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1st Judicial District Court Parish of Caddo	RULE 17. EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 1. Any motion for an extension of time shall state:
Adopted effective Jan. 1, 1994.	 (a) The date on which the defendant or responding party was served; (b) A statement as to whether or not a rule to show cause is pending in the case and, if so, the return date of the rule; and (c) A statement as to whether this motion is the first or subsequent extension requested. 2. [Pub. Note: There is no paragraph 2.]
14th Judicial District Court Parish of Calcasieu	To view the current Title IV Rules of the 14th JDC, click here http://www.lasc.org/rules/dist.ct/14thJDCTABLETITLEIV.PDF
15th Judicial District Court Parishes of Acadia, Lafayette and Vermilion Amended effective April 1, 2005.	Any motion for an extension of time shall contain a statement as to whether the motion is for the first, second or subsequent extensions requested.

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24th Judicial District Court Parish of Jefferson	A. Any motion for extension of time shall state:1. The date on which the defendant or responding party was served;
Revised effective May 25, 2005	2. Whether a hearing officer conference, commissioner, or district court date is set and, if so, the date and time; and
	3. Whether the motion is the first or a subsequent request.
	B. Every attempt shall be made to hold hearing officer conferences and district court and commissioner hearings and trials on the dates originally set. In the event a motion for extension of time is granted, every attempt shall be made to grant the extension of time for a period which will preserve the hearing officer conference, commissioner and district court dates originally set.
	C. Except by written consent of all parties, or for good cause shown, only one order will be signed ex parte extending the time for pleading and such extension will not be in excess of thirty (30) days beyond the time allowed by law.
	D. Motions and rules for any other extensions or exceptions shall be tried contradictorily, with preference.
Family Court For the Parish of East Baton Rouge	To view the current Title IV Rules of East Baton Rouge Family Court, click here http://www.lasc.org/rules/dist.ct/EASTBATONROUGEFAMILYCOURTTITLEIV.PDF