

State of Minnesota

District Court

County of: _____

Court File Number: _____

Judicial District: _____

Case Type: _____

Creditor's full name

vs.

Debtor's full name

and

Third Party (Bank, Employer, or Other)

Notice of Garnishment (JGM805)

Minn. Stat. § 571.912, subd. 1

Important Notice Money in Your Account Has Been Frozen

The creditor has frozen money in your account at your bank.

Your account balance is \$ _____

The amount being held is \$ _____

The amount being held is frozen for 14 days from the date of this notice.

Some of your money in your account may be protected (the legal word is exempt). You may be able to get it sooner than 14 days if you act quickly and follow the instructions on the next page.

The attached *Exemption Form* lists some different ways money in your account may be protected. If your money comes from a benefit on this list, put a check next to it. The creditor can't take it.

BUT, if you want the bank to unfreeze your money, **you must follow the instructions and return the *Exemption Form* with copies of your bank statements from the last 60 days.** Instructions and the form are attached. If you don't follow the instructions your bank gives the money to your creditor. If your creditor gets an order from the court or *Writ of Execution*, your bank gives the money to them. If that happens and your money is protected, you can still get it back from the creditor later. But filling out the form now is easiest.

See the attached *Exemption Form Instructions* (JGM406) and *Exemption Form* (JGM401) for your next steps.