



CIRCUIT COURT FOR _____

_____, MARYLAND
City/County

Located at _____

Court Address

Telephone _____

Case No. _____

Transferor

Street Address

City, State, Zip

**CONSENT TO PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF TRANSFER OF
STRUCTURED SETTLEMENT PAYMENT RIGHTS
(Md. Rule 15-1303)**

Identifying Information

1. My name is _____.
2. I live at _____.
3. My telephone number is _____.
4. My e-mail address is _____.
- I do not have an e-mail address.
5. I do not have a guardian of the person, guardian of the property, or representative payee.
- I do have a guardian of the person, guardian of the property, or representative payee, whose name, address, and telephone number are _____.

Employment

6. I am employed by _____.
- I am not currently employed.

Dependents

7. I am married divorced single.
8. I have children under the age of 18 no children under the age of 18.
9. I am under an order of the _____
Name of Court(s)
to pay a total of \$ _____ per _____ in spousal support.
Week/Month
 not under a court order to pay spousal support.
10. I am under an order of the _____
Name of Court(s)
to pay a total of \$ _____ per _____ in child support.
Week/Month
 not under any court order to pay child support.

Structured Settlement Agreement

11. In _____ :
Year
 a case was filed by me by my parent or guardian on my behalf in the _____ . The case number is _____ .
Name of Court

a claim was made by me by my parent or guardian on my behalf. No court case was filed and the claim was settled without litigation.

12. I was represented in that case or claim by _____ .
Name of Attorney

13. In or as a result of that case or claim, I received a structured settlement pursuant to a structured settlement agreement.

Independent Professional Advisor

14. I have selected _____ as my independent professional advisor to explain the terms and consequences to me of the transfer and advise me regarding whether it is in my best interest to accept those terms, taking into account the welfare and support of my dependents.

15. My independent professional advisor has:

- met with me in person on _____ occasion(s);
- explained the terms and consequences of the proposed transfer agreement;
- answered all my questions;

16. I learned about _____ from:
Name of independent professional advisor

- TV, radio, or other advertising
- Personal solicitation by the independent professional advisor
- Other: _____
Explain

17. I have not previously transferred any of my structured settlement payments.

18. I have made _____ previous transfers of some of my structured settlement payments and I have

- disclosed to my independent professional advisor the details of each such transfer and
- given to my independent professional advisor copies of the transfer agreements from each such transfer.
- I used the money I received from the prior transfer(s) for the following purposes:

19. If the current transfer is approved, I intend to use the money that I receive for the following purposes:

20. After consultation with my independent professional advisor, I understand:

that I am presently entitled to receive from my structured settlement \$ _____
each month year; and that those payments will continue

for the rest of my life or

until _____, _____.

that I am entitled to receive lump sum payments due on the dates and in the amounts specified below:

that the payments I now propose to transfer, in exchange for a net purchase price of \$ _____, have discounted present value of \$ _____, as determined for federal tax purposes, and

that the “effective annual interest rate” of the proposed transfer is _____ %. Based on the net amount that I will receive and the amounts and timing of the structured settlement payments that I am transferring, I will, in effect, be paying interest at a rate of _____ % per year so that I can get money now rather than later.

21. I have not received any advances or gifts of money, other property, or services in connection with the proposed assignment.

22. I have received an advance or gift of _____,
from _____ in connection with this assignment.

23. I have agreed to pay my independent professional advisor a fee of \$ _____ for the services rendered.

My independent professional advisor has told me that the only other compensation to be paid to my advisor, if any, will be as follows:

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My Understanding

24. I understand that, if the proposed transfer is approved:

the aggregate amount of the future payments I would be transferring and would no longer be entitled to is \$ _____;

the discounted present value of the future payments that I would be transferring and would no longer be entitled to receive is \$ _____; and

as consideration for the transfer, I would receive from the transferee the sum of \$ _____; which is _____ % of the discounted present value.

From that sum, fees and other charges in the amount of \$ _____ will be deducted or no fees or other charges will be deducted.

25. I understand that the proposed transfer cannot proceed unless approved by the Court and that a petition for Court approval has been or will be filed by the transferee _____

26. I have received a copy of the petition and

have read it.

had it read to me by _____.

Consent

WITH THIS KNOWLEDGE, I CONFIRM THAT I UNDERSTAND THE PROPOSED TRANSFER AND ITS CONSEQUENCES TO ME, AND I CONSENT TO THE PETITION. MY CONSENT IS VOLUNTARY. I HAVE NOT BEEN THREATENED WITH ANY LEGAL ACTION OR OTHER PENALTY IF I FAIL OR REFUSE TO FILE THIS CONSENT.

Date

Signature of Transferor

Date

Signature of Witness