

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**

File No.

Scan No.

\_\_\_\_\_ County

In The General Court Of Justice  
 District     Superior Court Division

**CIVIL SUMMONS  
TO BE SERVED WITH  
ORDER EXTENDING  
TIME TO FILE COMPLAINT**

G.S. 1A-1, Rule 4

Name Of Plaintiff

**VERSUS**

Name Of Defendant(s)

**To:**

**To:**

Name And Address Of Defendant 1

Name And Address Of Defendant 2



**IMPORTANT! You have been sued! These papers are legal documents, DO NOT throw these papers out! You have to respond within 30 days. You may want to talk with a lawyer about your case as soon as possible, and, if needed, speak with someone who reads English and can translate these papers!**

**¡IMPORTANTE! ¡Se ha entablado un proceso civil en su contra! Estos papeles son documentos legales. ¡NO TIRE estos papeles!**

**Tiene que contestar a más tardar en 30 días. ¡Puede querer consultar con un abogado lo antes posible acerca de su caso y, de ser necesario, hablar con alguien que lea inglés y que pueda traducir estos documentos!**

**A Civil Action Has Been Commenced Against You!**

You are notified to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff as follows:

1. Serve a copy of your written answer to the complaint upon the plaintiff or the plaintiff's attorney within thirty (30) days after you have been served with the complaint as authorized in the attached order. You may serve your answer by delivering a copy to the plaintiff or the plaintiff's attorney or by mailing a copy to one of them at his/her last known address.
2. File the original of the written answer with the Clerk of Superior Court of the county named above.

If you fail to answer the complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Name And Address Of Plaintiff's Attorney (if none, Address Of Plaintiff)

Date

Time

AM     PM

Signature

Deputy CSC     Assistant CSC     Clerk Of Superior Court

(Over)

**RETURN OF SERVICE**

I certify that this Summons and a copy of the Order were received and served as follows:

**DEFENDANT 1**

<i>Date Served</i>	<i>Time Served</i> <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	<i>Name Of Defendant</i>
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- By delivering to the defendant named above a copy of this Summons and Order.
- By leaving a copy of this Summons and Order at the dwelling house or usual place of abode of the defendant named above with a person of suitable age and discretion then residing therein, who is named below.
- As the defendant is a corporation, service was effected by delivering a copy of this Summons and Order to the person named below.

*Name And Address Of Person With Whom Copies Left (if corporation, give title of person copies left with)*

- Service accepted by defendant

<i>Date Accepted</i>	<i>Time Served</i> <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	<i>Signature</i>
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- Other manner of service (*specify*)

- Defendant WAS NOT served for the following reason:

**DEFENDANT 2**

<i>Date Served</i>	<i>Time Served</i> <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	<i>Name Of Defendant</i>
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- By delivering to the defendant named above a copy of this Summons and Order.
- By leaving a copy of this Summons and Order at the dwelling house or usual place of abode of the defendant named above with a person of suitable age and discretion then residing therein, who is named below.
- As the defendant is a corporation, service was effected by delivering a copy of this Summons and Order to the person named below.

*Name And Address Of Person With Whom Copies Left (if corporation, give title of person copies left with)*

- Service accepted by defendant

<i>Date Accepted</i>	<i>Time Served</i> <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	<i>Signature</i>
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- Other manner of service (*specify*)

- Defendant WAS NOT served for the following reason:

<i>Service Fee Paid</i> \$	<i>Date Received</i>	<i>Signature Of Deputy Sheriff Making Return</i>
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<i>Paid By</i>	<i>Date Of Return</i>	<i>Name Of Deputy Sheriff Making Return (type or print)</i>
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<i>County Of Sheriff</i>	
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