

Mandatory Rule #4: If defendant does not appear for trial, court may not enter judgment in absence of a legally sufficient affidavit attesting to the defendant's military status.

No affidavit is required when the defendant _____.

This requirement governs action by: the plaintiff the clerk the magistrate.

Who determines whether an affidavit is "legally sufficient"? _____

In addition to being _____ and _____, what is required for a legally sufficient affidavit?

The very best evidence of a defendant's military status is a printout from _____.

What information is required to access this type of evidence? _____ or _____

Unfortunately, this type of evidence is not available for persons serving in _____.

Is a plaintiff required to present this type of evidence to the court, if it is available? _____

When a plaintiff is unable to determine the defendant's military status, what should the magistrate require for a satisfactory affidavit? _____

What should a magistrate do if the defendant is in fact a servicemember?