

## Harris County - County Civil Court at Law No. 5

**HARRIS County Court at Law 5, Texas**

201 CAROLINE, 5TH FLOOR HOUSTON TX 77002

**CASE #: 1267868****AMERICAN EXPRESS NATIONAL BANK***Plaintiff***VS****MICHAEL OJALA A/K/A MICHAEL D OJALA***Defendant***AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE****I, MARIELLE A ZICK, make statement to the fact;**

That I am a competent person more than 18 years of age or older and not a party to this action, nor interested in outcome of the suit. That I received the documents stated below on 01/26/26 3:38 pm, instructing for same to be delivered upon Ojala, Michael A/K/A Michael D Ojala.

That I delivered to: Ojala, Michael A/K/A Michael D Ojala

the following : Plaintiff's Original Petition; Citation


at this address : 16343 Granit Park Ct  
Cypress, Harris County, TX 77429

Manner of Delivery : By PERSONALLY delivering the document(s) to the person above.

Delivered on : Thursday JAN 29, 2026 5:06 pm

My name is MARIELLE A ZICK, I am at least 18 years old, and my address is 14718 Cypress Ridge Dr, Cypress, TX 77429, and U.S.A. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed in Harris, County, State of Texas, on the 29th day of January, 2026.



MARIELLE A ZICK 3145 Declarant  
TX Certification#: PSC-14940 Exp. 05/31/2026

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Service Fee: 67.00 PCP Inv#: A25C08306  
Witness Fee: .00  
Mileage Fee: .00 Reference : 7909359  
Manning, Olen III

eaffidavits@pcpusa.net

**E-FILE RETURN**



**OFFICE OF TENESHIA HUDSPETH**  
COUNTY CLERK, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS  
COUNTY CIVIL COURTS DEPARTMENT

**Docket Number: 1267868**

**Receipt Number:      Date:      Sheriff/Constable Fee:**

**AMERICAN EXPRESS NATIONAL BANK**

**Plaintiff**

**vs.**

**MICHAEL OJALA, ET AL**

**Defendant**

In The County Civil Court at Law No. 5  
201 Caroline, 5th Floor  
Houston, TX 77002

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
**ORIGINAL PETITION CITATION**

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**To:      MICHAEL OJALA a/k/a MICHAEL D OJALA**  
**16343 GRANIT PARK CT**  
**CYPRESS, TX 77429**

Attached is a copy of petition.

This instrument was filed on the **2nd day of January, 2026**, in the above cited cause number and court. The instrument attached describes the claim against you.

You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the county clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of twenty days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you. In addition to filing a written answer with the clerk, you may be required to make initial disclosures to the other parties of this suit. These disclosures generally must be made no later than 30 days after you file your answer with the clerk. Find out more at [TexasLawHelp.org](http://TexasLawHelp.org).

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court, at Houston, Texas, on this 13th day of January, 2026

(Seal)

Teneshia Hudspeth, County Clerk  
County Civil Court at Law No. 5  
201 Caroline, Suite 300  
Harris County, Texas 77002

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donald Woods", written over a horizontal line.

Donald Woods  
Deputy County Clerk

Requested

**OLEN MANNING, III**

By:

**2401 FOUNTAIN VIEW DRIVE, SUITE 306**  
**HOUSTON, TX 77057**

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## OFFICER'S RETURN

Came to hand on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_.M. and

executed in \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas, by delivering to each of the within named Defendants, in person, a true copy of this Citation together with the accompanying copy of the Plaintiff's petition, at the following time and places to-wit:

NAME	DATE			TIME	PLACE OR ADDRESS OF SERVICE
	Month	Day	Year	Hour / Min. - AM/PM	

and not executed as to the Defendant \_\_\_\_\_

the diligence used in finding said Defendant, being \_\_\_\_\_

and the cause of failure to execute this process is: \_\_\_\_\_

and the information received as to the whereabouts of the said Defendant, being: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Authorized Person) \_\_\_\_\_ (Sheriff)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas  
(Constable)

of \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

(Notary Public)

## RETURN FOR NOTICE TO SERVE NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ §

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ §

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_,

a person competent to make oath, and who by me being duly sworn, deposes and says; that this notice came to hand on \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock A.M./P.M., and executed by delivering

to defendant, \_\_\_\_\_, in person, at \_\_\_\_\_

in \_\_\_\_\_, County \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock

A.M./P.M., a true copy of the notice, with a copy of plaintiff's petition attached thereto. He further says that he is in no manner interested in this Suit.

Sworn to and subscribed before me,

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Sheriff)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Constable)

\_\_\_\_\_, County,

State of \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy