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## File a Lis Pendens



1. Start at the Home screen and click the **New Case** button.

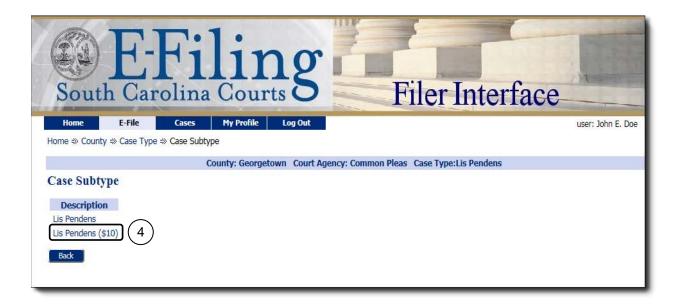


2. Select the County and click Next.





3. Select Lis Pendens as the Case Type, and the Case Subtype window opens.



4. Select the **Lis Pendens (\$10)** subtype, and the Case Initiation screen opens.





5. Click the **Add** button to enter tax map information.



Enter the Tax Map Number and Description and click the Add button. Add additional tax map information as needed.





- 7. Enter all the plaintiffs and all the defendants.
- 8. Click **Next**, and the Add a Document screen opens.



- Enter the Action Type of Filing.
- 10. Select the Action of Lis Pendens (\$10.00).
- 11. Browse to locate the document to file and click Add to attach the document to the filing.





- 12. Select and **Add** the **On Behalf of** case party. When there are multiple case parties, designate any or all case parties in the On Behalf of dropdown.
- 13. Click **Next** and the Review and Approve screen opens.

See the Reference Guide entitled *Initiating a Case* and the section on *Payment and Case Status* for instructions to complete the submission of the filing.



# File a Lis Pendens with a Common Pleas Case



1. Start at the Home screen and click the **New Case** button.

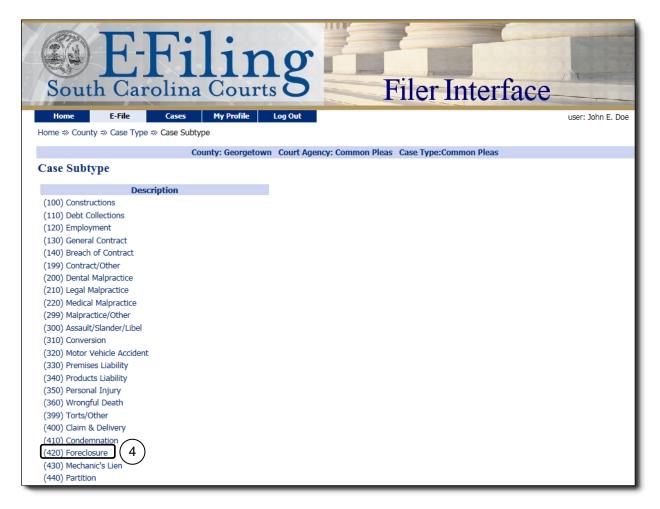


2. Select the County and click Next.





3. Select **Common Pleas** as the Case Type, and the Case Subtype window opens.



4. Select Foreclosure, and the Case Initiation screen opens.





- 5. Select **No** for the Jury Demand option.
- 6. Select **Create LP**, and additional fields open for defining the Lis Pendens.



Select Lis Pendens for both the Case Type and Case Subtype.





- 8. Add the **Tax Map** information.
- 9. Click Add.



10. Add all the plaintiffs and all the defendants.





#### 11. Click Next.



- 12. Select the Action Type of Filing
- 13. Select the Action of Summons and Complaint.
- 14. Browse to locate the document to file and click Add to attach the document to the filing.





15. Select the **On Behalf of** case party.



- 16. Next, choose the Action of Lis Pendens Filed.
- 17. Browse to attach the Lis Pendens document to the filing. Click Add.





- 18. Select the **On Behalf of** case party.
- 19. Click Next.

See the Reference Guide entitled *Initiating a Case* and the section on *Payment and Case Status* for instructions to complete the submission of the filing.



# File a Common Pleas Case When a Lis Pendens Already Exists

These instructions pertain to situations in which a Common Pleas case is filed after the Lis Pendens.



1. Start at the Home screen and click the **New Case** button.

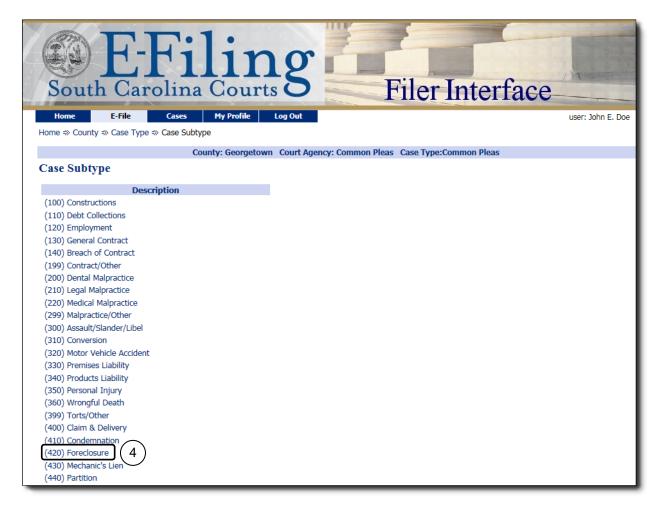


2. Select the County and click Next.





3. Select **Common Pleas** as the **Case Type**, and the Case Subtype screen opens.



4. Select Foreclosure, and the Case Initiation screen opens.





- 5. Click to select **No** for Jury Demand.
- Click to select Has prior LP, and a Case Number field opens for entering the Lis Pendens number.
- 7. Enter the **Tax Map** information.
- 8. Add all the plaintiffs and all the defendants.
- 9. Click Next.

Continue by adding the Summons and Complaint filing and selecting the On Behalf of case party.

See the Reference Guide entitled *Initiating a Case* and the section on *Payment and Case Status* for instructions to complete the submission of the filing.