## North Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure

## **Rule 4. Process**

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- (j) Process -- Manner of service to exercise personal jurisdiction. -- In any action commenced in a court of this State having jurisdiction of the subject matter and grounds for personal jurisdiction as provided in G.S. 1-75.4, the manner of service of process within or without the State shall be as follows:
  - (1) Natural Person. -- Except as provided in subdivision (2) below, upon a natural person by one of the following:

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c. By mailing a copy of the summons and of the complaint, registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the party to be served, and delivering to the addressee.

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