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1. a person or institution against whom an action is brought in a court of law

2. hear a case

9. the general progression of your working or professional life

10. an official stationed at the entrance of a courtroom11. The facts or evidence offered in support of a

13. A thing or set of things helpful in forming a conclusion or judgment

14. a defense by an accused person purporting to show that he or she could not have committed the crime in question

15. a writ issued by authority of law

<u>Down</u>

3. lawyer who speaks in the higher courts of law on behalf of head either the defense or prosecution

4. the lawyers acting for the state

5. the punishment assigned to a defendant found guilty

6. lay judges or civil authorities who administer the law dealing with minor offenses

7. the findings of a jury

8. A body of persons selected to decide the verdict12. hairpiece covering the head