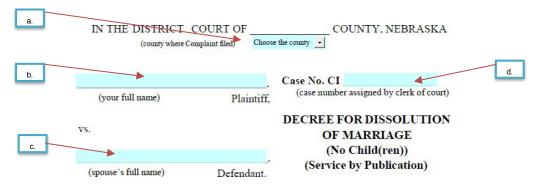
## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE DECREE FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE

(No Children) (Service by Publication)

## **HEADING**

- a. Choose the county in the drop down box below the first blank. This is where you filed the complaint.
- b. Enter your name. You are the plaintiff.
- c. Enter your spouse's name. Your spouse is the defendant.
- d. The clerk of the district court gave you a case number when you filed the complaint. You must include the case number on any papers you file.



## **BODY OF DECREE**

a. In the first paragraph enter the date of your final court hearing. This paragraph does not have a number.

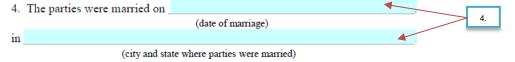


The numbers below give instructions for completing the paragraphs with the same numbers on the Decree.

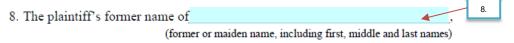
Paragraph 1. Enter the name of the county where the divorce was filed. Either you or your spouse must have been a resident of this county at the time the divorce was filed.



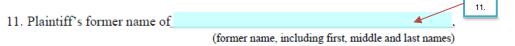
Paragraph 4. Enter the date you were married and the city and state where you were married.



Paragraph 8. If you are requesting that your former name be restored, enter the complete former name to be restored including first, middle, and last names. If you are not requesting that your former name be restored to you, cross out this paragraph.



Paragraph 11. If you are requesting that your former name be restored, enter the complete former name to be restored including first, middle, and last names. If you are not requesting that your former name be restored to you, cross out this paragraph.



## **FINAL SIGNATURE**

If the court approves the Decree, the judge will date and sign the Decree.

The Decree must be filed with the clerk of the court before it can be finalized. You should check with the clerk's office after the final hearing to update or provide any information necessary, including information for the vital statistics form.