

## SMALL CLAIMS CASES

### Where can the case be filed?

#### Venue Information Sheet

A. **If suing an individual who is a Kansas resident**, you may file in the district court of any county in which:

1. Defendant resides.
2. Plaintiff lives if Defendant is served there.
3. Defendant works, if Defendant is served there.
4. Property sought is located.
5. The claim arose and Defendant resided at the time.

B. **If suing a Kansas corporation or a corporation registered to do business in Kansas**, you may file in the district court of any county in which:

1. Defendant has a registered business.
2. Defendant is doing business when the suit is filed.
3. The claim arose.
4. The property sought is located.

C. **If suing an individual who does not reside in Kansas or a corporation that is not registered to do business in Kansas**, you may file in the district court of any county in which:

1. Plaintiff resides.
2. Defendant is served.
3. Defendant is doing business at the time the case is filed.
4. Defendant has property.

➤ Laws about where to file a small claims case are in K.S.A. 61-2708 and K.S.A. 61-3402 – 61-3409.