

**Defence form**  
(demotion of tenancy)  
(suspension of right to buy)

Name of court	Claim No.
Name of Claimant	
Name of Defendant	
Date of hearing	

**Personal details**

Please give your:

Forename(s)

Surname

Address (if different from the address on the claim form)

Post code

*(Demotion claims only)*

Did you receive the notice from the claimant referred to at paragraph 9 of the particulars of claim?

Yes

No

If Yes, when:

DD/MM/YY

**Disputing the claim**

Do you agree with what is said about your conduct or use of the property?

Yes

No

If No, set out your reasons below:

(Continue overleaf)

(Use additional sheets if necessary)

**Statement of Truth**

\*(I believe)(The defendant(s) believe(s)) that the facts stated in this defence form are true.

\* I am duly authorised by the defendant(s) to sign this statement.

signed \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

\*(Defendant)(Litigation friend(*where defendant is a child or a patient*))(Defendant's solicitor)

\**delete as appropriate*

Full name \_\_\_\_\_

Name of defendant's solicitor's firm \_\_\_\_\_

position or office held \_\_\_\_\_

*(if signing on behalf of firm or company)*