

**AFFIDAVIT - DESERTION
AND NON-SUPPORT**

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 - a. **DC-314, Warrant of Arrest (State Misdemeanor)**
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2. Court name.
3. Name of petitioner.
4. Name of defendant.
5. Name of affiant.
6. Detailed facts justifying the issuance of an arrest warrant under Va. Code § 20-70.
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FILE NO.

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Commonwealth of Virginia

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Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court

*in re:***3**

PETITIONER

V.

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DEFENDANT

I, **5**, the undersigned affiant, personally appeared

AFFIANT

this day and upon being duly sworn stated that there is reasonable cause to believe that the defendant is about to leave the jurisdiction of this Court with intent to desert his or her spouse, child, children, or parent, and that this affidavit is made in accordance with provisions of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, for the purpose of securing a warrant for the arrest of the defendant based on the following facts:

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DATE

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AFFIANT

The above-named affiant personally appeared this day before the undersigned, and upon being duly sworn, made oath that the facts stated in the foregoing affidavit are true to the best of his or her knowledge, information and belief.

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DATE

10☐ CLERK ☐ MAGISTRATE ☐ INTAKE OFFICER ☐ JUDGE**AFFIDAVIT—Desertion and Non-Support**