

MASHANTUCKET PEQUOT TRIBAL COURT
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Mashantucket Pequot
Tribal Nation
Tribal Court

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DOCKET NO. MPTC-CV-FJ-_____-_____-_____

NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

v.

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF JUDGMENT
DEBTOR:**

**APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION
AND ENFORCEMENT OF FOREIGN
JUDGMENT**

_____ Step 1 - I have completed and signed Form 1, the Foreign Judgment Summons.

_____ Step 2 - I have completed and signed Form 2, this Application.

_____ Step 3 - I have attached a certified copy of the foreign judgment, signed and sealed by the Clerk of the Issuing Tribunal.

_____ Step 4 - I have attached a check or money order for \$50 made payable to the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Court.

_____ Step 5 - **If applicable** (see page 2) I have completed and signed Form 3, Application for Installment Order.

_____ Step 6 - Submit this Application, the Foreign Judgment Summons, and the Application for Installment Order (**only if needed** - see page 2), together with a copy of each to:

Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Court
P.O. Box 3126
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TRIBAL COURT FILING DATE:

Having obtained the attached foreign judgment against the Debtor in a court or agency outside the jurisdiction of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation, I hereby make application to recognize and enforce said foreign judgment in the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Court.

In making this application I affirm:

1. The attached judgment was issued by a foreign tribunal.
2. Said judgment is final and has not been modified, altered, amended, set aside or vacated, nor has the enforcement of said judgment been stayed or suspended.
3. The cause of action underlying the judgment concerns:

_____ A landlord / tenant matter (such as nonpayment of rent)

_____ Nonpayment of a loan (such as a car loan or personal loan)

_____ Damage to property

_____ Personal injuries

_____ Other _____

4. The attached judgment:

_____ Includes an installment order in the amount of \$_____ per week.

_____ Does not include an installment order. In this case, the Applicant must complete and file Form 3, Foreign Judgment Installment Order, with the Tribal Court.

WHEREFORE, the Applicant respectfully requests that this Court issue a summons to be served upon the Judgment Debtor and recognize the foreign judgment in accordance with 23 M.P.T.L. ch. 1.

THE APPLICANT:

Signature

Date

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This action for registration and enforcement of a foreign judgment was commenced pursuant to Title 23 of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Laws. The Court, having received and considered the foregoing Application for Registration and Enforcement of Foreign Judgment, finds that the Application for Foreign Judgment is in compliance with 23 M.P.T.L. ch. 1 §§ 2–3 and twenty days have passed since the filing of the items required by 23 M.P.T.L. ch. 1 §§ 2–3.

Pursuant to 23 M.P.T.L. ch. 1 § 3, the Court finds that:

- The Judgment Debtor received notice of the Applicant's request for Application for Registration of Foreign Judgment in a manner provided by 23 M.P.T.L. ch. 1 § 3.
- No objection has been filed to the Application and/or the Applicant has provided proof, in accordance with the requirements of Title 23, that it has a valid judgment against the Judgment Debtor, which judgment has not been modified, altered, amended, set aside, vacated or stayed by the Issuing tribunal. The foreign judgment does not contravene the public policy of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe as it is based on _____, a cause of action recognized by the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Laws as proper causes of action that may be heard, under certain circumstances, in Tribal Court. It is hereby recognized by this Court and may be enforced or satisfied in the same manner as any like judgment of the Tribal Court.
- The ____ Applicant / ____ Judgment Debtor has filed an affidavit and supporting documents from the issuing tribunal that demonstrate that the foreign judgment has been modified or amended. The Court hereby recognizes the foreign judgment as modified, which may henceforth be enforced or satisfied in the same manner as any like judgment of the Tribal Court.

- This action is not properly before the Court as the Judgment Debtor has not received notice in accordance with 23 M.P.T.L. ch. 1 § 3.
- The Judgment Debtor has filed an objection to the enforceability of the foreign judgment in Tribal Court and is entitled to a hearing on any disputed issues of fact or law. A hearing on the Application is scheduled for _____ at _____.

(Date) **(Time)**
- The Judgment Debtor has filed an affidavit and supporting documents from the issuing tribunal which demonstrate that the foreign judgment has been appealed. The Court hereby stays this proceeding until the appeal is concluded or the stay of execution expires or is vacated.

DATED: _____ BY THE COURT: _____

Judge