

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON  
FOR THE COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_  
**Small Claims Department**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Plaintiff

Case No: \_\_\_\_\_

v.

**DEFENDANT'S RESPONSE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant

➤ I need an interpreter:  Spanish  ASL  other: \_\_\_\_\_

**EACH Defendant must file a separate response** (spouses and Registered Domestic Partners may file a joint response)

**PAYMENT OF CLAIM:**

Proof of payment (including fees and costs) to Plaintiff is attached (or proof that the requested property was returned to Plaintiff)

Total Amount Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (or) Describe property and method of return:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**DENIAL OF CLAIM**

I deny the plaintiff's claim and demand a  hearing {or}  jury trial\*

\*The claim must be for more than \$750 (without fees and costs) to request a jury trial

**COUNTERCLAIM:**

I make the following counterclaim\* against the plaintiff for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Counterclaims must arise out of the same transaction or event as the plaintiff's claim.

I, Defendant, claim that on or about (date) \_\_\_\_\_, the above-named plaintiff owed me the amount claimed because \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, and this amount is still due.

If the amount is the value of property that you believe should be given to you, describe the property: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street City/State/ZIP Phone