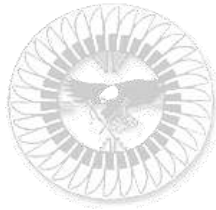


**IN THE TRIBAL COURT
PUEBLO OF ISLETA
ISLETA, NEW MEXICO**



Case No. _____

Petitioner

v.

Respondent

ANSWER TO CIVIL COMPLAINT

If you are filing this form, you are the **Respondent** in this matter. The Plaintiff is the person who filed the complaint against you. **DEADLINE TO FILE THIS ANSWER: (20) days from the date you received the Complaint.** If not filed by the deadline the Court could automatically grant the Petitioner's request as a default judgment. ATTACH COPIES of all documents that support your defense, including, but not limited to: receipts, contracts, letters, or any other documents. DO NOT submit your original(s).

Respondent's Information – *Please provide the information below for Court records and so that a notice for a hearing can be sent by mail.*

Full Name: _____ Date of birth: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Physical Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

1. The Petitioner is not entitled to the amount of damages claimed because:

2. The property claimed by the Petitioner should not be turned over because:

3. I claim the following defenses or counterclaims against the Petitioner:

4. Additional pages attached? Yes No If YES, number of pages? _____

Additional pages are hereby incorporated by reference. **NOTE: All pages must be numbered at the bottom right corner.*

5. Do you have witnesses that you want to testify on your behalf? Yes No

If YES, you must file a Witness List on the appropriate Court form.

6. Do you have exhibits (evidence) you would like to use for your case? Yes No

If YES, you must file a Exhibit List on the appropriate Court form.

I hereby certify that the above is true, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Respondent

Date

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The opposing party must be served with a copy of this ANSWER, in person or by mail. It must be served by a person who is not a party in the case. The Court will not accept this document without completing this form verifying that the defendant was served. *Note: The opposing party does not have to sign this document or any other document for proper service.*

Complete only ONE of the sections below to indicate which method of service was used and proof of service.

Served IN PERSON by:

I, _____, being duly sworn, on oath, state that I am at least 18 years of age and not a party to this lawsuit, and that I served the preceding document on the _____ day of _____, 20____, by delivering a copy thereof in-person to _____ (name of person who received the document).

PRINT Name of Person Making Service

SIGNATURE of Person Making Service

MAILED by United States mail, postage prepaid, and addressed to*:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____

Zip code: _____

****Attach a copy of the postage to this document.***