## **Sample Format for Drafting a Legal Notice for Divorce:**

(This should be written on the letter of an advocate)

Name of the Advocate
Address of the Advocate
Seat No,
Ref No Dated
LEGAL NOTICE
Registered Post with A/D or Speed Post with A/D
To,
Address
Sir,
Under instruction from and on behalf of my client Mrs daughter of Mrresiding at
1. That you were married to my client on
2. That after the marriage you and my client lived together as husband and wife and cohabited with each other at And out of the said wedlock of my said client and you one daughter named aged years, was born.
3. That at the time of solemnization of this marriage the parents of my client had given several valuable articles (Detailed descriptions of the articles) as dowry to you. At the time of marriage, you were involved in unsocial activities. You used to consume wine daily and were also involved in gambling. You started adopting cruelties mentally as well as physical upon my client and whenever my client tried to mend your ways, then you and your other family members including your mother and unmarried sisters mercilessly beat my client.

- 4. That your attitude towards my client was very rude and indifferent from the very beginning of the matrimonial relations and my client always fulfilled your illegal demands time to time. Your mother always taunted my client and said if she was interested to live in the matrimonial house then she would have to bear all the atrocities and cruelties.
- 5. That my client was of the opinion that after the birth of children you will improve your acts and behaviour and would leave your bad habits but you did not do so and you and your mother always abused, insulted, maltreated and misbehaved my client. Your mother refused turned out my client time to time from her matrimonial house.
- 6. That on \_\_\_\_\_\_ you turned out my said client from her matrimonial house in three wearing clothes. You kept the children of my said client in our custody. Since the month of \_\_\_\_\_ you and your above said mother are blackmailing my client and her family members. You and your family members threatened my client and her family members threatening my client for dire consequences according to and as per directions of the mother. You have refused to return the entire dowry articles and jewellery of my said client. You have deserted my said client and hence my said client is not interested to live in your client. My client is also not interested to take the custody of the minor children from you. If my client would join your company then you would cause her death hence my client wants to dissolve her marriage immediately
- I, therefore, call upon you through this legal notice to execute the Divorce Deed and papers etc. dissolving this marriage immediately within a period of 15 days from the date of receipt of this legal notice, failing which my client shall be constrained to file appropriate proceedings against you in the court of law and in that event you shall be responsible for all costs, risks and responsibilities which you please note well.

A copy of this legal notice is retained in my office for record and further necessary action.

Signature	
Advocate,	