

Superior Court Law Library

Self-Help Research Guide

JUDGMENTS

This Self-Help Resource Guide is designed to provide legal information and resources beyond what the Self-Service Center provides. Please contact the Law Library if you need any additional information:

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CERTIFICATES OF NON-RENEWAL

- Usually used in cases where a party's drivers license has been suspended due to a civil judgment.
- See A.R.S. §28-4073 available at:
<http://www.azleg.state.az.us/ArizonaRevisedStatutes.asp?Title=28>
- Go to the Maricopa County Superior Court Clerk of Court Customer Service Center at 601 W. Jackson. The Clerk will search the case file and if appropriate, issue a Certificate of Non-Renewal.
- Justice Courts will also issue a Certificate of Non-Renewal.
- A further explanation can be found in *How To Collect a Money Judgment* on page 5 under "Judgment Liens on Drivers Licenses" available at
http://justicecourts.maricopa.gov/HowTo/Collect_Money_Judgment_packet.pdf

DEFAULT JUDGMENTS

- See Arizona Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 55 available at:
<http://government.westlaw.com/linkedslice/default.asp?SP=AZR-1000>

CIVIL FOREIGN JUDGMENTS

- See A.R.S. §§12-1701 through 12-1708 available at:
<http://www.azleg.state.az.us/ArizonaRevisedStatutes.asp?Title=12>
- Forms and instructions can be found on the Clerk of Court's page at:
<http://www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov/eformsondemand/203.pdf#zoom=100>

FAMILY SUPPORT OR CUSTODY FOREIGN JUDGMENTS

- Forms and instructions can be found on the Self-Service Center page at:
<http://www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/SuperiorCourt/Self-ServiceCenter/Forms/FamilyCourt/index.asp>

HOW TO COLLECT A JUDGMENT

- There are various ways to collect a judgment. The Court does not collect judgments for a party. Some resources include:
 - The Justice Court's packet on How to Collect a Money Judgment available at: http://justicecourts.maricopa.gov/HowTo/Collect_Money_Judgment_packet.pdf
 - Forms for garnishment of earnings for Justice Court matters are available at: http://justicecourts.maricopa.gov/HowTo/Writ_of_Garnishment_packet.pdf
 - Forms for garnishment of non-earnings for Justice Court matters are available at: http://justicecourts.maricopa.gov/HowTo/Writ_of_Garnishment_packet.pdf
- Garnishment forms are also available on the Supreme Court's page at:
 - <http://www.supreme.state.az.us/selfserv/garnishment.htm> (earnings)
 - <http://www.supreme.state.az.us/selfserv/garnishmentNE.htm> (non-earnings)

HOW TO FIND THE OTHER PARTY'S ASSETS (CALLED SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDINGS)

- See A.R.S. §§12-1631 through 12-1635 available at: <http://www.azleg.state.az.us/ArizonaRevisedStatutes.asp?Title=12>
- See Arizona Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 69, available at: <http://government.westlaw.com/linkedslice/default.asp?SP=AZR-1000>

RENEWAL OF JUDGMENTS

- See A.R.S. §§12-1611 through 12-1613 available at: <http://www.azleg.state.az.us/ArizonaRevisedStatutes.asp?Title=12>

SATISFACTION OF JUDGMENT and RELEASE OF LIEN

- See A.R.S. §§33-964 available at: <http://www.azleg.state.az.us/ArizonaRevisedStatutes.asp?Title=33>
- Forms and instructions are also available on the Clerk of Court's page available at: <http://www.clerkofcourt.maricopa.gov/eformsondemand/110.pdf#zoom=100>