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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE OWNER'S CLAIM FOR MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SURPLUS

- 1. Complete the Owner's Claim for Mortgage Foreclosure Surplus to include the caption [names of the parties to the lawsuit], and the case number.
  - a. Paragraph 1: Add the address and Parcel ID number of the property that was the subject of the foreclosure action.
  - b. Paragraph 6: Your current address which is also where the payment will be mailed if you were the sole owner of the property at the time of the foreclosure.
  - c. Paragraph 7: If there was more than one owner at the time of the foreclosure indicate to whom the check for the surplus should be written and where it should be mailed.
- 2. You must sign the Claim in the presence of a Notary Public.
- 3. Complete the Certificate of Service: The first blank is the date you are filing the claim. The block of lines is for the names and service address of all parties to the case. Next, check the box for the method of delivery to the parties. Complete the signature block.
- 4. File the Claim either through the E-Portal or by providing the complete original document to the St. Lucie County Clerk of the Circuit Court either by mail or in person:
  - a. Mailing Address:

St. Lucie County Clerk of the Circuit Court Attn: Circuit Civil Department P.O. Box 700 Fort Pierce, FL 34954

Office Locations – Hours 8:00 am – 5:00 pm:
 201 South Indian River Drive
 Fort Pierce, FL 34950

250 NW Country Club Drive Port St. Lucie, FL 34986

## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SAINT LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA

, Plaintiff(s),		
v.	Case No.:	
	OWNER'S CLAIM FOR MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SURPLUS	
UN	IDER PENALTY OF PERJURY, I/we hereby certify that:	
1.	I was/We were the owner(s) of the following described real property in Saint Lucie County, Florida, prior to the foreclosure sale and as of the date of the filing of the lis pendens:	
2.	I/We do not owe any money on the any mortgage on the property that was foreclosed other than the one that was paid off by the foreclosure.	
3.	I/We do not owe any money that is the subject of an unpaid judgment, condominium lien, cooperative lien, or homeowners' association.	
4.	I am/We are not currently in bankruptcy.	
5.	I/We have not sold or assigned my/our right to the mortgage surplus.	
6.	My/Our new address is:	
7.	If there is more than one owner entitled to the surplus, we have agreed that the surplus should be paid jointly or to:  at the following address	
8.	I/WE UNDERSTAND THAT I/WE AM/ARE NOT REQUIRED TO HAVE A LAWYER OR ANY OTHER REPRESENTATION AND I/WE DO NOT HAVE TO ASSIGN MY/OUR RIGHTS TO	

ANYONE ELSE IN ORDER TO CLAIM ANY MONEY TO WHICH I/WE MAY BE ENTITLED.

	Signature of Party	
	Printed Name:	
STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF ST LUCIE		
•	pefore me by means ofphysical presence or online y of, 20, by	
$\square$ Personally Known to me or $\square$ who has producedas identification.		
(SEAL)	Signature of Notary	
	Name of Notary	
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE		
I hereby certify that on	(date) this document has been furnished to	
by e-portal mail e-mail o	or hand delivery.	
	Signature: Printed Name: E-Mail Address: Address:	
	Phone Number:	

9. I/WE UNDERSTAND THAT THIS STATEMENT IS GIVEN UNDER OATH, AND IF ANY STATEMENTS ARE UNTRUE THAT I/WE MAY BE PROSECUTED CRIMINALLY FOR PERJURY.