IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF _____ COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

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Plaintiff	:	NO. _____
	:	
v.	:	
	:	
_____	:	IN CUSTODY
Defendant		

NOTICE AND ORDER TO APPEAR

Legal proceedings have been brought against you alleging you have willfully disobeyed an order of court for custody.

If you wish to defend against the claim set forth in the following pages, you may but are not required to file in writing with the court your defenses or objections.

Whether or not you file in writing with the court your defenses or objections, you must appear in person in court on _____ (day and date) at _____ (time) in Courtroom _____, _____(address).

IF YOU DO NOT APPEAR IN PERSON, THE COURT MAY ISSUE A WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST.

If the court finds that you have willfully failed to comply with its order for legal custody or physical custody, you may be found to be in contempt of court and committed to jail, fined or both.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW. THIS OFFICE CAN ROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER.

IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE.

_____
(Name)

_____
(Street Address)

_____
(City, State, Zip)

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(Telephone Number)

BY THE COURT

Date: _____ _____ J.

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