

Rule 58.1

**PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS IN
DOMESTIC CASES**

(1) Availability; Procedures for Use. The provisions of this rule shall apply in domestic relations cases, including dissolution of marriage, legal separation, motions to modify and declaration of paternity cases, except as they conflict herein.

(2) Scope. Any party who shall serve on any other party a request to produce a designated document shall attach to the request for production a copy of any such document that they would be required to produce had the request been made to them. If the proponent does not have such documents they shall attach a verified statement that such documents are not in their possession or control. All requests shall be prepared in such a form as to make them gender neutral and party neutral.

(3) Extension of Time. Requests for extension of time to produce documents shall be first made to the other party or their attorney. If there is no objection to the request for additional time, a copy of the extension shall not be filed with the court file unless an order is requested under Supreme Court Rule 61.01(b) with respect to any objection to or subsequent failure to produce the requested documents.

(4) Objections. Objections to production of document requests shall be filed and noticed for hearing within thirty days of the filing of the request or certificate of service; otherwise, any objections shall be deemed waived.

[Authority: Supreme Court Order dated February 14, 1994 pursuant to Administrative rule 6.04.]

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