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# Recognizance –
## *Family Maintenance Enforcement Act*

## In the Provincial Court of British Columbia

On *[date]* the Honourable Judge *[name of judge]*

ordered *[full name of restrained party]* (the restrained party), date of birth: *[dd/mmm/yyyy]*, to enter into a recognizance following the issuance of a restraining order under section 46 of the *Family Maintenance Enforcement Act*.

The following person(s) attended before a Justice and acknowledged owing the following amount to Her Majesty the Queen:

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| Restrained Party | Occupation | **Amount** $ |
| | | ❑ without deposit |
| Address | City/Province | ❑ with deposit of $ |
| | | ❑ without surety |
| Surety | Occupation | ❑ with surety |
| | | Amount $ |
| Address | City/Province | |

If the person bound fails to meet the condition(s) listed below, Her Majesty the Queen may seize any of the person's possessions or the possessions of any sureties equal to this amount, to be used as Her Majesty sees fit.

The condition of the above recognizance is that if *[full name of restrained party]* reports to *[the court or person named by the court]* on *[date]* at *[time]*, or as follows:

*(if applicable)* and in addition:

the recognizance is void, otherwise it stands in full force.

Acknowledged before me at *[city]*, British Columbia.

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| Signature of restrained party | Date | A Judge or Justice of the Peace in and for the Province of British Columbia |
| Signature of surety | Date | A Judge or Justice of the Peace in and for the Province of British Columbia |