FAMILY COURT SERVICES - ROOM 2150 501 WEST ADAMS STREET, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202 (904) 255-1060

CHECKLIST FOR: PETITION TO DISESTABLISH PATERNITY AND/OR TERMINATE CHILD SUPPORT OBLIGATION

This form should be used <u>by a man</u> who wishes to disestablish paternity or terminate a child support obligation because he is <u>not</u> the biological father of the child(ren).

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **1.** Go to <u>www.flcourts.org</u> **(select)** Self Help, Family Law Forms for the forms. **Fully complete** the forms below.
- 2. Make sure the appropriate forms are notarized.
- **3.** After notarizing make **3 copies** of **each** from.
- 4. File your original documents with the Family Law Clerk of Courts Room 2474 2nd floor.
- 5. The Clerks Office will issue the **Summons** (instructions on next page).

An additional **Summons** needs to be issued to DOR/CSE:

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE/CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT UNIT

ATTN: Service Center Manager

Bldg. A - Room 150

921 N. Davis Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

ALL FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED TO START YOUR CASE

Form 12.951(a)
 Petition to Disestablish Paternity and/or Terminate Child Support Obligation
Form 12.900(h) (Must be Filed)
 Notice of Related Cases
Form 12.902(d)
 Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act Affidavit (UCCJEA)
COPY - Birth Certificate
o English translation must accompany documents written in language other than English
COPY PRIOR ORDER - Order Establishing Paternity/Child Support Obligation
PRINTOUT of your 'Pay History' from the Domestic Relations Depository (DRD) (1st Floor - Room 1053)
<u>Proof of Disestablishing Paternity:</u>
o <u>TEST RESULTS</u>
 Scientific test results administered by acceptable lab within 90 days prior to filing
OR AFFIDAVIT - Petitioner's Affidavit re: newly discovered evidence

HOW TO SERVE THE OTHER PARTY...

☐ Proof of Service using the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office in DUVAL COUNTY

Bring the following forms COMPLETED to Room 2474 Family Law Clerk's Office for a clerk to sign:

- Form 12.910(a) Personal Summons
- Form 12.910(b) Process Service Memorandum

Once the forms are signed by the clerk, take the following:

- Copies of Filed Forms
- Summons
- Process Service Memorandum
- \$40.00 service fee to the Sheriff's Civil Process Unit

Sheriff's Civil Process Unit

5th Floor, Duval County Courthouse Room 5141 (Exit out of elevators, turn left; JSO Badge on door) Office Hours 8AM-4PM Office Phone Number: 904-255-2470

☐ Proof of Service using Sheriff's Office OUTSIDE of Duval County

IF the other party lives outside of Duval County, **YOU MUST** mail or physically take your copied documents **including** the Summons; to the Sheriff's Office in the city/county/state where the <u>other party</u> lives.

You should contact the Sheriff's Office to determine the service fee, number of copies needed, and any other items they may require such as a self-addressed stamped envelope.