

Nebraska State Court Interpreter Complaint Process

This form is provided for your convenience.

No particular form is required when filing a complaint. You may submit this form, a letter, or email containing this information to:

Kathleen Valle, Language Access Program Director
P. O. Box 98910
Lincoln, NE 68509-8910
Kathleen.Valle@nejudicial.gov

[Nebraska Supreme Court Rule § 6-708](#) governs the handling of complaints and disciplinary actions involving Nebraska state court interpreters.

Written complaints will be investigated and may be handled informally or scheduled for hearing before a committee to determine an appropriate response to the complaint.

Possible resolutions may include a written or oral reprimand, required education to correct or improve the quality of services or understanding of the ethics and role of the interpreter, or suspension of the interpreter's certification or registration by the Nebraska Supreme Court. See the court rule for more information.

You will receive confirmation of receipt of your complaint. Please do not hesitate to contact Kathleen Valle, Director of Language Access at Kathleen.Valle@nejudicial.gov (preferred) or call 402-219-1846 with any questions or comments regarding the complaint process.

We can communicate with you more quickly if a legible email address is provided.

Interpreter Complaint Form

I am filing a complaint against: _____

Interpreter's name: _____

Language(s) of interpretation: _____/English

Date(s) of incident: _____

Court or probation office where the incident occurred (including city): _____

Case number(s) associated with the alleged incident(s) (if known) : _____

What is your complaint? Please be specific in describing your complaint and how, in your opinion, the situation should have been handled.

Please list all known witnesses' names, addresses, and phone numbers:

Signature

Date

Print your name

Phone number

Address

Email address (optional)*

City, State, Zip Code

Send complaint to: Kathleen Valle, Language Access Program Director
Administrative Office of the Courts
P.O. Box 98910
Lincoln, NE 68509-8910
Kathleen.Valle@nejudicial.gov