

Letter of Guarantee

A prospective tenant may be asked to provide a letter from a personal guarantor for the payment of his/her rent. The letter must contain the following elements:

- A business or personal letterhead of the guarantor.
- The address of the dwelling to be rented.
- The name of the future tenant and the guarantor's relation to him/her.
- The start of the lease. The guarantee should be valid for the period under which the tenant holds a valid lease.
- The guarantee should be made **both jointly and severally**.

The following is an **example** of an acceptable letter of guarantee:

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Subject: Rental of Apartment at _____

My daughter/son _____, has an agreement to sign a lease with you for the above-mentioned apartment effective _____. I agree to guarantee the payment of the rent jointly and severally as long as he/she holds a valid lease with you.

Signature: _____

Please have your guarantor provide a photocopy of their picture id such as drivers license showing their current address.