

TOOLS FOR BILINGUAL AND DESIGNATED STAFF

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Family Court (Superior Court of Justice)

Written Translations in English and French Provided by the Court for Parties and/or Counsel

Note :

The Chart below clearly set out for each business line what written translations are and are not provided, pursuant to the relevant legislation.

Court	Document Type and Examples	Is Translation Provided by the Court?
Family Court of the SCJ* *Note: formerly the <i>Unified Family Court</i>	Process issued in or giving rise to proceeding (Examples: Application, Answer, Reply)	Yes On request of a party (s. 126(5) and (6), <i>CJA</i>)
	Document filed by party before hearing (Examples: Affidavit, Financial Statement)	Yes On request of a party (s. 126(4) and (6), <i>CJA</i>)
	Reasons for decision (provided in writing)	Yes* For bilingual proceedings, on request of a party or counsel who speaks English or French but not both (languages) (s. 126(2), rule 9, <i>CJA</i>) *Note: Translation of reasons for decision is provided ONLY when the matter is being conducted as a bilingual proceeding.
	Transcripts	No (unless ordered by a judicial official) The language of the record of proceedings for a bilingual proceeding is set out in s. 126(2), rules 3 and 5, <i>CJA</i> , and in s. 11 O. Reg. 53/01.

Written translations are provided by the court for matters in the Family Court branch of the SCJ under section 126 of the *Courts of Justice Act (CJA)*.

Note: Translation of other documents not otherwise indicated may be provided if ordered by a judicial official.

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