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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF IDAHO

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Civil No.

PLAINTIFF,

Judge

v.

DAREN L. PALMER and TRIGON GROUP, INC., a

Nevada Corporation,

COMPLAINT

DEFENDANTS.

Plaintiff, Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"), for its
Complaint against Defendants alleges as follows:

INTRODUCTION

1. This matter involves the offer and sale of unregistered securities by Trigon Group, Inc. (“Trigon”) and its principal, Daren L. Palmer (“Palmer”).
2. Trigon markets itself as an investment business specializing in helping clients generate cash flow through its trading program, which purportedly generated annual returns of 20-25% per year.
3. Trigon and Palmer sold securities in the form of promissory notes and investment contracts to over 55 investors in unregistered, non-exempt transactions raising at least \$40 million.
4. Palmer marketed himself and Trigon to investors by representing that he had a complex, riskless trading strategy through which he invested in indexes, S&P 500 options or futures, currency futures and stocks in a way that generated consistent annual returns of 20 percent or greater.
5. Palmer placed only a fraction of investor funds into trading accounts and, instead of generating the fantastic returns he claimed, Palmer used investor funds to pay personal expenses and to pay bogus returns to earlier investors in a classic Ponzi scheme.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

6. This Court has subject matter jurisdiction by authority of Sections 20 and 22 of the Securities Act of 1933 (the “Securities Act”) [15 U.S.C. §§ 77t and 77v] and Sections 21 and Section 27 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the “Exchange Act”) [15 U.S.C. §§ 78u and 78aa].
7. Defendants, directly and indirectly, singly and in concert, have made use of the means and instrumentalities of interstate commerce and the mails in connection with the transactions, acts and courses of business alleged herein, certain of which have occurred within the District of Idaho.

8. Venue for this action is proper in the District of Idaho under Section 22(a) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77v(a)] and under Section 27 of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78aa] because certain of the transactions, acts, practices, and courses of business alleged in this Complaint took place in this district and because certain of the defendants reside in and transact business in this district.
9. Defendants, unless restrained and enjoined by this Court, will continue to engage in the transactions, acts, practices, and course of business alleged herein and in transactions, acts, practices, and courses of business of similar purport and object.
10. Defendants' conduct took place in connection with the offer, purchase and/or sale of securities in the form of Promissory Notes or investment contracts.

DEFENDANTS

11. **Trigon Group, Inc.** ("Trigon") is a Nevada corporation headquartered in Idaho Falls, Idaho. Trigon claims to be an investment business, specializing in helping clients generate high annual returns of approximately 20-25 percent through a proprietary trading strategy. Palmer is the sole owner of Trigon. Trigon has not registered any offering of its securities under the Securities Act or a class of Securities under the Exchange Act.
12. **Daren L. Palmer** ("Palmer"), age 40, is an Idaho resident living in Idaho Falls, Idaho. Palmer is the President and sole owner of Trigon. Palmer has never been registered with the Commission in any capacity and has never been licensed to sell securities.

BACKGROUND

13. Beginning in 1996 and continuing through October 2008, Trigon and Palmer sold securities in the form of promissory notes and investment contracts to

14. The majority of Palmer's investors live in Idaho Falls, Idaho, as part of a close community of Palmer's friends and neighbors.
15. Palmer marketed himself and Trigon to investors by representing that he had learned a complex trading strategy through which he invested in indexes, S&P 500 options or futures, currency futures and stocks in a way that generated consistent annual returns of 20 percent or greater.
16. Palmer touted his reputation in the Idaho Falls community as an honest family man who had a long track record of producing high returns for investors.
17. Palmer explained to investors that his trading program was difficult to understand but that it essentially operated like a hedge fund. Palmer told investors that their funds would be combined with the funds of other investors and traded as one fund.
18. Palmer told investors that there were no risks to their principal and that high returns were guaranteed. Palmer claimed that he had been generating 20 percent or greater annual returns for more than twelve years.
19. Palmer advised investors to place monies with him and Trigon in part because, under his trading strategy, he could earn high returns regardless of how the market performed.
20. Palmer told investors that he would be compensated through the portion of the trading profits in excess of the 20% returns he promised to investors.
21. In some instances, Palmer evidenced the investment monies he received with a Promissory Note ("Note"). Palmer signed the Notes individually or as the President of Trigon.

