

Civil Court of the City of New York

County of _____

Part _____

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Index Number _____

**AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF
AN ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
To Restore to Possession**

Address: _____

Apt. # _____

Petitioner,

-against-

Respondent.

State of New York, County of _____ ss.:

_____ being duly sworn,

deposes and says:

(Print your name)

Tenant's
Initials

1. Party

_____ a) I am the tenant named as respondent in the above summary proceeding.

_____ b) I am the person claiming possession of these premises and am the _____
of the tenant named above.

2. Service and Answer

_____ a) I received the Notice of Petition and Petition in this proceeding, filed my answer in the Clerk's Office and received a date for trial.

_____ b) I received a Holdover Notice of Petition and Petition and the date had already passed.

3. Excuse

On the Date of Trial before Judge _____

_____ a) a Judgment was entered against me by default for my *failure to appear*. My reason for not appearing in Court on the date scheduled for **(Trial) (Motion)** is: _____

_____ b) a Judgment was entered **(after trial) (after stipulation) but (I) (the Landlord) failed to comply** with the Order of the Court because: _____

4. Claim and Defense

I allege that I have a good defense to my being evicted from the subject premises.

5. Request

Respondent requests that an Order be entered awarding and restoring the respondent to possession of the subject premises and the issuance of a warrant of eviction forthwith, granting permission to serve these papers in person, and such other relief as this Court deems proper.

6. Prior Order

_____ a) I **have not** had a previous Order to Show Cause regarding this index number.

_____ b) I **have** had a previous Order to Show Cause regarding this index number but I am making this further application because: _____

Sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 20_____

Signature of Respondent

Signature of Court Employee and Title

CIV-LT-11 (Replaces CIV-LT-11B) (Revised 4/04)

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