# Illinois Configuration Standards

Version 1.0

#### 1 Introduction

Purpose: The purpose of this document is to outline the standardized eFiling code-set for the state of Illinois.

### 1.1 VERSIONS

Version	Action	Release Date
1.0	Initial Draft	July 11, 2016
1.0	First Version Released	December 14, 2016
1.0	First Version Officially Adopted	January 20, 2017

## 2 EFILING FILING CONFIGURATIONS

Below are the standard filing configurations to be used in the eFiling system. This list of filing configurations must be accepted in each court. Clerks may not add to this configuration, but may eliminate codes if not needed in a particular jurisdiction.

It is important to note that these standards only apply to the electronic filing system which is a delivery system and are NOT standards for a county case management or document management system.

# 3.1 CIVIL CASES

## 3.1.1 CASE CATEGORIES/TYPES

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Arbitration	Arbitration - \$10,000.01 thru \$15,000.00
	Arbitration - \$15,000.01 thru \$50,000.00

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Chancery	Construction of Inter Vivos Trust
	Construction of Testamentary Trust (After P case has been
	disposed)
	Exhume a Body
	Foreclosure (Commercial)
	Foreclosure (Residential) Tier #1
	Foreclosure (Residential) Tier #2
	Foreclosure (Residential) Tier #3
	Foreclosure of Security Interest in Personal Property
	Injunction (Except in Tax and Dissolution cases)
	Interpleader Mechanic's Lien Foreclosure
	Partition
	Partnership Dissolution
	Quiet Title
	Real Estate Mortgage Foreclosure
	Recision of Contract
	Restraining Order
	Specific Performance
	Structured Settlement, Original Action to Assign
	Trust Administration

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Eminent Domain	Eminent Domain

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Law	Arbitration and Award
	Contract - Money Damages
	Confession of Judgment
	Detinue
	Distress for Rent
	Ejectment
	Forcible Entry and Detainer
	Replevin
	Tort - Money Damages
	Trover
	Wrongful Death

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Law Magistrate	Arbitration and Award
	Contract - Money Damages Over \$10,000
	Contract - Money Damages Over \$15,000
	Confession of Judgment
	Detinue - \$15,000.01 to \$50,000.01
	Detinue - Up to \$15,000.00
	Distress for Rent
	Ejectment
	Forcible Entry & Detainer - Possession & Rent > \$15,000.00
	Forcible Entry & Detainer - Possession Only / Possession &
	Rent < \$15,000.00
	Replevin - \$15,000.01 to \$50,000.01
	Replevin – Up to \$15,000.00
	Tort - Money Damages over \$10,000
	Trover
	Wrongful Death

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Miscellaneous Remedy	Abatement of Nuisance
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Application for Order Authorizing Eavesdropping or
	Electronic Criminal Surveillance
	Appointment of Receiver
	Attachment (Original action)
	Burnt Records
	Certiorari
	Change of Name
	Corporation Dissolution
	Declaratory Judgment
	Demolition
	Eavesdropping
	Election Contest
	Escheat
	Extradition
	Fictitious Vital Record
	Forfeiture of Seized Property
	Habeas Corpus (Civil or criminal)
	Lost Goods or Money
	Mandamus Ne Exeat (Original action)
	Peace Bond Complaint
	Petition for Discovery or to Depose
	Petition for Habeas Corpus
	Petition for Name Change
	Petition to Enroll Foreign Judgment
	Petition to Expunge
	Prohibition
	Quo Warranto
	Rendition
	Review of Administrative Proceedings (Other than tax
	commission)
	Search Warrant (Complaint for search warrant not related to
	pending case)

Sexually Violent Person Commitment Proceeding
Statutory Summary Suspension (If no DT case is filed)

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Municipal Corporation	Petition for the Creation of a Drainage District
	Petition to Change Form of Government
	Petition to Disconnect from Fire District
	Petition to Dissolve Municipal Corporation
	Petition to Organize Municipal Corporation
	Other Routine Matters Relating to Municipal Corporations
	and not Listed Under Another Category

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Order of Protection	Civil No Contact Order
	Order of Protection
	Order of Protection - Stalking No Contact

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Small Claims	Contract - Money Damages \$10,000 or Less
	Small Claims - \$2,500.01thru \$10,000.00
	Small Claims - \$250.01 thru \$500.00
	Small Claims - \$500.01 thru \$2,500.00
	Small Claims - Up thru & Including \$250.00
	Tax Collection \$10,000 or Less
	Tort - Money Damages \$10,000 or Less

