

4-302. Answer to civil complaint.

[For use with Rule 3-302 NMRA]

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE _____ COURT No. _____

_____ COUNTY

_____, Plaintiff

against

_____, Defendant

ANSWER TO CIVIL COMPLAINT

1. The amount of damages claimed by Plaintiff is not owed because

or

1. The personal property claimed by Plaintiff should not be turned over to Plaintiff because:

2. [If applicable] Defendant asserts the following counterclaim or set-off against Plaintiff:

3. Trial by jury is (not) demanded. [If Plaintiff has already demanded trial by jury, as indicated in the complaint, a jury will be provided automatically and you need not fill in this item. If Plaintiff has not demanded trial by jury, you may do so here, but if you do you must pay an additional cost upon filing this answer.]

4. An audio recording of the trial is (not) demanded. [If you do not request an audio recording, your right to appeal may be limited.]

_____, _____

Signed

Name [print]

Address [print]

City, State and Zip Code [print]

Telephone number

(This Answer must be filed with the court on or before the date set in the Summons.)