

MASHANTUCKET PEQUOT TRIBAL COURT



Mashantucket Pequot
Tribal Nation
Tribal Court

FOR COURT USE ONLY
DOCKET NO.

Mother / Father) , **Plaintiff**

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PATERNITY BY FATHER

v.

(Mother / Father), **Defendant**

This proceeding involves a request for the Tribal Court to determine the custody of the following child(ren):

Child's Name	Date of Birth	Child's Name	Date of Birth

Acknowledgment of Paternity

I hereby acknowledge that I, _____, the above-named Plaintiff / Defendant in the current action, am the biological father of the above-named child(ren). I understand that by acknowledging paternity of the child(ren) that I become legally obligated to the child(ren) and acquire certain responsibilities, including support and maintenance, and am also entitled to certain rights, as may be ordered by the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Court pursuant to 6 M.P.T.L. ch. 7 § 5.

Waiver of Hearing and Right to Attorney

I, _____, the above-named Plaintiff / Defendant, hereby

waive my right to a hearing on any paternity petition

waive my right to be represented by an attorney at my own expense

This waiver is executed knowingly, voluntarily, and intelligently. The information contained herein is based on personal information, and is true and accurate to my best belief and knowledge.

Dated: _____

Plaintiff/Defendant

Personally appeared the above named Plaintiff / Defendant and signed and made oath to the foregoing, before me, on:

Date: _____

Clerk of the Court / Deputy Clerk / Tribal Court Judge
Tribal Bar Member / Notary Public
Family Relations Officer