

[Print on Employer's Letterhead]

[Insert any Name and Address]

<<Employee's Name>>

<<Address>>

<<Address>>

<<Post Code>>

<<Date>>

Dear <<Employee's Name>>,

I acknowledge receipt of your appeal and agree to request your attendance at an appeal hearing to be held at <<Insert Date>> at <<Insert Time>>.

The purpose of the hearing is to consider the [disciplinary] **OR** [capability] **OR** [<<State Other Reason>>] **OR** [State Decision the Employee is Appealing Against] as set down in your letter of <<Insert Date>>.

Your appeal will be heard by <<Insert Name>> and will be [a full rehearing] **OR** [limited to a review of the original decision] as you raise in your letter].

If there are any reasons for your appeal, please provide written representations to the hearing. Should you wish to submit any documentation to be considered, please send this to <<Insert Name>> not less than <<Insert Period>> before the meeting.

You are entitled to be accompanied by a colleague or Trade Union representative. I should be grateful if you could inform me as soon as possible who your companion will be, as well as your contact details. If for any reason you or your companion cannot attend the appeal meeting at the scheduled date and/or time please inform the Company as soon as possible so that we can reschedule the meeting for a more suitable time and date.

If you have any special or disability requirements for attending this meeting please inform the Company so that we can accommodate your needs.

The appeal hearing has the power to vary any disciplinary sanctions, or uphold the original decision. In any event the decision of the appeal hearing will be final.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries about the appeal hearing.

Yours sincerely

<<Name and Title>>

For and on behalf of <<Company Name>>