

Finding Your Judgment of Divorce

Follow these three steps to get a copy of your judgment of divorce:

Step One: Look up Your Case Number

- Search online at mdcourts.gov/casesearch – Search using your name. For best results, narrow your search by case type, court system, county, or filing date. Select your name from the list of cases to view a summary of the case record. Your case number and the address of the courthouse where the file is kept are at the top of the summary.

OR

- Call the courthouse – Call the circuit court where your case was heard. A clerk can look up your case number using your name. Court locations and phone numbers are listed at mdcourts.gov/courtsdirectory.

Watch the Video



Step Two: Go to the Circuit Court

- Copies of divorce decrees and other documents in the case file are not available online. Go to the courthouse where the divorce was granted to get a copy of these documents.
- Give the staff your case number and let them know you would like to view the file. They may ask you to complete a request form and to see your identification.
- You may then look through the case file in the presence of a clerk or other court staff. The court staff is there to help by answering questions and identifying documents.
- Some counties may also have a public kiosk that you can use to search for your file.

Step 3: Pay for the Copies

- The clerk will charge you a fee for copies. The fee is based on the number of pages.
- True test or certified copies are also available for an additional fee.



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