## 3.1.2 CIVIL FILING TYPES

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Tax	Annual Tax Sale
	Drainage Assessment
	Foreclosure of Lien for Special Assessment
	Petition for Tax Deed Retailer's Occupation Tax
	Sale in Error
	Scavenger Tax Sale
	Special Assessment
	Suit to Restrain Collection of Special Assessment or to
	Change Special Assessment
	Tax Commission, Review of Decision
	Tax Foreclosure
	Tax Injunction
	Tax Objection
	Tax Refund (Petition for)
	Tax Petition
	Tax Petition Plus Multiple Deeds

New Case	Subsequent Filings
Affidavit	Acknowledgment
Amended Complaint	Addendum

Application Affidavit
Complaint Agreement
Motion Alias

Notice Amended Filing
Petition Answer / Response

Proposed Order Appearance

Request Appearance (No fee)

Stipulation Application
Summons Appointment

Take Notice Bond
Waiver Brief
z – Other Document Not listed Certificate

Change Claim Consent

Correspondence

Counter Petition / Counter Complaint

Demand
Denial
Deposition
Designation
Detainer
Dismissal
Discovery

**Entry of Appearance** 

Exhibit
Hearing
Interpleader
Interrogatories
Inventory
Judgment
Jury Demand

Leave
Letters
Lien
List
Mandate
Memorandum
Motion

Motion to Modify Motion to Vacate

**Notice** 

Notice of Appeal Notice of Hearing

Oath
Objection
Offer
Order

Other Document Not Listed

Position

Proof of Service / Certificate of Service

Property Settlement Proposed Order

Quash Receipt Release Reply Report Response Response (No fee) Return Request Sale Satisfaction of Judgment Service Statement Stipulation Summons Subpoena Substitution Summary Judgment Supplemental Terminate **Third Party Complaint** Transcript Transfer Verdict Verification Waiver Withdrawal

## 3.2 Family Cases

## 3.2.1 CASE CATEGORIES/TYPES

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Adoption	Adoption

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Dissolution	Dissolution of Marriage or Legal Separation
	Dissolution received as a Change of Venue from Another
	County
	Invalidity
	Legal Separation
	Petition to Enroll Judgment from One Circuit to Another in
	Illinois

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Family	Civil Actions to Compel Support
	Custody / Visitation
	Custody / Visitation / Child Support
	Delayed record of Birth
	Emancipation of Minor

Family (Paternity, Custody & Visitation - No marriage)
Marriage of a Minor
Notice to Putative Father Under the Adoption Act (750 ILCS
50/12a) and Juvenile Court Act (705 ILCS 405(2-30, 3-31, 4-
28 and 5-32))
Parentage
Petition for Confidential Intermediary
Petition for Custody
Petition for a Marriage License
Petition for Judicial Waiver of Notice Under the Parental
Notification of Abortion Act
Petition for Order to Issue Marriage License
Registration of Foreign Support Order

## 3.2.1 FAMILY FILING TYPES

New Case	Subsequent Filings
Affidavit	Affidavit
Amended Complaint	Agreement
Application	Alias
Complaint	Amended Filing
Motion	Answer / Response
Notice	Appearance
Other Document Not Listed	Application
Petition	Appointment
Proposed Order	Bond
Request	Brief
Stipulation	Certificate
Summons	Change
Waiver	Consent
z - Other Document Not Listed	Correspondence
	Counter Petition / Counter Claim
	Demand
	Denial
	Deposition
	Designation
	Detainer
	Dismissal
	Discovery
	Entry of Appearance
	Exhibit
	Hearing
	Interpleader
	Interrogatories
	Inventory
	Judgment
	Jury Demand
	Leave
	Letters
	Lien
	List
	Mandate

Memorandum

Motion

Motion to Modify

Motion to Modify (No fee)

Motion to Vacate

Motion to Vacate (No fee)

