

WARRANT IN DETINUE (CIVIL CLAIM FOR SPECIFIC PERSONAL PROPERTY)

Commonwealth of Virginia Va. Code §§ 16.1-79, 8.01-114, 8.01-121

..... General District Court

CITY OR COUNTY

STREET OF ADDRESS OF COURT

TO ANY AUTHORIZED OFFICER: You are hereby commanded to summon the defendant(s).

TO THE DEFENDANT(S): You are summoned to appear before this Court at the above address on

..... to answer the Plaintiff(s)' civil claim (see below)

RETURN DATE AND TIME

DATE ISSUED

CLERK DEPUTY CLERK MAGISTRATE

CLAIM: Plaintiff(s) claim the item(s) below to be unjustly withheld from Plaintiff's possession by Defendant(s).

ITEM	ALTERNATE VALUE	ITEM	ALTERNATE VALUE
1.		5.	
2.		6.	
3.		7.	
4.		8.	

\$ TOTAL ALTERNATE VALUE	\$ COSTS	INTEREST AT THE RATE OF %	\$ AMOUNT CLAIMED AS ATTY'S FEES	\$ DAMAGES CLAIMED DUE TO UNJUST DETENTION
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Plaintiffs seek possession of the items listed above, or their alternative values, damages resulting from the unjust detention of the items by Defendant(s), attorney's fee as indicated and interest as indicated. The alternate values given are based upon actual value [or] amount due on written contract of sale for which the items were offered as security.

THE BASIS OF CLAIM IS: WRITTEN CONTRACT OF SALE OTHER (EXPLAIN)

HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION WAIVED? YES NO cannot be demanded

DATE

PLAINTIFF PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY PLAINTIFF'S EMPLOYEE/AGENT

JUDGMENT that Plaintiff(s) recover against named Defendant(s) possession of each item listed above, or its alternate value as shown above, at the election of Plaintiff(s) [or] Defendant(s), (if made within days, then at election of Plaintiff(s)), with the exception of the following item nos.

(\$..... Total Alternate Value Recoverable): \$..... damages with interest: \$..... costs and \$..... attorney's fee.
INTEREST RATE AND BEGINNING DATE

Homestead exemption waived? Yes No Cannot be demanded

Judgment for Named defendant(s)

Non-suit Dismissed

Defendant(s) present? YES NO

DATE

JUDGE

CASE NO.

PLAINTIFF(S) (LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE INITIAL)

V.

DEFENDANT(S) (LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE INITIAL)

WARRANT IN DETINUE

RECEIPT NO.

DATE FEE RECEIVED

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TO DEFENDANT: You are not required to appear; however, if you fail to appear, judgment may be entered against you. See the additional notice on the reverse about requesting a change of trial location.

To dispute this claim, you must appear on the return date to try this case.

To dispute this claim, you must appear on the return date for the judge to set another date for trial.

Bill of Particulars ORDERED DUE

Grounds of Defense ORDERED DUE

ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF(S)

ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANT(S)

HEARING DATE AND TIME

JUDGMENT PAID OR SATISFIED PURSUANT TO ATTACHED NOTICE OF SATISFACTION.

DATE

CLERK

DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS for loss of hearing, vision, mobility, etc., contact the court ahead of time.

RETURNS: Each defendant was served according to law, as indicated below, unless not found.

NAME	
.....	
ADDRESS	
.....	
<input type="checkbox"/> PERSONAL SERVICE	Tel. No.
Being unable to make personal service, a copy was delivered in the following manner:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Delivered to family member (not temporary sojourner or guest) age 16 or older at usual place of abode of party named above after giving information of its purport. List name, age of recipient, and relation of recipient to party named above.	
.....	
<input type="checkbox"/> Posted on front door or such other door as appears to be the main entrance of usual place of abode, address listed above. (Other authorized recipient not found.)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Served on Secretary of the Commonwealth	
<input type="checkbox"/> NOT FOUND
SERVING OFFICER	
.....	for
DATE	

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OBJECTION TO VENUE:

To the Defendant(s): If you believe that Plaintiff(s) should have filed this suit in a different city or county, you may file a written request to have the case moved for trial to the general district court of that city or county. To do so, you must do the following:

1. Prepare a written request which contains (a) this court's name, (b) the case number and the "return date" as shown on the other side of this form in the right corner, (c) Plaintiff(s)' name(s) and Defendant(s)' name(s), (d) the phrase "I move to object to venue of this case in this court because" and state the reasons for your objection and also state in which city or county the case should be tried, and (e) your signature and mailing address.
2. File the written request in the clerk's office before the trial date (use the mail at your own risk) or give it to the judge when your case is called on the return date. Also send or deliver a copy to plaintiff.
3. If you mail this request to the court, you will be notified of the judge's decision.

I certify that I mailed a copy of this document to the defendants named therein at the address shown therein on	
DATE	<input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff <input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff's Atty. <input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff's Agent
Fi. Fa. issued on	
Interrogatories issued on:	
Garnishment issued on	
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