

CHILDREN (PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY AGREEMENT) RULES 200-

Made [date to be inserted]

Coming into force [date to be inserted]

THE SUPERIOR NUMBER OF THE ROYAL COURT, in pursuance of Article 5(3) of the Children (Jersey) Law 2002, has made the following Rules -

1. Form of parental responsibility agreement

A parental responsibility agreement must be made in the form set out in the Schedule to these Rules.

2. Recording of parental responsibility agreement

(1) A parental responsibility agreement is recorded by the filing of the agreement, together with two copies, with the Judicial Greffier.

(2) Upon the filing of documents under paragraph (1), the Judicial Greffier shall seal the copies and send one to the child's mother and one to the child's father.

(3) The record of an agreement under paragraph (1) shall be made available, during office hours, for inspection by any person -

(a) upon written request to the Judicial Greffe, and

(b) upon payment of such fee as may have been specified in regulations made by the States under Article 3 of the Stamp Duties and Fees (Jersey) Law 1998.

3. Citation and commencement

These Rules may be cited as the Children (Parental Responsibility Agreement) Rules 200- and shall come into force on the same day as Article 5 of the Children (Jersey) Law 2002.

Registrar of the Family Division

SCHEDULE
FORM OF AGREEMENT
(Rule 1)

Parental Responsibility Agreement	Date Recorded
Article 5(1)(b) The Children (Jersey) Law 2002	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Please use black ink. ▶ The making of this agreement will seriously affect the legal position of both parents. You should both seek legal advice before completing this form. ▶ If there is more than one child, you should fill in a separate form for each child. 	

This is a parental responsibility agreement between

the child's mother	<i>Name</i>
and	<i>Address</i>
the child's father	<i>Name</i>
	<i>Address</i>

We agree that the father of the child named below should have parental responsibility for [him] [her] in addition to the mother.

Name	Boy/Girl	Date of Birth	Date of 18 th birthday

Ending of the agreement

Once a parental responsibility agreement has been made it can only end -

- by an order of the court made on application of any person who has parental responsibility for the child.
- by an order of the court made on the application of the child with leave of the court.
- when the child reaches the age of 18.

Signed (mother)		Date	
Signature and name and address of witness		Date	
Signed (father)		Date	
Signature and name and address of witness		Date	

This agreement will not take effect until this form has been filed with the Judicial Greffe (Family Division). **Once this form has been completed and signed please take or send it and two copies to The Registrar of the Family Division, Judicial Greffe, Royal Court House, Royal Square, St Helier, JE1 1JG**

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