

2.00 Commencement of Action, Service of Process, and Scheduling of Cases

2.03 Process, Attachment, Trustee Process, Arrest. The summons, Small Claims Notice of Suit, Language Assistance Notice, and all other required documents shall be served together. The most current version of the forms are located on the Judiciary's website at www.courts.ri.gov under the heading of Public Resources, Forms. The cost assessed to a defendant shall not exceed the cost established by G.L. § 9-29-9. For purposes of service of process upon corporations and on persons outside of the State of Rhode Island, subsections (D)(3) and (E), respectively, shall apply.

(K) *Attachment and Trustee Process.*

- (4) *Writ of Attachment: Service.* The plaintiff's attorney or a self-represented litigant shall deliver to the officer making service a copy of the proposed writ of attachment together with a copy of the motion for its issuance and the notice of hearing thereof. When the summons, Small Claims Notice of Suit, Language Assistance Notice, and all other required documents are served upon the defendant as provided in subdivisions (D) through (G) of this rule, the defendant shall also be served with a copy of the proposed writ of attachment and of the motion for its issuance with the notice of the hearing thereof. An attachment made after service of the summons, Small Claims Notice of Suit, Language Assistance Notice, and all other required documents shall be made as provided in paragraph (6) of this subdivision.