

# Request to File a Determination of a Parenting Coordinator Form 27

**Provincial Court Family Rules** 

# You can complete and file most family forms online using the Family Law Act Online Forms Service.

Access the service at <u>justice.gov.bc.ca/apply-for-family-order</u>.

The free service includes guided pathways that ask you questions and put your answers into the required court forms. When you're finished, you can save and file your forms electronically or print them to file in person.



A PDF version of this form is available online for download at www.gov.bc.ca/court-forms.

### For courthouse locations, addresses, and contact information visit:

www.gov.bc.ca/courthouselocations

### Family law:

The <u>Provincial Court Family Rules</u> set out the steps that you must take and the forms you must complete in a family law case. These rules apply to cases in Provincial Court about matters under the <u>Family Law Act</u> and the Family Maintenance Enforcement Act.

You can find the Rules and Acts on the BC Laws website at www.bclaws.gov.bc.ca.

# Preparing a Request to File a Determination of a Parenting Coordinator Form 27

Complete this form if you need to file a determination of a parenting coordinator in Provincial Court.

A determination of a parenting coordinator that is filed in Provincial Court under the Family Law Act is enforceable under the Act as if it were an order of the Provincial Court.

To file a determination of a parenting coordinator, you must have a court order that a parenting coordinator be appointed or an agreement to appoint a parenting coordinator. The agreement must also be filed with the court if you want to file the determination. The agreement between the parties to appoint a parenting coordinator can be filed with the court using the <u>Request to File an Agreement Form 26</u>.

### How do I enforce a determination of a parenting coordinator?

A person can apply to the court under <u>Rule 135</u> [Applying for orders about enforcement] to enforce, change or set aside a filed determination of a parenting coordinator using the <u>Application About Enforcement Form 29</u>.



### Need legal help?

It's important to understand the law and make sure you have the right information. If you don't, it can make solving your problem harder. Getting advice from a lawyer can help. You can find a lawyer through:

### **Lawyer Referral Service**

Visit <u>www.accessprobono.ca/our-programs/lawyer-referral-service</u> or call at 604-687-3221

# Legal Aid, Duty Counsel and Family Advice Lawyers

Visit https://legalaid.bc.ca/ or call 1-866-577-2525

### **Legal Services and Resources**

Visit the ClickLaw Legal Services page at <a href="https://www.clicklaw.bc.ca/services">www.clicklaw.bc.ca/services</a>



### Filling out the form and preparing to file it

Follow the instructions in the form and include all the information that is asked for.

If you complete the form by hand, be sure it's readable.

### How do I prepare the form for filing?

 print or make copies of the completed form and determination: one set for you, one set for the court, and one set for each other party



## Filing the form at the registry

After you've filled out the form, you must file it at the Provincial Court Registry:

- where the existing Provincial Court case with the same parties is filed (you already have a court file number)
- nearest to where the child lives most of the time, if the case involves a child-related issue, or
- nearest to where you live if the case does not involve a child-related issue

### File the form:

- electronically using the FLA Online Forms Service
- · in person at the court registry
- by mail
- by email, as referenced in Notice to the Profession and Public NP 28 Current Court Operations, or
- by fax filing using the Fax Filing Cover Page Form 52

There are no fees for filing Provincial Court family documents.

# Be sure to bring all copies of the documents to the registry if you are filing in person.

The registry clerk will review your form to make sure it's complete before filing it. You'll be given a copy for your records.

# Request to File a **Determination of Parenting Coordinator**

### Form 27

Provincial Court Family Rules **Rule 133** 



Registry location:	
Court file number:	
Document number: For registry use only	

This Request to File a Determination of Parenting Coordinator provides information about a determination of a parenting coordinator that a person is filing under the Family Law Act in the Provincial Court. A determination of a parenting coordinator that is filed in Provincial Court is enforceable under the Act as if it were an order of the Provincial Court.

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A person can apply under Rule 135 to enforce, change, or set aside a filed determination of a parenting coordinator using the Application About Enforcement Form 29. The determination must first be filed with the court.

art 1	About the	parties

1. My full name is:

Full name of party

My date of birth is:

(dd/mmm/yyyy)

2. The other party who is the subject of this determination is:

Full name of party

(dd/mmm/yyyy)

There is an additional party.

The additional party's full name is:

Their date of birth (dd/mmm/yyyy) is:

You must file a copy of the determination of a parenting coordinator along with this form.

# Part 2 | Request to file determination of parenting coordinator

3. I request to file a copy of the determination by a parenting coordinator referred to in section 18 [determinations by parenting coordinators] of the Family Law Act dated , between the above parties, in the Provincial Court.

Their date of birth (dd/mmm/yyyy) is:

(dd/mmm/yyyy)

**4.** The parenting coordinator made the determination under:

Select only one of the options below and complete the required information

An agreement made on

Date (dd/mmm/yyyy)

between

Parties to the agreement

which is filed in the Provincial Court.

A court order made on

Lawyer's name and firm name (if applicable):

Date (dd/mmm/yyyy)

A parenting coordinator may assist only if there is a parenting coordination agreement or order in place [s. 15 Family Law Act]. If you had a written agreement to use a parenting coordinator, the agreement must also be filed with the court using the Request to file

an Agreement Form 26.

### Part 3 | Address for service

5. My address for service of court documents and contact information is:

You must provide an address for service and contact number, but it does not have to be your own if you don't want to

Address: Postal Code: Province: City: Telephone: Email:

This information will be available to the other party and the court.