22. While the Notes to individual investors are not identical, they commonly state that Palmer owes the investor the principal plus interest of 20 to 25 percent annually.
23. In some instances, Palmer's Notes indicated that the investor would be paid with interest at the rate per performance from Trigon. In such cases, investors were verbally promised a return of at least 20 percent.
24. Palmer recruited investors through referrals from other investors. Many of Palmer's early investors mentioned their positive experiences with Trigon and Palmer to their families and neighbors, who then invested with Palmer.
25. Some investors obtained lines of credit in order to invest funds with Palmer since Palmer guaranteed a high rate of return with no risk to their principal.
26. Palmer communicated with investors and prospective investors through emails, text messaging, the postal service and phone calls. Investors wired funds to bank accounts Palmer controlled.

THE SCHEME FALLS APART

27. Beginning in October 2008, investors became concerned about Trigon and Palmer because Trigon failed to pay investors their promised quarterly interest payments.
28. Palmer asked investors to wait for their checks and gave a variety of explanations for his delay, including the downturn in the market.
29. On December 15, 2008, after failing to make timely quarterly payments to investors, Palmer admitted that he had lost investors' principals.

PALMER'S MISREPRESENTATIONS

30. Palmer did not have a successful trading strategy which generated annual returns of over 20 percent per year. Most investors' funds were not placed in any type of trading account whatsoever.

31. Palmer prepared and provided investors with quarterly statements that represented falsely-earned profits from Palmer's purported trading activity.
32. Instead of generating returns of 20-25 percent for investors, Palmer paid earlier investors' quarterly payments with funds derived from newly-invested money.
33. Palmer also used investor funds for personal purposes including making payments on credit cards, a partially completed \$12 million mansion in Idaho Falls, purchasing snow mobiles and paying himself a "salary."
34. Palmer failed to disclose that he paid himself a huge salary or used investor funds for personal purposes.
35. Palmer did not reveal to investors that he paid their quarterly returns with funds from new investors.
36. Palmer told investors he was licensed to sell securities.
37. Palmer has never held any securities licenses.
38. Palmer's misrepresentations and omissions were material to a reasonable investor.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION
EMPLOYMENT OF A DEVICE, SCHEME OR ARTIFICE TO DEFRAUD
Violation of Section 17(a)(1) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77q(a)(1)]

39. The Commission realleges and incorporates by reference the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above.
40. Defendants, and each of them, by engaging in conduct described in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above, directly or indirectly, in the offer or sale of securities, by the use of the means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or by use of the mails, with scienter, employed devices, schemes, or artifices to defraud.

41. By reason of the foregoing, Defendants, and each of them, directly or indirectly, violated, and unless restrained and enjoined by this Court, will continue to violate Section 17(a)(1) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77q(a)(1)].

SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION
FRAUD IN THE OFFER AND SALE OF SECURITIES
Violations of Section 17(a)(2) and (3) of the Securities Act
[15 U.S.C. § 77q(a)(2) and (3)]

42. The Commission realleges and incorporates by reference the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above.
43. Defendants, and each of them, by engaging in the conduct described in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above, directly and indirectly, in the offer and sale of securities, by the use of the means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or by use of the mails, obtained money or property by means of untrue statements of material fact or by omitting to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, and engaged in transactions, practices, or courses of business which operate or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon the purchaser.
44. By reason of the foregoing, Defendants, and each of them, directly or indirectly, violated, and unless restrained and enjoined will continue to violate, Section 17(a)(2) and 17(a)(3) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. §§ 77q(a)(2) and 77q(a)(3)].

**THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION
FRAUD IN CONNECTION WITH THE PURCHASE AND
SALE OF SECURITIES**

**Violations of Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78j(b)] and Rule 10b-5
thereunder [17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5]**

45. The Commission realleges and incorporates by reference the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above.
46. Defendants, and each of them, by engaging in the conduct described in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above, directly or indirectly, by the use of means or instrumentalities of interstate commerce or use of the mails, in connection with the purchase or sale of securities, with scienter, (1) employed devices, schemes, or artifices to defraud; (2) made untrue statements of material fact or omitted to state a material fact necessary in order to make statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made not misleading; or (3) engaged in acts, practices, or courses of business that operated or would operate as a fraud and deceit upon other persons.
47. By reason of the foregoing, Defendants, and each of them, violated, and unless restrained and enjoined will continue to violate Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78j(b)] and Rule 10b-5 thereunder [17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5].

**FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION
OFFER AND SALE OF UNREGISTERED SECURITIES**

Violation of Sections 5(a) and (c) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77e(a) and (c)]

48. The Commission realleges and incorporates by reference the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above.
49. Defendants, and each of them, by engaging in the conduct described in paragraphs 1 through 38, above, directly or indirectly, through use of the means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or the

mails, offered to sell or sold securities or, directly or indirectly, or carried such securities through the mails or in interstate commerce, for the purpose of sale or delivery after sale.

50. No registration statement has been filed with the Commission or has been in effect with respect to these securities.
51. By reason of the foregoing, Defendants, directly or indirectly violated, and unless enjoined will continue to violate Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. §§ 77e(a) and 77e(c)].

**FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION
OFFER AND SALE OF SECURITIES BY AN
UNREGISTERED BROKER OR DEALER
Violation of Section 15(a) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78o(a)]**

52. The Commission realleges and incorporates by reference the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 38, above.
53. Defendant Palmer, directly or indirectly, made use of the mails or the means or instrumentalities of interstate commerce to effect transactions in, or to induce or attempt to induce the purchase and sale of, securities without being registered as a broker or dealer with the Commission or associated with a broker-dealer registered with the Commission.
54. By reason of the foregoing, Defendant Palmer violated, and unless restrained and enjoined will continue to violate, Section 15(a) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. 78o(a)].

RELIEF REQUESTED

WHEREFORE, the Commission respectfully requests that this Court:

I

Issue findings of fact and conclusions of law that the Defendants committed the violations charged herein.

II

Issue in a form consistent with Rule 65(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure orders that preliminarily and permanently enjoin, Defendant Trigon, and its officers agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and accountants, and those persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of the order by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, from engaging in transactions, acts, practices, and courses of business described herein, and from engaging in conduct of similar purport and object in violation of Sections 5(a), 5(c) and 17(a) of the Securities Act, and Sections 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5 thereunder.

III

Issue in a form consistent with Rule 65(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure orders that preliminarily and permanently enjoin, Defendant Palmer, and his officers agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and accountants, and those persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of the order by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, from engaging in transactions, acts, practices, and courses of business described herein, and from engaging in conduct of similar purport and object in violation of Sections 5(a), 5(c) and 17(a) of the Securities Act, and Sections 10(b) and 15(a) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5 thereunder.

IV

Issue, in a form consistent with Rule 65(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, orders that temporarily, preliminarily and permanently enjoin Defendants, and their officers, agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and accountants, and those persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of the order by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, from: (A) transferring, changing, wasting, dissipating, converting, concealing, or otherwise disposing of, in any manner, any funds, assets, claims, or other property or assets owned or controlled by, or in the

possession or custody of these Defendants; and (B) transferring, assigning, selling, hypothecating, or otherwise disposing of any assets of Trigon.

V

Issue in a form consistent with Rule 65(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure orders that temporarily, preliminary and permanently restrain and enjoin Defendants, and each of them, and their officers agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and accountants, and those persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of the order by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, from destroying, mutilating, concealing, transferring, altering, or otherwise disposing of, in any manner, books, records, computer programs, computer files, computer printouts, correspondence, including e-mail, whether stored electronically or in hard-copy, memoranda, brochures, or any other documents of any kind that pertain in any manner to the business of the Defendants.

