

**MAGISTRATE COURT OF CHATHAM COUNTY**  
**Statement of Claim Answer/Counterclaim**

Civil Action No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Plaintiff(s): \_\_\_\_\_

vs

Defendant(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**Answer**

Defendant was served with a claim from this Court and shows the Court the following:

- \_\_\_\_\_ I admit the claim of the Plaintiff.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Defendant is not indebted to Plaintiff in any amount.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Defendant is not indebted to the Plaintiff in the amount claimed, but is indebted to Plaintiff in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Defendant paid the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ in full settlement of Plaintiff's claim.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The debt claimed by the Plaintiff was discharged in bankruptcy in Bankruptcy Court case number \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The instrument sued upon was executed and delivered without consideration.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The Court lacks jurisdiction because the amount sued for exceeds the jurisdiction of the Court established in O.C.G.A. § 15-10-2.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The Defendant was not properly served.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Venue is improper because the Defendant is a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County, Georgia. The case should be transferred to the proper county.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

**Counterclaim**

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**By authority of Uniform Magistrate Court Rule 19 and O.C.G.A. § 15-10-53, I swear or affirm, by affixing my electronic signature, that the statements set forth in the above pleading are true and correct and the date of execution is the date of receipt of electronic control by the Court.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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