case Number given by the Circuit Clerk or leave this blank if you do not have one.

Plaintiff / Petitioner *(First, middle, last name)*

v.

Defendant / Respondent *(First, middle, last name)*

Case Number

In **1**, check the reasons you are asking to file by mail or in person. You should check all that apply.

1. I am not able to e-file documents in this case for the following reasons *(check all that apply)* **:**

☐ I am representing myself and do not have the Internet or a computer in my home. My only access is through a public terminal at a courthouse, library, or other location. This poses a financial or other hardship.

☐ I am representing myself and have a disability that prevents me from e-filing.

☐ I am representing myself and have trouble reading, writing, or speaking in English.

☐ I am filing a document in a sensitive case, such as a petition for an order of protection or a civil no contact/stalking order.

2. Illinois Supreme Court Rule 9(c)(4) allows for an exemption from e-filing for good cause. For the above reasons, I need a good cause exemption from e-filing for my entire case or until I am able to e-file.

Under the Code of Civil Procedure, 735 ILCS 5/1-109, making a statement on this form that you know to be false is perjury, a Class 3 Felony.

After you finish this form, sign and print your name.

Enter your complete address and telephone number.

I certify that everything in the *Certification for Exemption from E-filing* is true and correct. I understand that making a false statement on this form is perjury and has penalties provided by law under 735 ILCS 5/1-109.

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Your Signature

_____
Print Your Name

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Street Address

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City, State, ZIP

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Telephone