

The statement of the relator may be after the following form, *mutatis mutandis* :—

STATEMENT OF THE RELATOR.

In the Queen's Bench (or Common Pleas).

The statement and relation of _____, of _____, who complaining that _____, of _____, (*here inserting the names and additions of all, if more than one person*), hath (*or have*) not been duly elected, and hath (*or have*) unjustly usurped and still doth (*or do*) usurp the office of _____, in the Town of _____, (*or Township of _____, as the case may be*), in the County (*or United Counties*) of _____, under pretence of an election held on _____, at _____, in the said County (*or United Counties*). [And (*when it is claimed that the relator, or the relator and another, or others, ought to have been returned*), that (*here name the party or parties so entitled*) was (*or were*) duly elected thereto, and ought to have been returned at such election], and declaring that he the said relator hath an interest in the said election as a _____, states and shews the following causes why the election of the said _____ to the said office should be declared invalid and void. [And (*when so claimed*) the said _____ (*naming the party or parties*) be duly elected thereto].

First—That (*for example*) the said election was not conducted according to law in this, that, &c.

Second—That the said _____ was not duly or legally elected or returned in this, that, &c.

Third—That, &c.

Signed by the relator in person, or by C. D. his attorney.

NOTE.—Where the intention of the relator is to impeach the election as altogether void, in which event, as the office cannot be claimed for any other or others, the portion of the above and succeeding forms relating thereto should be omitted.

III. If the Court or Judge applied to shall find sufficient ground for issuing a writ of summons in the nature of a *quo warranto*, then, upon such recognizance being entered into as the Act directs and a proper affidavit of justification made, and the sufficiency of the sureties allowed by such