VI

Enter an order directing Defendants, and each of them, to pay civil money penalties pursuant to Section 20(d) of the Securities Act and Section 21(d)(3) of the Exchange Act.

VII

Enter an order directing Defendants to disgorge all ill-gotten gains received during the period of violative conduct and pay prejudgment interest on such ill-gotten gains.

VIII

Grant such further equitable relief as this Court deems just, appropriate, and necessary, including, but not limited to, a freeze of assets and the acceleration of discovery, including the forthwith production of documents.

IX

Retain jurisdiction of this action in accordance with the principles of equity and the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure in order to implement and carry out the terms of all orders and decrees that may be entered, or to entertain any suitable application or motion for additional relief within the jurisdiction of this Court.

Dated this 26th day of February 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Karen L. Martinez

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CIVIL COVER SHEET

The JS 44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replace nor supplement the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. (SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE REVERSE OF THE FORM.)

I. (a) PLAINTIFFS
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff
(c) Attorney's (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)
Karen L. Martinez, 15 W. South Temple, Suite 1800
Salt Lake City, UT 84101 801-524-5796

DEFENDANTS
DAREN L. PALMER, and TRIGON GROUP, INC.
a Nevada Corporation
County of Residence of First Listed Defendant Bannock
NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE LAND INVOLVED.
Attorneys (If Known)

II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)
X 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff
2 U.S. Government Defendant
3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)
4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)
Citizen of This State PTF DEF
Citizen of Another State PTF DEF
Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country PTF DEF

IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

Table with 5 main categories: CONTRACT, REAL PROPERTY, TORTS, CIVIL RIGHTS, PRISONER PETITIONS, FORFEITURE/PENALTY, LABOR, IMMIGRATION, BANKRUPTCY, SOCIAL SECURITY, FEDERAL TAX SUITS, OTHER STATUTES. Each category contains a list of specific legal codes with checkboxes.

V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)
X 1 Original Proceeding
2 Removed from State Court
3 Remanded from Appellate Court
4 Reinstated or Reopened
5 Transferred from another district (specify)
6 Multidistrict Litigation
7 Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judgment

VI. CAUSE OF ACTION
Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):
15 U.S.C. §§ 77q(a), 77e(a) and (c); 15 U.S.C. §§ 78j(b), 78o(a); 17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5
Brief description of cause:
Violations of the anti-fraud provisions and registration requirement of the securities laws

VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:
CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23
DEMAND \$
CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:
JURY DEMAND: Yes No

VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY
(See instructions): JUDGE DOCKET NUMBER

DATE SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD Karen L. Martinez

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
RECEIPT # AMOUNT APPLYING IFP JUDGE MAG. JUDGE

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTORNEYS COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET FORM JS 44

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I. (a) Plaintiffs-Defendants. Enter names (last, first, middle initial) of plaintiff and defendant. If the plaintiff or defendant is a government agency, use only the full name or standard abbreviations. If the plaintiff or defendant is an official within a government agency, identify first the agency and then the official, giving both name and title.

(b) County of Residence. For each civil case filed, except U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county where the first listed plaintiff resides at the time of filing. In U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county in which the first listed defendant resides at the time of filing. (NOTE: In land condemnation cases, the county of residence of the "defendant" is the location of the tract of land involved.)

(c) Attorneys. Enter the firm name, address, telephone number, and attorney of record. If there are several attorneys, list them on an attachment, noting in this section "(see attachment)".

II. Jurisdiction. The basis of jurisdiction is set forth under Rule 8(a), F.R.C.P., which requires that jurisdictions be shown in pleadings. Place an "X" in one of the boxes. If there is more than one basis of jurisdiction, precedence is given in the order shown below.

United States plaintiff. (1) Jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. 1345 and 1348. Suits by agencies and officers of the United States are included here.

United States defendant. (2) When the plaintiff is suing the United States, its officers or agencies, place an "X" in this box.

