

SELF-REPRESENTED LITIGANT

RULE TO SHOW CAUSE

This form is intended for litigants who:

- ✓ Wish to rule a person into court to have a hearing on a particular matter.

Information you will need:

1. Your case number and hearing information.
2. The exact name and address of the opposing party or the opposing party's counsel.

Instructions:

These instructions are meant to guide you through the process of **asking the court to require another party to come to court for a hearing on a particular matter.**

This packet of forms is not legal advice and cannot take the place of the advice that a lawyer can give you. It is always best to speak with a lawyer before taking any legal action. **When you represent yourself in court, you must follow all the proper procedures and the law. It is your responsibility to see your case through the whole process.**

1. Be sure you have the correct form.
2. Read all instructions before you begin.
3. Fill in the blanks with 100% accurate information. *Any false statement made in court or written in a court document may constitute perjury.*
4. Check all options that pertain to your situation.
5. For more information, including fees, contact the Clerk of Court's offices in Bossier Parish at (318) 965-2336 or Webster Parish at (318) 371-0366. The offices are open Monday through Friday from 8:30 am - 4:40 pm.

(PETITIONER)

VERSUS

(DEFENDANT)

NO: _____ DIV. _____

26TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

BOSSIER PARISH

STATE OF LOUISIANA

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NOW INTO COURT comes _____ (your name)
a person of the full age of majority and domiciled in _____ Parish,
State of _____ (parish and state where you permanently reside) who respectfully represents
that: _____, (name of the other party) should be
ordered to show cause for the following reasons:

(Add additional pages if necessary.)

Respectfully Submitted:

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

ORDER

Considering the foregoing rule, _____
is hereby ordered to appear on the _____ day of _____, 20____
at _____ am/pm, to show cause.

Bossier Parish, Louisiana, this _____ day of _____, 20____

JUDGE, 26th JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

PLEASE SERVE:

_____ (Name)

_____ (Address)

_____ (Phone Number)