

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
_____ COUNTY, OHIO
_____ DIVISION

(Name)	*	
(Address)	*	
(City, State, Zip)	*	
(Telephone Number)	*	
(Birth Date)	*	
Plaintiff/Petitioner,	*	CASE NUMBER _____
	*	
VS.	*	JUDGE _____
	*	
	*	MAGISTRATE _____
(Name)	*	
(Address)	*	
(City, State, Zip)	*	
(Telephone Number)	*	
(Birth Date)	*	
Defendant/Petitioner.	*	<u>VERIFIED MOTION FOR</u>
		<u>CONTEMPT</u>

Respectfully Submitted,

Movant

STATE OF OHIO

SS:

VERIFICATION

COUNTY OF _____,

The undersigned _____, being duly sworn, hereby states that the facts in the foregoing Verified Motion for Contempt are true to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Movant

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED IN MY PRESENCE this ____ day of _____,
20__.

Notary Public

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SERVICE

TO THE CLERK:

Please serve a copy of the foregoing Verified Motion for Contempt and all ancillary papers upon _____ by certified mail, return receipt requested at the address listed in the caption.

Movant

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF _____ COUNTY, OHIO
_____ DIVISION

Plaintiff

Case No. _____

Judge _____

Defendant

Magistrate _____

ORDER TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE

This day this cause came on the Court's own motion for an order requiring _____ to appear personally before the Common Pleas Court, _____ to show cause why she/he should not be punished for failing to comply with the former order of this Court. The Court, being fully advised in the premises, finds said motion well-taken and hereby sustains the same. It is, therefore,

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, that _____ appear personally before the Court on _____, 20__, at _____ .m., to show cause why she/he should not be punished for failure to comply with the former order of this Court.

JUDGE/MAGISTRATE

Please dress appropriately for the occasion. Hats, shorts, sandals, sleeveless shirts, tops or blouses, clothing displaying indecent or profane language or pictures, and clothing with large rips or holes are not considered appropriate in the courtroom setting.

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_____ DIVISION

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER I

-VS-

DEFENDANT/PETITIONER II

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Judge: _____

SUMMONS IN CONTEMPT

TO: _____

A written charge of CONTEMPT has been filed against you in this court by: (State the name and address of movant.)

A copy of the Order to Appear and Show Cause is attached. The name and address of the movant's attorney are: (State attorney's name and address.)

You are hereby **SUMMONED AND ORDERED TO APPEAR**. Failure to appear may result in the issuance of an order for your arrest and, if the matter relates to child or spousal support, the issuance of an order for the withholding of support from your income or assets.

You have the right to have an attorney represent you in this matter. If you are indigent, you have the right to have the Court appoint an attorney to represent you at no cost to you. If you believe you are indigent, you **MUST** apply to the Court for an appointed attorney within three (3) business days after you receive this summons. The Court may refuse to grant a continuance at the time of the hearing for the purpose of providing you an opportunity to retain an attorney if you have failed to make a good faith effort to retain an attorney or apply for a court-appointed attorney prior to the hearing. To request a court-appointed attorney, contact the Clerk of Courts' office.

If you are found guilty of contempt, the Court may impose the following sentences: (1) FOR A FIRST OFFENSE: A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS, A DEFINITE TERM OF IMPRISONMENT OF NOT MORE THAN THIRTY DAYS IN JAIL, OR BOTH; (2) FOR A SECOND OFFENSE: A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, A DEFINITE TERM OF IMPRISONMENT OF NOT MORE THAN SIXTY DAYS IN JAIL, OR BOTH; (3) FOR A THIRD OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE: A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, A DEFINITE TERM OF IMPRISONMENT OF NOT MORE THAN NINETY DAYS IN JAIL, OR BOTH. IN ADDITION, IF THE CONTEMPT CONSISTS OF THE OMISSION TO DO AN ACT WHICH YOU CAN YET PERFORM, THE COURT MAY IMPRISON YOU INDEFINITELY UNTIL YOU PERFORM THE ACT. Sections 2705.05 and .06 O.R.C.

Date: _____

CLERK OF COURTS

By: _____
DEPUTY