Notice

Notice of Appeal

Notice of Hearing

Oath

Objection

Offer

Order

Other Document Not Listed

Petition

**Physicians Report** 

Proof

Proof of Service / Certificate of Service

**Property Settlement** 

**Proposed Order** 

Quash

Receipt

Release

Reply

Report

Return

Request

Sale

Satisfaction

Service

Statement

Stipulation

Summons

Subpoena

Substitution

**Summary Judgment** 

Supplemental

Terminate

**Third Party Complaint** 

Transcript

Transfer

Verdict

Verification

Waiver

Withdrawal

# 3.3 PROBATE OR MENTAL HEALTH CASES

## 3.3.1 CASE CATEGORIES/TYPES

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Mental Health	Petition for Discharge
	Petition for Hospitalization
	Petition for Restoration
	Petition to Administer Treatment

Case Category Code	Case Type Codes
Probate	Claims: \$150.00 to \$500.00
	Claims: \$500.01 to \$10,000.00
	Claims: Over \$10,000.00
	Construction of Testamentary Trust (During pendency of P
	case)
	Construction of Will
	DECEDENT - Administration of Decedent's Estate <
	\$15,000.00
	DECEDENT - Administration of Decedent's Estate >
	\$15,000.00
	DECEDENT - Proof of Heirship Only
	Guardianship of a Disabled Person - Ward of Person & Estate
	< \$15,000.00
	Guardianship of a Disabled Person - Ward of Person & Estate
	> \$15,000.00
	Guardianship of a Disabled Person - Ward of Person Only
	Guardianship of a Minor - Minor's Estate < \$15,000.00
	Guardianship of a Minor - Minor's Estate > \$15,000.00
	Guardianship of a Minor - Minor's Person Only
	Petition to Probate – Wrongful Death / Settlement
	Will Contest

### 3.3.1 PROBATE OR MENTAL HEALTH FILING TYPES

New Case	Subsequent Filings
Affidavit	Accounting
Amended Complaint	Alias
Application	Affidavit
Certificate	Agreement
Complaint	Amended Filing
Letters	Answer / Response
Motion	Appearance
Notice	Application
Other Document Not Listed	Appointment
Petition	Bond
Proposed Order	Brief
Request	Certificate
Stipulation	Change
Summons	Claim
Waiver	Consent

#### z - Other Document Not Listed Counter Petition / Counter Claim Demand Denial Deposition Designation Detainer Dismissal Discovery **Entry of Appearance** Exhibit **Final Report** Hearing Heirship Affidavit Interpleader Interrogatories Inventory Judgment Jury Demand Leave Letters Lien List Mandate Memorandum Motion Motion to Modify Motion to Vacate Notice Notice of Appeal Notice of Hearing Notice to Heirs Oath Objection Offer Order Other Document Not Listed Petition Proof **Physicians Report** Proof of Service / Certificate of Service **Property Settlement Proposed Order** Quash Receipt Release Reply Report Return Request Sale Satisfaction of Judgment Service Statement

Stipulation
Summons
Subpoena
Substitution
Summary Judgment
Supplemental
Terminate
Third Party Complaint
Transcript
Transfer
Verdict
Verification
Waiver
Withdrawal

#### 4.0 Additional Services and Fees

#### Additional Services and Fees (Misc.) - Additional Docketing Statement (Misc.) - Administrative Review (Misc.) - Appeals - Over 100 Pages (Shipping billed later) (Misc.) - Appeals - Over 200 Pages (Shipping billed later + .25/page) (Misc.) - Appeals - Under 100 Pages (Shipping billed later) (Misc.) - Certified Copy of Judgment (Misc.) - Certified Letters (Misc.) - Certified Mailing Fee (Misc.) - Change of Venue (From Jackson to another County) (Misc.) - Citation to Discover Assets (Misc.) - Citations, Garnishments, Wage Deductions - \$1,000 or Less (Misc.) - Citations, Garnishments, Wage Deductions - \$1,000.01 - \$5,000 (Misc.) - Citations, Garnishments, Wage Deductions - \$5,000 and Over (Misc.) - Claim - \$10,000 and Over (Misc.) - Claim - \$150 - \$500 (Misc.) - Claim - \$500 - \$10,000 (Misc.) - Copies - Certified (Misc.) - Copies - Non Certified (Misc.) - Cross Docketing Statement (Misc.) - Issue Alias Summons (Misc.) - Issue Summons (Misc.) - Jury Demand - 12 Person (Misc.) - Jury Demand - 6 Person (Misc.) - Jury Demand - Small Claims (Misc.) - Mailing Fees (When clerk is required to do mailings) (Misc.) - Petition to Reopen a Closed Case- After 30 Days (Misc.) - Petition to Vacate (Misc.) - Petition to Vacate Order of Bond Forfeiture (Misc.) - Petitions Filed Later Than 30 Days After Closing - Exc Child Support or Spousal **Support Case** (Misc.) - Petitions w/in 30 Days After Closing - Exc FED, SC, Estates, Child Support, Spousal **Support Case** (Misc.) - Record Search (Misc.) - Triplicate of Certificate

