

Informed Consent and Disclosure of Nonrepresentation

I understand that attorney John Smith represents my spouse _____ in what we anticipate will be an agreed dissolution of marriage proceeding. I wish to participate with my spouse as the necessary documents are prepared to dissolve our marriage, which may involve discussions with him and attorney John Smith.

As the attorney for my spouse, **John Smith cannot represent my interests** as he represents my spouse's opposing interests, which are adverse to mine. I understand that I cannot rely on him for independent legal advice and I am free to withdraw and seek independent counsel at any time or I can have another lawyer review any documents before I sign them. Simply put, a lawyer cannot represent opposing parties in a lawsuit and even though everything may be agreed, a marriage dissolution proceeding is a lawsuit.

This does not mean that the three of us cannot work together to reach an agreement that we can all approve. In fact, we intend to do just that.

Signature

Printed name

Date signed

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**No appearance is entered as counsel
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