



Employees' Retirement System  
of the State of Hawaii

## Revised HiDRO model forms approved

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The Employees' Retirement System's Board of Trustees voted to approve revisions to the Hawaii Domestic Relations Orders (HiDRO) model forms, ERS-300 (Pre-Retirement) and ERS-301 (Post-Retirement). The instructions for the forms also have been revised to reflect the changes.

The revised forms and instructions are posted at the ERS website (<https://ers.ehawaii.gov/hidro>). The ERS will accept the previous model forms, however, encourages the use of the revised forms going forward.

The following substantive changes have been made to the forms:

### **ERS-300**

#### **Paragraph 1.**

- Clarifies the Order shall supersede and replace all prior orders between the same parties.
- Changes "This Order is an integral part of the Decree of Divorce signed on ..." to "This Order is an integral part of the Decree of Divorce filed by the court on ..."
- Adds check box for post decree orders/stipulations

#### **Paragraph 2.**

- Deletes b. which is now in Paragraph 1 (supersede and replace all prior orders)
- **Paragraphs 6A, 6B, 7.**
- Clarifies alternate payee's portion "remaining after payments required to be paid to other alternate payees pursuant to earlier HiDROs. ..."

### **ERS-301**

#### **Paragraph 1.**

- Clarifies the Order shall supersede and replace all prior orders between the same parties.
- Changes "This Order is an integral part of the Decree of Divorce signed on ..." to "This Order is an integral part of the Decree of Divorce filed by the court on ..."
- Adds check box for post decree orders/stipulations

#### **Paragraph 2.**

- Deletes b. which is now in Paragraph 1 (supersede and replace all prior orders)

#### **Paragraphs 6.**

- Clarifies alternate payee's portion "remaining after payments required to be paid to other alternate payees pursuant to earlier HiDROs ..."