



## DISTRICT COURT

### NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT (NOT FOR WAGES)

<b>Plaintiff/Creditor</b>	<b>Civil Action File Number</b>
<b>Defendant/Debtor</b>	<b>Attorney for the Plaintiff/Creditor or the Plaintiff/Creditor</b>
<b>Trustee (Person/Entity Holding Property)</b>	<b>Address of the Plaintiff/Creditor's Attorney or the Plaintiff/Creditor</b>
<b>Description of Property Attached</b>	<b>Address of the Defendant/Debtor</b>

<input type="checkbox"/> Murray Judicial Complex 2 <sup>nd</sup> Division District Court 45 Washington Square Newport, Rhode Island 02840-2913 *(401) 841-8350	<input type="checkbox"/> Noel Judicial Complex 3 <sup>rd</sup> Division District Court 222 Quaker Lane Warwick, Rhode Island 02886-0107 *(401) 822-6750
<input type="checkbox"/> McGrath Judicial Complex 4 <sup>th</sup> Division District Court 4800 Tower Hill Road Wakefield, Rhode Island 02879-2239 *(401) 782-4131	<input type="checkbox"/> Garrahy Judicial Complex 6 <sup>th</sup> Division District Court One Dorrance Plaza Providence, Rhode Island 02903-2719 *(401) 458-5400

#### DATE, TIME, AND LOCATION OF HEARING

<b>HEARING DATE:</b> <b>A HEARING WILL BE HELD ONLY IF YOU FILE A TIMELY OBJECTION</b>	<b>TIME:</b>	<b>COURTROOM:</b>
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**OBJECTION DATE:**  
**YOU MUST FILE AN OBJECTION BY THIS DATE OR THERE WILL BE NO HEARING**

The above-named Plaintiff/Creditor has obtained a judgment against the Defendant/Debtor and has attached your property being held by the above-named Trustee (see the enclosed Writ of Attachment). Now the issue is whether the attached property or funds will be used to satisfy all or part of that judgment. You may have rights to claim an exemption and have the property released. For example, the property or funds may be exempt if it is from:

- ◆ Social security ◆ Pension and retirement funds ◆ Unemployment benefits ◆ Public assistance
- ◆ Temporary disability benefits ◆ Workers' compensation benefit ◆ Certain life insurance benefits



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You may have other exemptions. This is not a complete list. The court allows a hearing where you may claim an exemption that may stop the attachment.

### CERTIFICATION

I certify that on \_\_\_\_\_, service of the Writ of Attachment was made on the Trustee, and on the same date I mailed by regular mail, postage prepaid, copies of the Writ of Attachment and this Notice of Attachment (Not for Wages) to the Defendant/Debtor at the address listed above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the Plaintiff/Creditor's Attorney or the Plaintiff/Creditor

### TO THE DEFENDANT/DEBTOR: HOW TO OBJECT TO ATTACHMENT

If you claim an exemption, you must complete the attached Defendant/Debtor's Objection to Notice of Attachment (Not for Wages) and file it with the clerk on or before the Objection Date (listed above). You are also required to mail a copy of your objection to the Plaintiff/Creditor's attorney or to the Plaintiff/Creditor directly if self-represented. If you file a timely objection, you must appear in court on the Hearing Date listed above. If you do not file an objection, the Plaintiff/Creditor will be allowed to use the attached property to satisfy the judgment against you.

If you need language assistance, please contact the Office of Court Interpreters at (401) 222-8710 or by email at [interpreterfeedback@courts.ri.gov](mailto:interpreterfeedback@courts.ri.gov) before your court appearance.

\* If an accommodation for a disability is necessary, please contact the District Court Clerk's Office at the telephone number listed above as soon as possible. TTY users can contact the District Court through Rhode Island Relay at 7-1-1 or 1-800-745-5555 (TTY) to voice number.

**FAILURE TO FILE AN OBJECTION BY THE ASSIGNED OBJECTION DATE MAY RESULT IN THE CONTINUED ATTACHMENT OF YOUR PROPERTY.**



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_:

I filed and served this document through the electronic filing system on the following parties:

\_\_\_\_\_  
The document electronically filed and served is available for viewing and/or downloading from the Rhode Island Judiciary’s Electronic Filing System.

I served this document through the electronic filing system on the following parties:

\_\_\_\_\_  
The document electronically served is available for viewing and/or downloading from the Rhode Island Judiciary’s Electronic Filing System.

I mailed or  hand-delivered this document to the attorney for the opposing party and/or the opposing party if self-represented, whose name is \_\_\_\_\_ at the following address \_\_\_\_\_.

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
Name

**DISTRICT COURT****DEFENDANT/DEBTOR'S OBJECTION TO NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT (NOT FOR WAGES)**

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Listed below are several possible defenses to the attachment of your property which the Plaintiff/Creditor has filed against you. If one or more of these defenses apply to your case, check the appropriate box(es) below and sign the form. There may be other defenses not listed here. You may consult an attorney and seek representation before filling out this Objection.



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- Social security     Pension and retirement funds     Unemployment benefits
- Temporary disability benefits     Public assistance     Workers' compensation benefits
- Certain life insurance benefits     Other \_\_\_\_\_

**WHEREFORE:** Because of the defense(s) indicated above, I ask that the court deny the Plaintiff/Creditor's attachment and release my property back to me.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, I filed this Objection with the court at the address listed above and:

- I filed and served this document through the electronic filing system on the following parties:

\_\_\_\_\_  
The document electronically filed and served is available for viewing and/or downloading from the Rhode Island Judiciary's Electronic Filing System.

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- I mailed or  hand-delivered this document to the attorney for the opposing party and/or the opposing party if self-represented, whose name is \_\_\_\_\_ at the following address \_\_\_\_\_.

/s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the Defendant/Debtor's Attorney or the Defendant/Debtor

**TO DEFENDANT/DEBTOR: NOTE THE FOLLOWING**

1. This Objection is your response to the Plaintiff/Creditor's attachment of your property.
2. ON or BEFORE the above Objection Date, the court and the Plaintiff/Creditor's attorney or the Plaintiff/Creditor, must receive your Objection.
3. If you file an Objection, you must appear in court on the Hearing Date listed above to claim your objection.
4. If you do not file an Objection and appear, the attachment of your property will be allowed.

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