

45. Information to be given in statutory demand

- (1) The statutory demand must include an explanation to the debtor of the following matters—
 - (a) the purpose of the demand, and the fact that, if the debtor does not comply with the demand, bankruptcy proceedings may be commenced against him;
 - (b) the time within which the demand must be complied with, if that consequence is to be avoided;
 - (c) the methods of compliance which are open to the debtor; and
 - (d) his right to apply to the court for the demand to be set aside.
- (2) The statutory demand must—
 - (a) specify one or more named individuals with whom the debtor may, if he wishes, enter into communication with a view to securing or compounding for the debt to the satisfaction of the creditor or (as the case may be) establishing to the creditor's satisfaction that there is a reasonable prospect that the debt will be paid when it falls due; and
 - (b) in the case of any individual so named in the demand give his address and also his telephone number (if any).

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