

Court of Appeals State of Arizona

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<p>Appellant/Petitioner <i>(party who filed the appeal):</i></p>	<p>Court of Appeals case number:</p>
<p>Appellee/Respondent <i>(party responding to the appeal):</i></p>	<p>Court/agency appealed from:</p> <p>Case number(s):</p>

Informal Answering Brief

INFORMAL ANSWERING BRIEF

(attach additional sheets as necessary, up to a total of 50 pages including this form)

1. **FACTS.** Include any facts not in the opening brief that the court needs to know to decide your case. *(If possible, refer to documents or transcripts in the record.)*

2. **RESPONSE TO OPENING BRIEF ARGUMENTS.** List each argument raised in the opening brief and your response to that argument. Do not raise new arguments except in response to arguments made in the opening brief. *(If possible, include laws, cases, or rules that support your response.)*

A. ARGUMENT NUMBER 1.

What is the first argument in the opening brief to which you are responding?

What is your response to that argument?

B. ARGUMENT NUMBER 2.

What is the second argument in the opening brief to which you are responding?

What is your response to that argument?

C. ARGUMENT NUMBER 3.

What is the third argument in the opening brief to which you are responding?

What is your response to that argument?

3. **ATTORNEYS' FEES.** Self-represented parties may not ask for an award of attorneys' fees on appeal. A party represented by an attorney may request an award of fees in their opening or answering brief. If the other party wants to object to the request, they must do it in their next brief, either the answering or reply brief.

Did the opening brief ask the court to award attorneys' fees to the other party for this appeal?

Answer yes or no: _____

If yes, what is your response to that request? *(If possible, include laws, cases, or rules that support your argument.)*

Signature

Printed Name

Date