

## COMPLETING THE AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE (Alimony/Property Settlement)

Use this form to ask the court to issue an Order to Show Cause (Enforcement).

The Order to show cause orders a hearing where the other party can testify as to why they think they should not be held in contempt for not following an order for alimony or property settlement.

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Choose the county from the drop-down list.

Enter the name of the plaintiff.

Enter the name of the defendant.

Enter your name.

Check all of the boxes that apply.

Enter the date of the most recent order.

Check all the boxes that apply. For each box you have checked, complete the information being requested.

If you are printing the Application and handwriting the answers, check the first box. If you are typing in your answers, check the second box.

Enter the case number.

Enter the name of the other party.

Enter the name of the other party.

Nebraska State Court Form  
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☒ Printing the form and handwriting the answers.  
☐ Completing the form electronically.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, NEBRASKA  
Choose the court

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name of plaintiff in original action) Plaintiff, Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

vs. \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of defendant in original action) Defendant.

**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE (Alimony/Property Settlement)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, without the assistance of an attorney, ask  
(your name)

this court for an order requiring \_\_\_\_\_ to  
(name of person ordered to pay alimony or comply with property settlement)

show cause why he/she should not be held in contempt for failing to (check all that apply):  
☐ pay alimony ☐ comply with the property settlement as ordered.

In support of my application, I state that the following items are true:

1. On \_\_\_\_\_, an order was entered requiring  
(date judge signed order)

\_\_\_\_\_ to (check all that apply):  
(name of person ordered to pay alimony or comply with property settlement)

☐ pay alimony of \_\_\_\_\_ per month beginning \_\_\_\_\_  
(amount of monthly alimony ordered) (date alimony ordered to begin)

☐ comply with the property settlement terms. The other party has not followed the order in the following ways:

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

Check all the boxes that apply. For each box you have checked, complete the information being requested.

Enter the name of the other party.

Enter the name of the other party and check all of the boxes that apply.

2. The above order is still in effect.

3. Check all that apply:

☐ \_\_\_\_\_ is more than one  
(name of person ordered to pay alimony)  
month behind in the payment of alimony. As of \_\_\_\_\_,  
(date alimony shortage computed)  
\_\_\_\_\_ owes a total of \_\_\_\_\_ in alimony.  
(name of person ordered to pay alimony) (amount of support owed)

☐ \_\_\_\_\_ has not complied  
(name of person ordered to comply with a property settlement)  
with the property settlement terms defined in the order.

4. \_\_\_\_\_'s failure to pay or  
(name of person ordered to pay alimony or comply with property settlement)  
comply as ordered is willful.

WHEREFORE, I request the court issue an order directing  
\_\_\_\_\_ to appear before this  
(name of person ordered to pay alimony or comply with property settlement)  
court on a specific day and at a specific time to show cause why he/she should  
not be held in contempt for failing to (check all that apply):  
☐ pay alimony ☐ comply with the property settlement ordered by the court.  
☐ I further request that \_\_\_\_\_ be ordered  
(name of person ordered to pay alimony or comply with property settlement)  
to pay the expenses of this action and for any further relief that may be just.

\*NOTE: IF there is child support included in the order, you will get this date from the Nebraska Child Support Payment Center. IF there is no child support included in the order, you will get this date from the clerk of the district court.

Enter the name of the other party if you are asking for them to be ordered to pay the expenses.

**DO NOT** Sign and date the form until a notary is there to witness. Enter your printed name, your address, telephone number, and your email address.

**Read this statement carefully.**

If you **CANNOT** receive emails, check the box, and use the lines to explain why you can't.

**SIGN IN FRONT OF NOTARY PUBLIC**

I hereby swear, or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address/P.O. Box: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Nebraska Supreme Court Rule § 2-208 requires individuals who are not attorneys and representing themselves to provide their email address. The court will use the email address to send notices from the court about this case **except** for items that require another type of service as directed by statute or Nebraska Supreme Court Rule.

If you no longer have email capability or if your email or other contact information changes, you must complete a [Change of Contact Information Form](#).

☐ By checking this box, I am letting the court know that I do not have the ability to receive emails. The reason I cannot receive email is: \_\_\_\_\_

State of \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 ) ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

This document was acknowledged before me by \_\_\_\_\_  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Judge/Clerk of the Court/Notary Public  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Serial Number (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

The notary will complete this section **WHEN** they witness you signing the form.