

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS  
SHELBY COUNTY, TENNESSEE

DOCKET NO. \_\_\_\_\_

CIVIL WARRANT  
ACTION TO RECOVER PERSONAL PROPERTY

I, \_\_\_\_\_ plaintiff(s), plaintiff's agent or attorney, do hereby make oath that according to the affiant's information and belief the plaintiff, \_\_\_\_\_, is entitled to the possession of the property proposed to be repossessed, which property is described as follow, to-wit:

VALUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Joe W. Brown; General Sessions Court Clerk By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

State of Tennessee,  
County of Shelby: To Any Lawful Officer to Execute and Return:

Summon \_\_\_\_\_

to appear before the Court of General Sessions of Shelby County, Tennessee, to be held at the courtrooms of said Court in said County on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ M., then and there to answer in a civil action brought by \_\_\_\_\_ for a possessory hearing to determine rights of the parties to possession of:

and for judgment for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

under \$25,000.00 Dollars.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ Joe W. Brown; General Sessions Court Clerk

By \_\_\_\_\_  
DEPUTY CLERK

BOND

We, Principal, and, \_\_\_\_\_ Surety, do hereby bind ourselves, our heirs and assigns \_\_\_\_\_ defendant(s), in the penal sum of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars, being the value of the property above described, this obligation to be void, should the plaintiff(s) pay all costs or damages adjudged against him and shall abide by and perform the judgment of the court.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ Principal

\_\_\_\_\_ Surety



For Assistance in accessing the Courthouse:  
(901) 222-2341

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Plaintiff(s) \_\_\_\_\_

vs.

Defendant(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Division \_\_\_\_\_

**CIVIL WARRANT  
ACTION TO RECOVER  
PERSONAL PROPERTY**

Court of General Sessions

Issued \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

Set for

at \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

at \_\_\_\_\_ a.m./p.m.

\_\_\_\_\_, Atty for Pltf.

Gen. Sess. Code No. \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Atty for Deft.

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

140 Adams Ave Room 106  
Memphis TN

**THE DEFENDANT(S)**

Pursuant to Chapter 915 of the Public Acts of 1978 as amended by Chapter 919 of the Public Acts of 1980, you are hereby given the following notice: Tennessee law provides for a ten thousand dollar (\$10,000.00) debtor's equity interest personal property exemption from execution or seizure to satisfy a judgment. If a judgment should be entered against you in this action and you wish to claim property as exempt, you must file a written list, under oath, of the items you wish to claim as exempt with the Clerk of the Court. The list may be filed at any time and may be changed by you thereafter as necessary; however, unless it is filed before the judgment becomes final, it will not be effective as to any execution or garnishment issued prior to the filing of the list. Certain items are automatically exempt by law and do not need to be listed: these include items of necessary wearing apparel (clothing) for yourself and your family and trunks or other receptacles necessary to contain such apparel, family portraits, the family Bible, and school books. Should any of these items be seized, you would have the right to recover them. If you do not understand your exemption right or how to exercise it, you may wish to seek the counsel of a lawyer.

**FIAT**

Upon the plaintiff posting a bond in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, the defendant(s) is(are) hereby restrained from damaging, concealing, or removing the described property from the jurisdiction of this court.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge, General Sessions Court

**DEFENDANT(S):** IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AND OFFER EVIDENCE, THE COURT SHALL ISSUE THE WRIT OF POSSESSION AND THE JUDGE SHALL ENTER A DEFAULT JUDGMENT FOR THE RELIEF SOUGHT THEREIN.

**WAIVER**

I (we) \_\_\_\_\_, the defendant(s) herein, acknowledge that the plaintiff is entitled to possession of the described property, and I (we) hereby voluntarily waive any right to a hearing by tendering the property herewith to the Officer, and I (we) acknowledge that if I (we) do not appear and answer as to the merits of the matter on the date specified herein, that a default judgment may be rendered against me (us). I (we) the defendants herein acknowledge that the process server has read and explained to me (us) that I (we) have a constitutional right to a hearing and that I (we) have signed this document of waiver voluntarily. I understand, however, that should said tendered property not be sufficient to satisfy plaintiff's entire claim after plaintiff shall have complied with all requirements of the Uniform Commercial Code applicable thereto, plaintiff shall be allowed to recover a deficiency judgment for any balance.

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

This \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

**PPSV/, Floyd Bonner, Sheriff**

**PPSV/Floyd Bonner, Sheriff**

Come to hand same day issued and executed as commanded on:

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

This \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

**Floyd Bonner, Sheriff**

**PPSV/Deputy Sheriff**

WITNESSED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Sheriff

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant

**JUDGMENT**

Judgment for the plaintiff for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and the costs of the cause, and for the possession of the property described in the warrant. The Officer is hereby directed to take the property described in the warrant out of the possession of the defendant(s) and deliver the same to the plaintiff(s). The plaintiff(s) shall dispose of said property in the accordance with the applicable provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code and shall notify the defendant(s) the amount to be credited against this judgment prior to the issuance of any writ of execution.

This \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge Division \_\_\_\_\_