

In the Iowa District Court for \_\_\_\_\_ County

**Plaintiff**

*Full name of Plaintiff: first, middle, last*

vs.

**Defendant**

*Full name of Defendant: first, middle, last*

Civil case no. \_\_\_\_\_

**Expedited Civil Action Certification**

Plaintiff, \_\_\_\_\_, together with Plaintiff's attorney,  
*Name of Plaintiff*

\_\_\_\_\_, elect to bring this lawsuit as an Expedited  
*Name of attorney*

Civil Action under Iowa Rule of Civil Procedure 1.281.

Plaintiff certifies that the sole relief sought is a money judgment and that all claims (other than compulsory counterclaims) for all damages by or against any one party total \$75,000 or less, including damages of any kind, penalties, pre-filing interest, and attorney fees, but excluding prejudgment interest accrued after the filing date, postjudgment interest, and costs.

Plaintiff certifies the following:

1. I am a plaintiff in this action.
2. If I am represented by an attorney, I have conferred with my attorney about using the Expedited Civil Action procedures available to parties in the State of Iowa.
3. I understand that by electing to proceed under Expedited Civil Action procedures, the total amount of my recovery will not exceed \$75,000, excluding prejudgment interest accrued after the filing, postjudgment interest, and court costs. Additionally, no single defendant can be liable for more than \$75,000 to all plaintiffs combined, excluding prejudgment interest accrued after the filing, postjudgment interest, and court costs.
4. I understand that if a jury were to award more than \$75,000 as damages to me, or if a jury were to award more than \$75,000 in total against a single defendant, the trial judge would reduce the amount of the judgment to \$75,000, plus any applicable interest and court costs to which I may be entitled.

With this knowledge, I agree to proceed under the Expedited Civil Action procedures.

Dated this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Plaintiff*

## Oath and Signatures

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the  
*Print Plaintiff's name*  
laws of the State of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
*Month Day Year*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Handwritten signature of Plaintiff*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Full name of Plaintiff: first, middle, last*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Plaintiff's attorney's name, if applicable*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of attorney, if applicable*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Law firm, if applicable*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Mailing addr. of attorney (or Plaintiff if unrepresented)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Telephone no. of attorney (or Plaintiff if unrepresented)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Email address of attorney (or Plaintiff if unrepresented)*

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*Additional email address, if available*