Federal question. (3) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1331, where jurisdiction arises under the Constitution of the United States, an amendment to the Constitution, an act of Congress or a treaty of the United States. In cases where the U.S. is a party, the U.S. plaintiff or defendant code takes precedence, and box 1 or 2 should be marked.

Diversity of citizenship. (4) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1332, where parties are citizens of different states. When Box 4 is checked, the citizenship of the different parties must be checked. (See Section III below; federal question actions take precedence over diversity cases.)

III. Residence (citizenship) of Principal Parties. This section of the JS 44 is to be completed if diversity of citizenship was indicated above. Mark this section for each principal party.

IV. Nature of Suit. Place an "X" in the appropriate box. If the nature of suit cannot be determined, be sure the cause of action, in Section VI below, is sufficient to enable the deputy clerk or the statistical clerks in the Administrative Office to determine the nature of suit. If the cause fits more than one nature of suit, select the most definitive.

V. Origin. Place an "X" in one of the seven boxes.

Original Proceedings. (1) Cases which originate in the United States district courts.

Removed from State Court. (2) Proceedings initiated in state courts may be removed to the district courts under Title 28 U.S.C., Section 1441. When the petition for removal is granted, check this box.

Remanded from Appellate Court. (3) Check this box for cases remanded to the district court for further action. Use the date of remand as the filing date.

Reinstated or Reopened. (4) Check this box for cases reinstated or reopened in the district court. Use the reopening date as the filing date.

Transferred from Another District. (5) For cases transferred under Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a). Do not use this for within district transfers or multidistrict litigation transfers.

Multidistrict Litigation. (6) Check this box when a multidistrict case is transferred into the district under authority of Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1407. When this box is checked, do not check (5) above.

Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judgment. (7) Check this box for an appeal from a magistrate judge's decision.

VI. Cause of Action. Report the civil statute directly related to the cause of action and give a brief description of the cause. **Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity.**

Example: U.S. Civil Statute: 47 USC 553
Brief Description: Unauthorized reception of cable service

VII. Requested in Complaint. Class Action. Place an "X" in this box if you are filing a class action under Rule 23, F.R.Cv.P.

Demand. In this space enter the dollar amount (in thousands of dollars) being demanded or indicate other demand such as a preliminary injunction.

Jury Demand. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a jury is being demanded.

VIII. Related Cases. This section of the JS 44 is used to reference related pending cases if any. If there are related pending cases, insert the docket numbers and the corresponding judge names for such cases.

Date and Attorney Signature. Date and sign the civil cover sheet.

AO 440 (Rev. 01/09) Summons in a Civil Action

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the
DISTRICT OF IDAHO

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Plaintiff

v.

DAREN L. PALMER, and

TRIGON GROUP, Inc., a Nevada corporation

Defendant

Civil Action No.

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: (Defendant's name and address)

DAREN L. PALMER
3995 CANTERBURY WAY
IDAHO FALLS, ID 83404

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 20 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:

Securities and Exchange Commission
Salt Lake Regional Office
15 W. South Temple, Suite 1800
Salt Lake City, UT 84101

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

CLERK OF COURT

Date:

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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Civil Action No. _____

PROOF OF SERVICE

(This section should not be filed with the court unless required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 45.)

This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* _____
was received by me on *(date)* _____.

I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
_____ on *(date)* _____; or

I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
_____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____, who is
designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
_____ on *(date)* _____; or

I returned the summons unexecuted because _____; or

Other *(specify)*:

My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00.

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

AO 440 (Rev. 01/09) Summons in a Civil Action

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

DISTRICT OF IDAHO

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Plaintiff

v.

DAREN L. PALMER, and

TRIGON GROUP, Inc., a Nevada corporation

Defendant

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Civil Action No.

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: (Defendant's name and address)

TRIGON GROUP, INC., a Nevada Corporation
Acorn Corporation Services, Registered Agent
3225 McLeod Drive, #110
Las Vegas, NV 89121

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 20 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:

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I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
_____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____, who is
designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
_____ on *(date)* _____ ; or

I returned the summons unexecuted because _____ ; or

Other *(specify)*: _____

My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00.

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc: