

[Your Name/Law Firm Name]

[Your Address]

[City, State, Zip Code]

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[Date]

[Insurance Company Name]

[Adjuster Name]

[Claims Address]

[City, State, Zip Code]

RE: NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT DEMAND

Claimant(s): [Victim 1 Name], [Victim 2 Name], [etc.]

Insured: [Dog Owner Name]

Claim Number: [Number]

Date of Loss: [Date]

Dear [Adjuster Name],

This letter serves as a formal demand for settlement regarding the canine attack occurring on [Date] at [Location]. Our clients, [Victim 1] and [Victim 2], were severely injured by a dog owned and/or harbored by your insured.

### **Liability**

Under [State Statute Number], the insured is subject to strict liability. As the owner of the dog, the insured is liable for all damages caused by the animal, regardless of the dog's prior behavior or the owner's knowledge of viciousness. There is no evidence of provocation or trespassing that would mitigate this liability.

### **Injuries and Damages: [Victim 1 Name]**

[Victim 1] sustained the following injuries: [List injuries, e.g., deep puncture wounds, nerve damage, scarring]. Treatment included [List treatments, e.g., ER visit, sutures, physical therapy].

Total Medical Expenses: \$[Amount]

Lost Wages: \$[Amount]

### **Injuries and Damages: [Victim 2 Name]**

[Victim 2] sustained the following injuries: [List injuries]. Treatment included [List treatments].

Total Medical Expenses: \$[Amount]

Lost Wages: \$[Amount]

### **Pain and Suffering**

Beyond physical injuries, both claimants have suffered significant emotional distress, fear of animals, and permanent scarring that impacts their quality of life.

## Settlement Demand

To resolve these claims efficiently and avoid litigation, our clients are prepared to settle their respective claims for the following amounts:

- [Victim 1 Name]: \$[Amount]
- [Victim 2 Name]: \$[Amount]
- **Total Aggregate Demand: \$[Total Amount]**

This offer is contingent upon the verification of the insured's policy limits. We have attached all relevant medical records, billing statements, and photographs of the injuries. This offer shall remain open for [Number] days, after which it will be withdrawn and we will proceed with formal litigation.

Sincerely,

[Your Signature]

[Your Printed Name]