

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY**

**MOTION AND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
FOR CONTEMPT (SUPPORT)**

CASE NO.

Court address

Court telephone no.

Plaintiff's name, address, and telephone no.

MOTION

1. _____
Name of payer
was ordered to pay support.
2. The office of the friend of the court has reviewed the records and determined that the past-due support amount on _____ is
Date
\$ _____, which exceeds the statutory amount allowed.
3. **I request** the court issue an order to show cause why the payer named above should not be found in contempt for failure to comply with the court's order.

Attorney:

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Defendant's name, address, and telephone no.

Attorney:

USE NOTE: This form is for use by the friend of the court. Parties should use form MC 230.

_____ Date

_____ Friend of the court/Authorized representative

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

4. _____ shall appear on _____
Name of payer Date
at _____ at _____
Time Location

to show cause why he/she should not be held in contempt for failure to comply with the court's order. If the named party fails to appear, he/she may be found in contempt and a bench warrant may be issued for his/her arrest. If contempt is found, the court may apply any enforcement remedy allowed under law.

5. This matter will be heard before a referee; however, this matter may be taken before the judge for immediate hearing if necessary.

_____ Date

_____ Judge Bar no.

NOTE: Your driver's, occupational, and recreational licenses may be suspended at this hearing if you fail to appear or to pay the arrearage in full.

NOTICE REGARDING HEARING:

Each party attending the hearing must dress in a manner appropriate for a court hearing and must not carry any weapons into the courthouse or office of the friend of the court.

- Do not bring any child to court who will not be called to testify.
- Complete the attached forms that apply, following the instructions provided.

If you require special accommodations to use the court because of a disability, or if you require a foreign language interpreter to help you fully participate in court proceedings, please contact the court immediately to make arrangements. When contacting the court, provide your case number(s).

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on this date I served a copy of this motion and order on the parties or their attorneys by first-class mail addressed to their last-known addresses as defined in MCR 3.203.

_____ Date

_____ Signature