

**NEVADA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
(SMALL CLAIMS)**

Case No. _____

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

Defendant(s)

**DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF
APPEARANCE BY INDIVIDUAL OTHER
THAN PLAINTIFF OR DEFENDANT
(CCP SECTION 116.540)**

I, _____, declare as follows:

- 1. I am authorized to appear in this small claims action on behalf of _____.
- 2. The basis for my authority to appear on behalf of the party named above is:
 - a. The above-named party is a corporation or an unincorporated association or a partnership and I am a regular employee, or a duly appointed or elected officer or director or a partner of the above-named party engaged for purposes other than solely representing the party in small claims court. CCP Section 116.540(b)(c)
 - b. The above named party is a sole proprietorship. I am a regular employee of the above-named party employed for purposes other than solely representing this party in small claims court. I am qualified to testify to the identity and mode of preparation of business records and the claim in this case can be proved or disputed by evidence of an account that constitutes a business record as defined in Evidence Code Section 1271 and there is no other issue of fact in the case. CCP Section 116.540(d)
 - c. The above-named party is the plaintiff and serving on active military duty out of this state and whose present service assignment is for more than six (6) months and whose military assignment was made after filing this present claim. I am serving without compensation. I have appeared in small claims actions on behalf of others no more than four (4) times during the calendar year. CCP Section 116.540(e)
 - d. The above-named party is incarcerated in a county jail, a Department of Corrections facility, or a Youth Authority facility. I am serving without compensation. I have appeared in small claims actions on behalf of others no more than four (4) times during the calendar year. CCP Section 116.540(f)
 - e. The above named party is a non-resident owner of real property. I am serving without compensation and have appeared in small claims actions on behalf of others no more than four (4) times during the calendar year. CCP Section 116.540(g)

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on _____ at _____ am/pm, at _____, California.

Signature of Declarant