

PETITION: SMALL CLAIMS

CAUSE NO.: _____ - _____ - J3

In the Justice Court, Pct. 3, Austin County, Texas

PLAINTIFF: _____

VS.

DEFENDANT(S): _____

Defendant(s) address: _____

COMPLAINT: The basis for the claim which entitles the plaintiff to seek relief against the defendant is:

RELIEF: Plaintiff seeks damages in the amount of \$_____, and/or return of personal property as described as follows (be specific): _____

_____ which has a value of \$_____.

Additionally, plaintiff seeks the following: _____

SERVICE OF CITATION: Service is requested on defendants by personal service at home or work or by alternative service as allowed by the Texas Justice Court Rules of Court. Other addresses where the defendant(s) may be served are: _____.

If you wish to give your consent for the answer and any other motions or pleading to be sent to your email address, please check this box and provide your valid email address: _____

Petitioner's Printed Name

Signature of Plaintiff or Attorney

DEFENDANT(S) INFORMATION (if known):

Address of Plaintiff or Attorney

*Date of Birth: _____

City State Zip

*Last 3 numbers of Drivers License: _____

*Last 3 numbers of Social Security: _____

Defendant(s) phone number: _____

Phone & Fax of Plaintiff or Attorney

CAUSE NO. _____

_____	§	IN THE JUSTICE COURT
Plaintiff	§	
	§	PRECINCT 3
vs	§	
	§	AUSTIN COUNTY, TEXAS
_____	§	
Defendant		

CERTIFICATE OF LAST KNOWN ADDRESS

TO THE CLERK OF THIS COURT:

_____, Plaintiff, hereby certifies to the Clerk of the Court that the last known mailing address of _____, Defendant in the above styled and numbered cause is as follows:

Name

Mailing Address

City, State, Zip

_____ against whom judgment is being sought.
Defendant

Certified Date: _____

Respectfully submitted,

Plaintiff Signature

Address

City, State, Zip

JUSTICE COURT CIVIL CASE INFORMATION SHEET (4/13)

CAUSE NUMBER (FOR CLERK USE ONLY): _____

STYLED _____
 (e.g., John Smith v. All American Insurance Co; In re Mary Ann Jones; In the Matter of the Estate of George Jackson)

A civil case information sheet must be completed and submitted when an original petition is filed to initiate a new suit. The information should be the best available at the time of filing. This sheet, required by Rule of Civil Procedure 502, is intended to collect information that will be used for statistical purposes only. It neither replaces nor supplements the filings or service of pleading or other documents as required by law or rule. The sheet does not constitute a discovery request, response, or supplementation, and it is not admissible at trial.

<p>1. Contact information for person completing case information sheet:</p> <p>Name: _____ Telephone: _____</p> <p>Address: _____ Fax: _____</p> <p>City/State/Zip: _____ State Bar No: _____</p> <p>Email: _____</p> <p>Signature: _____</p>	<p>2. Names of parties in case:</p> <p>Plaintiff(s): _____</p> <p>Defendant(s): _____</p> <p>[Attach additional page as necessary to list all parties]</p>
<p>3. Indicate case type, or identify the most important issue in the case (select only 1):</p>	
<p><input type="checkbox"/> Debt Claim: A debt claim case is a lawsuit brought to recover a debt by an assignee of a claim, a debt collector or collection agency, a financial institution, or a person or entity primarily engaged in the business of lending money at interest. The claim can be for no more than \$10,000, excluding statutory interest and court costs but including attorney fees, if any.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Eviction: An eviction case is a lawsuit brought to recover possession of real property, often by a landlord against a tenant. A claim for rent may be joined with an eviction case if the amount of rent due and unpaid is not more than \$10,000, excluding statutory interest and court costs but including attorney fees, if any.</p>
<p><input type="checkbox"/> Repair and Remedy: A repair and remedy case is a lawsuit filed by a residential tenant under Chapter 92, Subchapter B of the Texas Property Code to enforce the landlord's duty to repair or remedy a condition materially affecting the physical health or safety of an ordinary tenant. The relief sought can be for no more than \$10,000, excluding statutory interest and court costs but including attorney fees, if any.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Small Claims: A small claims case is a lawsuit brought for the recovery of money damages, civil penalties, personal property, or other relief allowed by law. The claim can be for no more than \$10,000, excluding statutory interest and court costs but including attorney fees, if any.</p>