- AR Appearance
- AR Rejection Fee (\$30,000.00 or Less)
- AR Rejection Fee (Over \$30,000.00)
- CH Appearance / Answer
- CH Foreclosure (Residential) Tier #1- Subject to Mediation per 1st Circuit Court Rules
- CH Foreclosure (Residential) Tier #2- Subject to Mediation per 1st Circuit Court Rules
- CH Foreclosure (Residential) Tier #3- Subject to Mediation per 1st Circuit Court Rules
- CH- Mediation Fee (When not paid at time of filing)
- D Annual Fee for Collection of Child Support / Maintenance
- D Appearance
- D Certifications to Secretary of State
- D Dissolution received as a Change of Venue from Another County
- D Petition to Enroll Foreign Judgment
- D Petition to Modify Filed After 30 Days of Entry of Judgment
- D Petition to Modify Filed Within 30 Days of Entry of Judgment
- ED Appearance
- ED Each Additional Lot or Tract of Land to be Condemned
- F Annual Fee for Collection of Child Support / Maintenance
- F Appearance
- F Emancipation of a Minor
- F Marriage of a Minor
- F Performing a Marriage in Court
- F Petition for a Marriage License
- F Petition to Enroll Foreign Judgment
- L Appearance
- LM Appearance
- LM Appearance Rent < \$15,000.00
- LM Appearance Rent > \$15,000.00
- LM Forcible Entry ReDocket
- MC Appearance
- MR Annual Fee for Collection of Child Support / Maintenance
- MR Appearance
- MR Petition to Expunge (When no case exist / only arrest)
- OP Annual Fee for Collection of Child Support / Maintenance
- P Annual Fee for Collection of Child Support / Maintenance
- P Appearance
- P Certified Copies of Letters of Office
- P Claim, Petition, Supplemental Proceedings
- P Each Accounting Other Than Final Account (If fee is not waived)
- P Estate Claim \$0.00 \$150.00
- P Estate Claim \$10,001.00 and More
- P Estate Claim \$151.00 \$500.00
- P Estate Claim \$501.00 \$10,000.00
- P Exemplification Fee
- P Jury Demand 12 Person
- P Jury Demand 6 Person
- P Minor's Estate Arising from an Action or Claim from a Law Case
- P Petition to Sell Real Estate
- SC Appearance Up thru & Including \$1500.00
- SC Appearance \$1,500.01 thru \$10,000.00
- SC Appearance / Answer \$250.00 thru \$499.99
- SC Appearance / Answer \$250.00 thru \$499.99 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Appearance / Answer \$5,000.00 thru \$10,000.00

- SC Appearance / Answer \$5,000.00 thru \$10,000.00 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Appearance / Answer \$500.00 thru \$4,999.99
- SC Appearance / Answer \$500.00 thru \$4,999.99 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Appearance / Answer Up thru & Including \$249.99
- SC Appearance / Answer Up thru & Including \$249.99 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Each Additional Certified / Restricted Delivery Mailing
- SC Jury Demand 12 Person
- SC Jury Demand 6 Person
- SC Small Claims \$250.00 thru \$499.99 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Small Claims \$5,000.00 thru \$10,000.00 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Small Claims \$500.00 thru \$4,999.99 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Small Claims up thru & including \$249.99 w/ Certified Mail
- SC Small Claims ReDocket
- TX Appearance
- TX Petition for Tax Deed
- TX Petition for Tax Deed (Multiple parcels after first)
- TX Sale in Error
- TX Tax Objection Additional Parcels
- TX Tax Objection Complaint

#### 5.0 Request for Correction Reasons

#### Reasons to Return for Correction

Case Has Been Transferred to Another Appellate Court

Document Does Not Contain or Have Proper Certificate of Service

Document Not Signed or Properly Signed

Document Not Text (PDF) Searchable

**Format Error** 

**Incorrect Date** 

**Incorrect Fees** 

Incorrect Venue

Multiple Filings Submitted as One Transaction

Rejected

Single Filing Submitted as Multiple Transactions