

No. \_\_\_\_\_

SPN: \_\_\_\_\_

State of Texas

vs.

\_\_\_\_\_, Defendant  
\_\_\_\_\_, DOB

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In the \_\_\_ District Court

County Criminal Court at Law No. \_\_\_

Harris County Texas

### Probable Cause for Further Detention & Statutory Warnings by Magistrate

Today, the above named defendant, charged with \_\_\_\_\_ appeared before the undersigned authority ("the Court")  in person  by video conferencing.

*The defendant was given the warnings and admonitions that appear on the reverse side of this document.*

Do you request appointment of counsel?

- NO. The defendant did not request appointment of counsel
- YES. The defendant requested appointment of counsel. The Office of Court Services (OCS) shall immediately assist the defendant in preparing a request for appointment of counsel. OCS shall forward defendant's request to the judge of the court in which the case is pending within 24 hours.

If you are not a United States citizen who is arrested or detained, you may be entitled to have us notify your country's consular representatives here in the United States. Do you want us to notify your country's consular officials?

NO. \_\_\_\_\_  YES. \_\_\_\_\_

If you responded "YES," what country? \_\_\_\_\_.

If you are a citizen of a country that requires us to notify your country's consular representative, we shall notify them as soon as possible.

#### ORDER

The Court finds probable cause for further detention **DOES NOT EXIST.**

**THE COURT ORDERS THE SHERIFF OF HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, TO IMMEDIATELY RELEASE THE DEFENDANT FROM CUSTODY IN THIS CASE.**

The Court finds probable cause for further detention **EXISTS.** The Court set and / or reviewed the defendant's bond, and informed the defendant in clear language, of the accusation against him and of any charging instrument.

**THE COURT ORDERS DEFENDANT COMMITTED TO THE CUSTODY OF THE SHERIFF OF HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, WHERE THE DEFENDANT SHALL REMAIN UNTIL BAIL IS POSTED IN THIS CAUSE OR AS OTHERWISE ORDERED BY THE COURT.**

Bail is set at \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Bond is:  Approved  Disapproved  Referred

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
JUDGE PRESIDING / HEARING OFFICER

THIS PROCEEDING WAS INTERPRETED BY: \_\_\_\_\_ (NAME OF INTERPRETER).

#### Acknowledgement

I received a completed duplicate of this warning.

Defendant:: \_\_\_\_\_

I received a copy of this document on behalf of the Harris County Sheriff.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## **ADMONISHMENTS**

- 1) You have been charged with the criminal offense indicated on the reverse side of this document.
- 2) If you are charged with a felony, you have the right to an examining trial.
- 3) You have the right to remain silent. You are not required to make any statement. Any statement you make may be used against you.
- 4) If you are a non-U.S. citizen who is arrested or detained, you are entitled to have us notify your country's consular representatives here in the United States.
- 5) You have the right to have an attorney present during any interview with peace officers or attorneys representing the State of Texas, and you may terminate the interview at anytime.
- 6) You have the right to hire an attorney.
- 7) If you cannot afford to hire an attorney, you have the right to ask the court to appoint an attorney to represent you.

### **How to Ask for An Appointed Attorney**

If you believe you are indigent and ask the Court to appoint an attorney to represent you, you will be asked to complete a form detailing your financial condition. You may ask for a Court Services Officer to help you to fill out the form. The judge who is assigned to your case will review your form and hold a hearing to determine whether you are entitled to have a lawyer appointed to represent you.

If you are released on bail, have not completed the financial form, and want the Court to appoint an attorney to represent you, you must complete the financial information form and present it to the Court.