

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
MACOUPIN COUNTY, ILLINOIS

\_\_\_\_\_  
Plaintiff,

vs.

Case no. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant.

PETITION FOR RULE TO SHOW CAUSE FOR FAILURE  
TO APPEAR FOR HEARING

Now Comes \_\_\_\_\_ and Petitions the Court for a Rule to Show Cause and alleges as follows:

1. On \_\_\_\_\_ (month/day/year) a \_\_\_\_\_ (type of hearing) was scheduled in front of Judge \_\_\_\_\_.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ failed to appear although provided with sufficient notice of the hearing.
3. A proposed Rule to Show Cause Order is attached.

Wherefore, Petitioner prays that this Court issue a Rule to Show Cause requiring \_\_\_\_\_ to show cause, if any, he/she has, as to why he/she should not be held in contempt of Court and punished for failure to appear in Court.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

STATE OF ILLINOIS            )  
COUNTY OF MACOUPIN        )

\_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn, states that he/she is the  
Petitioner in the above cause, and that the contents of the above Petition are true to the  
best of his/her knowledge and belief.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_,  
A.D., 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC

\_\_\_\_\_  
RULE TO SHOW CAUSE ORDER

Petition for Rule to show Cause is set for \_\_\_\_\_ in Courtroom B,  
Macoupin County Courthouse, Carlinville, IL in front of Judge Meyer.  
\_\_\_\_\_ must appear and show cause why he/she should not be  
held in contempt of Court.

All parties must appear.

A warrant for \_\_\_\_\_'s arrest may be issued if he/she fails to  
appear.

A copy of this Rule to Show Cause Order, along with Petition, is to be sent to all parties.

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
JUDGE