



NOTICE TO DEFENDANT

READ THESE PAPERS CAREFULLY!

Within 14 DAYS after receiving this notice you MUST do ONE of the following things:

- Pay the claim plus filing and service expenses paid by the plaintiff; OR
- Demand a hearing; OR
- Demand a jury trial.

If you fail to do one of the following things within 14 DAYS after receiving this notice, then upon written request from the plaintiff, the clerk of the court will enter a judgment against you for the amount claimed plus filing fees and service expenses paid by the plaintiff, plus a prevailing party fee.

If you have any questions about the small claims court filing procedures after this notice, you may contact the clerk of the court; however, the clerk cannot give you legal advice on this claim.

Defendant filing fees (to be filled in by plaintiff with fees for specific county where filed):

To Demand a Hearing if the amount claimed is \$ 2500.00 or less ..... \$ 50.00

To Demand a Hearing if the amount claimed is over \$2500.00 ..... \$ 90.00

To Demand a Jury Trial (Only if the amount claimed is over \$750.00) .... \$ VARIES\*

\*depends upon amount of counterclaim/formal complaint