

Superior Court of Washington, County of \_\_\_\_\_

In re:

Petitioner/s (person/s who started this case):  
\_\_\_\_\_

And Respondent/s (other party/parties):  
\_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Order to Go to Court for Contempt Hearing  
(Order to Show Cause)  
(ORTSC)

Clerk's action required: **2**

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(Order to Show Cause)**

**1. Findings**

The court has reviewed the *Motion for Contempt Hearing* filed by the (check one):

Petitioner  Respondent and finds there is reason to approve this order.

**2. The court orders (name):** \_\_\_\_\_ to:



**Go to court on:** \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  a.m.  p.m.  
*date* *time*

at: \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_  
*court's address* *room or department*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*docket/calendar or judge/commissioner's name*

At the hearing, you must show why the court should **not** approve the requests made by the other party and find you in contempt.

**Warning!** If you do not go to the hearing, the court may:

- Approve the other party's requests without hearing your side, and
- Issue a warrant for your arrest.

If the other party has asked the court to send you to jail, and you cannot afford a lawyer, you may ask the court to appoint a lawyer to represent you.

**3. Other orders (if any):**

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**Ordered.**

\_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  
*Date* *Judge or Commissioner*

Presented by:  Petitioner  Respondent

 \_\_\_\_\_ *Sign here* \_\_\_\_\_ *Print name (if lawyer, also list WSBA #)* \_\_\_\_\_ *Date*