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Attorney-Assisted, California Uncontested Divorce Service

EARLE LAW OFFICES believes strongly in the sanctity of marriage. However, because we also understand that divorce is sometimes the best of available options, EARLE LAW OFFICES provides economical attorney assistance with the preparation of legal documents required by California law and courts in uncontested dissolution of marriage (divorce) cases.

Clients who use our Attorney-Assisted, California Uncontested Divorce Service (CA-UDS) are self-represented, and are able to complete the divorce process without ever having to visit a courtroom or our law office. To use the CA-UDS, clients simply provide EARLE LAW OFFICES with necessary supporting documents and data. EARLE LAW OFFICES then prepares all required court papers, which are reviewed by an attorney for technical sufficiency. Completed documents are then forwarded to the client, who files or submits the documents to the court.

In order to take advantage of the CA-UDS, clients must possess the ability to communicate with our law office by telephone and by electronic mail, and must also have the ability to view and print documents which have been prepared in the Adobe portable document format (pdf).

Prospective cases, to be suitable for the CA-UDS, must meet two requirements: (1) At least one spouse must be a California resident (any California county) and (2) both spouses must be in agreement on all issues which are legally relevant to the divorce case. As described in the following table, two CA-UDS plans are available: Plan One: Services are provided to only one spouse. Plan Two: Services are provided jointly to both spouses.

Services	<u>Plan One</u> \$2,699* ¹	<u>Plan Two</u> \$3,399* ²
Attorney-Client Privileged Communications	✓	
Attorney representation available if dispute arises (selected San Francisco Bay Area counties only; additional fees apply)	✓	
One hour initial telephone consultation with attorney	✓	✓
Binding arbitration services available for issues which unexpectedly become contested/disputed (additional fees apply)		✓

* Court filing fees and other third party fees not included.

¹ Fees for Plan One UDS cases include a 5 percent discount for payment made by cash or check. The standard (non-discounted) fee of \$2,841.05 applies where payment is made by credit card or debit card.

² Fees for Plan Two UDS cases include a 5 percent discount for payment made by cash or check. The standard (non-discounted) fee of \$3,577.89 applies where payment is made by credit card or debit card.

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Forms Prepared	Plan One	Plan Two
Petition for Dissolution of Marriage	✓	✓
Summons – Family Law	✓	✓
Proof of Service of Summons/Notice of Acknowledgment and Receipt	✓	✓
Declaration of Preliminary Disclosure	Petitioner	Petitioner Respondent
Income and Expense Declaration	Petitioner	Petitioner Respondent
Schedule of Assets and Debts	Petitioner	Petitioner Respondent
Declaration re: Service of Declaration of Disclosure and Income and Expense Declaration	Petitioner	Petitioner Respondent
Marital Settlement Agreement	✓	✓
Judgment of Dissolution of Marriage	✓	✓
Notice of Entry of Judgment	✓	✓

In Plan Two cases which unexpectedly become contested (disputed) as to one or more issues, EARLE LAW OFFICES offers clients binding arbitration services – for an additional fee – the focus of which is to resolve contested issues fairly, expeditiously, and at substantially less expense than otherwise would likely be incurred through traditional litigation. Arbitration services are not offered in Plan One cases for reasons relating to client confidentiality and conflict-of-interest.

Traditional, full-service legal representation is available for most cases which are not suitable for the CA-UDS, provided venue will be, or is, in a court located in the San Francisco Bay Area.