

Name and Address of Court:

SMALL CLAIMS CASE NO.:

ATTORNEY-CLIENT FEE DISPUTE (ATTACHMENT TO NOTICE OF ENTRY OF JUDGMENT)
(Attach to Notice of Entry of judgment)

1. **Trial after arbitration.** A trial after arbitration of an attorney- client fee dispute
- a. is denied because
- (1) The arbitration award is binding.
- (2) Plaintiff willfully failed to appear at the arbitration hearing.
- b. is granted, and a trial
- (1) was held on *(date)*:
- (2) will be held on *(date)*:

2. **Correction of award.** The arbitration award is
- a. corrected as follows *(specify)*:

b. and in all other respects the award is confirmed as indicated below in item 4b.

3. **Vacation of award.** The arbitration award is vacated ("canceled").
- a. A new arbitration hearing is ordered before
- (1) new arbitrators. *(See Code of Civil Procedure section 1287.)*
- (2) the original arbitrators. *(See Code of Civil Procedure section 1287.)*
- The attorney and client are both ordered to appear at the new arbitration hearing.

b. No new arbitration hearing is ordered.

4. **Confirmation of award.** The arbitration award is
- a. not confirmed.
- (1) The award is vacated under item 3 above.
- (2) The case is dismissed. *(See Code of Civil Procedure section 1287.2)*

- b. confirmed
- (1) As made by the arbitrators. *(A copy of the award is attached.)*
- (2) As corrected in item 2 above. *(A copy of the award is attached.)*

5. Payment.

- a. The plaintiff defendant shall pay to plaintiff defendant
- (1) disputed fees and costs of: \$
- (2) costs of this proceeding of: \$
- b. Neither the plaintiff nor the defendant shall pay the other anything.

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