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DISTRICT COURT

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In the District Court of Utah
SECOND Judicial District DAVIS County
Court Address 800 WEST STATE STREET, P. O. BOX 769, FARMINGTON, UT, 84025

| In the Matter of (select one) | **Divorce Decree** |
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| [x] the Marriage of (for a divorce with or without children, annulment, separate maintenance, or temporary separation case) | 264701345<br>Case Number |
| Richard John Russo<br>(name of Petitioner) | Judge Joseph M. Bean<br>Judge |
| and | |
| Maria Esther Somarriba Mendoza<br>(name of Respondent) | Commissioner (domestic cases) |
| Other parties (if any) | |

The court decrees:

## Divorce

1. Richard John Russo is granted a divorce based on the Declaration of Jurisdiction and Grounds signed by Richard John Russo. The divorce will become final upon entry of the divorce decree.

## Children (Utah Code 81-6-101(7))

2. **Richard John Russo** and **Maria Esther Somarriba Mendoza** do not have any children together.

- We do not have any children together who are minors. A minor is a child under 18 who has not been married or otherwise emancipated.
- We are not expecting a child.
- We do not have incapacitated adult children together who are eligible for child support, or, **Richard John Russo** is not asking for child support for any adult child who is eligible for child support.

## Personal property (Utah Code Title 81, Chapters 1, 4, 6, and 9)

3. All personal property not addressed in the divorce should be divided as the parties have already divided it.

Vehicles

4. Vehicles will be divided as follows:

a.
Year: **2014**
Make: **Honda**
Model: **CRV**
VIN: **2HKRM4H37EH651752**
Owner (before divorce): **Richard John Russo**
Current value: **$5,700.00**
Amounts Estimated: **yes**
Basis of Estimation: **Kelly Blue Book**
Ownership After Divorce: **Richard John Russo**
I.
Lender: **America First Credit Union**
Address: **425 W Heritage Park Blvd, Layton Utah 84041**
Date Acquired: **N/A**
Amount Owed: **$11,035.61**
Amounts Estimated: **no**
Monthly Payment: **$232.00**
The debt will be paid as follows: **Richard John Russo will pay the entire debt. Richard John Russo will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.**

## Debts

5. Each party will be ordered to assume and pay debts as follows. The party assuming

the debt must put the debt in their name and pay it. If they can't put the debt in their name, they must still pay it. If a party pays a debt they are not responsible for, they can recover that amount from the responsible party.

**Credit Card Debt**

a.

Account Number: **3347**
Institution Name: **Discover Card**
Address: **1680 Capital One Drive, McLean, VA 22102-3491**
Amount owed on debt (in US Dollars): **$1,916.29**
Minimum Monthly Payment (in US Dollars): **$68.00**
Owner: **Richard John Russo**
The debt will be paid as follows: **Richard John Russo will pay the entire debt. Richard John Russo will provide a copy of the divorce decree to the lender.**

## Real property

6. The parties do not have any real property that is marital property. The parties do not need a court order about real property.

# Alimony

7. Neither party will pay alimony.

## Retirement money

8. The parties do not need a court order about retirement money.

## Additional provisions

9. The parties will adhere to the following additional provisions:

a.

Additional Provision: **Tax Liability and Indemnification Provision 1. Allocation of 2022 Tax Debt. The parties acknowledge and agree that an outstanding tax liability is owed to the Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service for the 2022 tax year, totaling $8,201.01 as of July 22, 2026. 2. Sole Responsibility and Installment Payments by Richard John Russo. Richard John Russo shall assume sole and exclusive responsibility for the payment of the aforementioned 2022 tax debt. Commencing on 07/22/2026, and continuing by 28th day of each month thereafter, Richard John Russo shall make monthly payments of at least $59.00 directly toward this outstanding 2022 tax liability. Richard John Russo shall continue making these monthly payments of $59.00 until such time as the parties are legally able to and do file tax returns**

**independently, or until the liability is paid in full, whichever occurs first. 3. Future Division Post-Independent Filing. Once the parties have transitioned to filing tax returns independently, any remaining balance of the 2022 tax liability, including any accrued interest or penalties, shall be divided equally 50% to Richard John Russo and 50% to Maria Esther Somarriba Mendoza. From that date forward, each party shall be strictly and solely responsible for paying their respective 50% share of the remaining balance according to the payment schedule established by the tax authority. 4. Indemnification and Hold Harmless. Richard John Russo shall indemnify, defend, and hold Maria harmless from and against any and all liability, claims, demands, penalties, interest, liens, or legal actions arising out of his failure to make the monthly payments assigned to him under Paragraph 2, or his failure to pay his allocated share of the debt as outlined in Paragraph 3.**

## Duty to sign documents

10. The parties will sign all documents necessary to comply with the divorce decree within 60 days from entry of the decree. If a party fails to sign a document within 60 days, the other party may ask the court to appoint someone to sign the document. (Utah Rule of Civil Procedure 70)

Judge's signature may instead appear at the top of the first page of this document.

10-23-26
Date

Signature ▶ Joseph M. Bean

Judge Joseph M. Bean

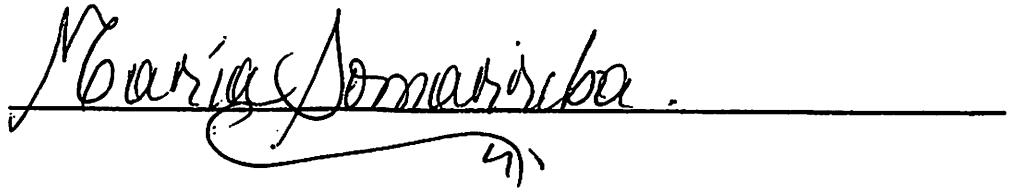
STATE OF UTAH JANUARY 4, 1896 JUDICIARY

Signature ▶

Date

Commissioner

Approved as to Form.

Other Party Signature ▶ 

Other Party Name Maria Esther Somarriba Mendoza

## Certificate of Service

I certify that I filed with the court and am serving a copy of this Divorce Decree on the following people.

a.
Name: **Maria Esther Somarriba Mendoza**
Method of service: **Email**
Address: **freedom4ever50@myyahoo.com**
Date of Service: **Oct 22, 2026**

10/22/2026
Date

Signature ▶ Richard John Russo

Printed Name Richard John Russo