

STATE OF NEW YORK
LOCAL CRIMINAL COURT

COUNTY OF _____
TOWN OF _____

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK) –

VS-

Date of Birth)

INFORMATION

_____) (EXAMPLE OF VIOLATION
_____) OF SECTION 355- ANIMAL
_____) Defendant(s)) ABANDONMENT)

BE IT KNOWN THAT, by this [INFORMATION] _____
as the Complainant herein [stationed] [xxxxxxx] at _____
accuses _____

the above named Defendant(s) with having committed the (**Misdemeanor**)
of ABANDONMENT OF AN ANIMAL , in violation of **Article 26 section 355**
of the **Agriculture & Markets Law** of the State of New York.

That on or about the ___ day of _____, 20___ at about ___ am/pm in the ___ TOWN ___ of
___ HOOSICK _____, County of RENSSELAER _____, the defendant(s) did
intentionally, knowingly, and unlawfully commit the Misdemeanor of : ABANDONMENT OF AN ANIMAL –
A person being the owner or possessor or having charge or custody of an animal, who abandons such
animal, is guilty of a misdemeanor; To wit; At the aforementioned time and date and at (address) in the
Town of _____ County of Rensselaer _____, **the defendant did abandon a male Irish
Wolfhound named Nick, by leaving him locked in an apartment for eight days with no food or water,
after the defendant moved away**, all contrary to the provisions of such statute herein provided for. The
above allegations of fact are made by the Complainant herein (on direct knowledge and/or information
and belief, with the sources of Complainant’s information and the grounds for the belief being the facts
contained in the attached SUPPORTING DEPOSITION(s) of WHEREFORE, Complainant prays that a
Warrant be issued for the arrest of said Defendant(s). --OR– WHEREAS, an Appearance Ticket was issued
to the said Defendant(s), directing (him)(her)(them) to appear before this court at (_____) (a.m.)(p.m.),
on the (_____) of (_____), 20(____).

In a written instrument, any person who knowingly makes a false statement which such person does not
believe to be true, has committed a crime under the laws of the State of New York punishable as a Class
A Misdemeanor. (PL 210.45)

Affirmed under penalty of perjury
this ___ day of _____, 20___

–OR–

Complainant

Subscribed and Sworn to before me
this ___ day of _____, 20___

[] STRIKE OUT/DELETE ANY WORDS THAT DO NOT APPLY