

IN THE JUSTICE COURT, PRECINCT 4-1, DALLAS COUNTY

CASE NO. _____

PETITION: EVICTION CASE

PLAINTIFF (LANDLORD/PROPERTY NAME)

Rental Subsidy (if any) \$ _____
Tenant's Portion \$ _____
Total Monthly Rent \$ _____
OR Fair Market Value \$ _____
(if no established rent)

v.

DEFENDANT(S) ☐ Only named Tenant

☐ With suit for Unpaid Rent

COMPLAINT: Plaintiff hereby sues the following Defendant(s) for eviction from Plaintiff's premises (including storerooms and parking areas) located in the above precinct. The address of the property is:

Street Address	Unit No. (if any)	City	State	Zip
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GROUND FOR EVICTION: Plaintiff alleges the following grounds for eviction:

☐ **Unpaid rent.** Defendant(s) failed to pay rent for the following time period(s):

_____. The amount of rent claimed as of the date of filing is: \$ _____. Defendant ☐ has or ☐ has not been late/delinquent in paying rent before the month in which notice was given. Plaintiff reserves the right to orally amend the amount at trial to include rent due from the date of filing through the date of trial.

☐ **Other lease violations.** Defendant(s) breached the terms of the lease (other than by failing to pay rent) as follows:

☐ **Holdover.** Defendant(s) are unlawfully holding over by failing to vacate at the end of the rental term or periodic tenancy, which ended on _____.

☐ **Squatter.** Defendant(s) never had a right to possess the property and are unlawfully occupying the premises after a demand to surrender possession given on _____. Plaintiff ☐ has or ☐ has not attached a Motion for Summary Disposition under Rule 510.10.

☐ **Expiration of Tenancy at Will or by Sufferance.** Defendant(s) had no lease agreement and have failed to vacate the premises after being given a termination notice, if applicable, and a demand to surrender possession given on _____.

PRE-SUIT NOTICE: Plaintiff has given Defendant(s) a ☐ notice to vacate ☐ notice to pay or vacate (according to Property Code § 24.005(f-3) or (f-4)) and demand for possession. Such notice was delivered on _____, by this method: _____.

ATTORNEY'S FEES: Plaintiff ☐ will be or ☐ will not be seeking applicable attorney's fees. The attorney's name, address, phone and fax numbers are:

☐ **IMMEDIATE POSSESSION BOND:** If Plaintiff has filed a bond for immediate possession, Plaintiff requests that: (1) the court set the amount of the bond; (2) the court approve the bond; and (3) proper notices, as required by the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, are given to Defendant(s). **Bond is \$1,000.00 & is attached.**

SERVICE OF CITATION: Service is requested on Defendant(s) by: personal service at home or work, or by delivery to a person over the age of 16 years at Defendant's usual place of residence. If required, Plaintiff requests alternative service as allowed by the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure. Home or work addresses other than the premises where Defendant(s) may be served are:

Plaintiff knows of no other home or work addresses of Defendant(s) in this county.

RELIEF: Plaintiff requests that Defendant(s) is served with the citation and that Plaintiff is awarded a judgment against Defendant(s) for: possession of the premises, including removal of Defendant(s) and Defendant's possessions from the premises, unpaid rent, if set forth above, attorney's fees if applicable, court costs, and interest on the above sums at the rate stated in the lease, or if not so stated, at the statutory rate for judgments.

SERVICE BY EMAIL:

☐ Yes, I would like to receive documents related to this case by email at this email address:

_____.

Respectfully submitted,

Petitioner's Printed Name

Signature of Plaintiff, Agent or Attorney

(If known) Defendant's Information

Address: _____

DOB: _____

Last 4 of DL: _____

Telephone: _____

Last 4 of SS: _____

Telephone: _____

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on _____.

[seal]

CLERK OF THE JUSTICE COURT OR NOTARY

OR

Declaration

My name is _____, my date of birth is ____/____/____,
First Middle Last Month Day Year

and my address is _____.
Street City State Zip Country

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in _____ County, State of Texas,
on the ____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature of Declarant _____

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IN THE JUSTICE COURT

Plaintiff(s)

vs.

Defendant(s)

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PRECINCT 4, PLACE 1

DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

MILITARY STATUS AFFIDAVIT

My name is _____. I am the Plaintiff or authorized agent of the Plaintiff in this case. I am capable of making this affidavit. I have been duly sworn on oath and the facts in this affidavit are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.

- ☐ I know that the Defendant(s) is/are **not** in the military because I asked the U.S. Department of Defense to check their Defense Manpower Data Center (DMDC) database. DMDC notified me that the Defendant(s) is/are not on active duty in any of the armed forces. I have attached a true copy of the DMDC verification. (If you check this box, you must attach a copy of the DMCD verification which you may access online at <https://scra.dmdc.osd.mil/>.)
- ☐ I know that the Defendant(s) is/are **not** in the military because _____
- ☐ I know that the Defendant(s) is/are on active duty in the U.S. military.
- ☐ I do not know if the Defendant(s) is/are on active duty in the U.S. military.

Signature

Date

Penalty for making or using false affidavit – A person who makes or uses an affidavit knowing to be false, shall be fined as provided in title 18 united states code, or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both.

****CERTIFICATE OF LAST KNOWN ADDRESS****

In strict compliance with Rule 510.16(a),(b). Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, it is hereby certified that the last known mailing address and email address of defendant is as follows:

DEFENDANT'S ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE

DEFENDANT'S EMAIL ADDRESS _____

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on _____.

[seal]

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First

Middle

Last

Month

Day

Year

and my address is _____.

Street

City

State

Zip

Country

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in _____ County, State of Texas, on the _____ day of _____, 20____.

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