Sample Summons & Complaint Forms For Employers Appealing A Tax Decision

DISCLAIMER: The following forms are intended solely as a guideline for those appealing decisions of the Labor and Industry Review Commission to the circuit court. It is not meant to be legal advice, nor is it legal advice in any fashion. The following forms do not in any way remove from the individual the responsibility to research and comply with all applicable statutory requirements for the filing and processing of an appeal of a commission decision with the circuit court. For legal advice, you may want to contact an attorney.

Note to Employers:

A <u>corporation</u> or a <u>limited liability company (LLC)</u> must be represented by an attorney in order to file legal pleadings with a court.

| STATE OF WISCONSIN | CIRCUIT COURT BRANCH_ (Court Will Assign) | COUNTY (County Name) | | | |
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| (Final and Normal) | , Plaintiff | | SUMMONS | | |
| (Employer's Name) (Employer's Address) | | Case No | (Court Will Assign) | | |
| vs. | | #30607 – 2 | Administrative Agency Review | | |
| Labor and Industry Review (3319 West Beltline Highway P. O. Box 8126 Madison WI 53708-8126, | • | | | | |
| and | | | | | |
| Department of Workforce De UI Division Bureau of Legal 201 East Washington Avenu P.O. Box 8942 Madison WI 53708-8942, | Affairs e | | | | |
| | Defendants | • | | | |

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN

To each person named above as a defendant:

You are hereby notified that the plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The complaint, which is attached, states the nature and basis of the legal action.

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You may have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not provide a proper answer within twenty (20) days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

| Dated: | |
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| - | (Write the Date on Which You are Signing this Summons) |
| Signatu | re of Plaintiff: |
| C | (Must be Signed by Plaintiff or Plaintiff's Attorney) |
| | (If Plaintiff is a Composition on IIC Must be Signed by an Attornoy) |

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| (Employer's Name) | , Plaintiff | COMPLAINT |
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| , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | Defendants. | |
| The above named pla | intiff, for his/her cause | of action against the above |
| named defendants respectfu | ally shows to the court t | hat: |
| 1. The plaintiff is a/a | nn (State Nature of Business Or | whose principal |
| place of business is at | nintiff's Address) | |
| 2. The Department o | f Workforce Developme | nt (department) is an |
| administrative agency of the | e State of Wisconsin tha | at is required to be made a party |
| to this proceeding by Wis. S | tat. § 108.10(4). | |

| 3. The Labor and Industry Review Commission is an independent, higher |
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| authority administrative agency of the State of Wisconsin responsible for deciding |
| disputed claims for unemployment insurance, with final review authority over |
| disputed department decisions. |
| 4. On, in a proceeding under, in a proceeding under |
| (Insert Date of the Commission's Decision) ch. 108, Stats., the Wisconsin Unemployment Insurance law, the Labor and |
| Industry Review Commission made certain findings and, based upon such findings, |
| made and entered its decision. |
| 5. Plaintiff is aggrieved by reason of said findings and decision, and brings |
| this action for a review of said findings and decision, upon the grounds that the |
| commission's decision was erroneous, in the following respects: |
| (Explain Basis for the Appeal) |
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| Wherefore, | plaintiff | demands | judgment | that | the | findings | and | decision |
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| complained of be set aside, and for such other or further judgment, order or relief as | | | | | | | | |
| the circumstances may warrant. | | | | | | | | |
| Dated: (Write the Date on Which You are Signing this Complaint) | | | | | | | | |
| Signature of Plain | (M | | by Plaintiff or boration or LLC | | | | orney) | |