

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
OF LEBANON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

CIVIL ACTION – FAMILY DIVISION

	:	
Plaintiff	:	
	:	
vs.	:	No.
	:	
	:	
Defendant	:	

NOTICE AND ORDER TO APPEAR

Legal proceedings have been brought against you alleging you have willfully disobeyed an Order of Court for custody.

If you wish to defend against the claim set forth in the following pages, you may but are not required to file in writing with the Court your defenses or objections.

Whether or not you file in writing with the court your defenses or objections, you must appear in person in court on _____ (day and date), at _____, _____M. in Courtroom No. _____, Lebanon County Courthouse, 400 South Eighth Street, Lebanon, Pennsylvania, before the Honorable _____.

IF YOU DO NOT APPEAR IN PERSON, THE COURT MAY ISSUE A WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST.

If the court finds that you have willfully failed to comply with its order, you may be found in contempt of court and committed to jail, fined or both.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO TO OR TELEPHON THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW TO FIND OUT WHERE YOU CAN GET LEGAL HELP.

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513 Chestnut Street
Lebanon, PA 17042
(717) 274-2834**

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BY THE COURT:

_____ **J.**

Date: _____

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PETITION FOR CIVL CONTEMPT FOR DISOBEDIENCE
OF CUSTODYORDER

The Petition of _____ respectfully represents:

1. That on _____, Judge _____ entered an order awarding (Petitioner) (Respondent) (shared legal custody)(sole legal custody)(partial physical custody)(primary physical custody)(shared physical custody)(sole physical custody)(supervised physical custody) of the minor child(ren) _____.

A true and correct copy of the Order is attached to this Petition.

2. Respondent has willfully failed to abide by the Order in that _____

_____.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner requests that Respondent be held in contempt of court.

By: _____
(Signature)

Printed Name (Plaintiff/Defendant)

(Address)

(Telephone No.)

Dated: _____

VERIFICATION

I verify that the statements made in this Petition are true and correct. I understand that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.A. §4904, relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

(Signature) Plaintiff/Defendant

Dated: _____