

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY

THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA COURTHOUSE MEADVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA 16335-2696

NOTICE ABOUT THE ATTACHED FORM

PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN CHARGED WITH HAVING COMMITTED A CRIME ARE ABSOLUTELY ENTITILED TO AN ATTORNEY OF THEIR OWN CHOICE AND A FREE ATTORNEY IF THEY CANNOT AFFORD AN ATTORNEY AND OTHERWISE QUALIFY FOR A FREE ATTORNEY.

THE COURT RECOMMENDS THAT PERSONS WHO CANNOT AFFORD AN ATTORNEY FIRST MAKE APPLICATION FOR THE PUBLIC DEFENDER.

IF A DEFENDANT HAS BEEN TURNED DOWN BY THE PUBLIC DEFENDER AND STILL WANTS A COURT APPOINTED ATTORNEY THE DEFENDANT MUST FILL OUT THE ATTACHED APPLICATION FOR THE ASSIGNMENT OF COUNSEL IN A CRIMINAL CASE, AND THE AFFIDAVIT FULLY. THE APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED BY THE COURT IF THERE ARE ANY EMPTY BLANKS OR MISSING INFORMATION OR IF THERE IS AN ENTRY OF "NOT APPLICABLE" OR "N/A."

THE APPLICATION SHOULD BE PRESENTED TO THE CLERK OF COURTS ANY TIME THAT THE COURTHOUSE IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS BETWEEN 8:30 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CRIMINAL DIVISION

COMMONWEA	ALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA	:		
	Vs.	: : No :	of 20	
	Defendant	:		
APPLICATIO	ON FOR THE ASSIGNMENT	Γ OF COUNSEL I	N A CRIMINAL N	MATTER
	ORABLE JUDGES OF SAID C			
The def	fendant respectfully represents	and applies to the	e court for the ass	ignment of
counsel in a crin	ninal action pursuant to PA.R.C	Crim.P. 122 and 123	:	
1.	Defendant is	v	who resides at	
whose phone nu	mber is			
2.	The defendant was arrested on	the day of	, 20_	·
3.	The defendant has been char	rged by the Comn	nonwealth with the	e following
crimes:				
4.	The defendant's income and ex	xpense statement that	at is attached to this	application
is true and comp	plete.			
5.	That the defendant () did o	or () did not i	nake application to	the Public
Defender. If	the defendant has applied for	or the Public Def	ender services the	following
information is se	et forth:			
	(a) The application was m	ade on the day	of	, 20 .

	(b) The Public Defender would not represent the defendant because:				
6.	The defendant is, for financial reasons, unable to obtain counsel to represent the				
	this action as the defendant does not have sufficient income or assets to hire counsel				
	defendant have the ability to borrow money or obtain gifts from relatives, friends or				
	order to hire counsel. Defendant has made the following efforts to obtain counsel:				
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7.	The defendant requests the court to assign counsel to represent the defendant in				
this matter.	The defendant requests the court to assign counsel to represent the defendant in				
I veri	fy that the statements made in this application are true and correct to the best of my				
knowledge, in	nformation and belief. I further understand that any false statements made herein are				
subject to the	penalties of 18 Pa. C.S.A. §4904 relating to unsworn falsifications to authorities.				
Dated:					
	Defendant				

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AFFIDAVIT	IN SUPPORT OF APPLICAT IN A CRIM	TION FOR THE INAL MATTER		L	
1.	I am the Defendant in the al	bove entitled ma	tter and because of my financi	ial	
condition am	unable to pay for an attorney to d	lefend this action.			
2.	Lam unable to obtain funds fr	om anvone inclu	ding my family and associates,	to	
pay the cost of		om anyone, mere	ung my runmy und associates,	10	
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3.	I represent that the informatio	n below relating	o my ability to hire an attorney	is	
true and corre	ect.				
(a)	Name:				
	Address:				
(b)	Employment:				
	If you are present employed, state the following:				
	Employer:				
	Address:				
	Salary or wages per month:				
	Type of work:			—	
	If you are not employed, state	the following:			
	Date of last employment:				
	Salary or wages per month:				

	Type of work:
(c)	Other income within the past twelve months:
	Business or profession:
	Other self-employment:
	Interest:
	Dividends:
	Pension and Annuities:
	Social Security benefits:
	Support payments:
	Disability payments:
	Unemployment compensation and supplemental benefits:
	Worker's compensation:
	Public Assistance:
	Other:
(d)	Other contributions to household support (wife), (husband) or her adult living with me) Name:
	If your (wife), (husband) or (other adult) is employed state:
	Employer:
	Salary or wages per month:
	Type of work:
	Contributions from children:
	Contributions from parents:
	Other contributions:
(e)	Property owned:
	Cash:
	Checking account:
	Savings account:
	Certificates of Deposit:
	Real estate (including home):
	Motor Vehicle: Make: ; Year: ; Cost:

	Amount owed:			
	Stocks, bonds:			
	Other:			
(f)	Debts and obligations:			
	Mortgages:			
	Rent:			
	Loans:			
	Other:			
	Persons dependent upon you for	support:		
	(wife) or (husband)Name:			
	Name:	Age:		
	Name:	•		
	Name:			
	Name:			
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	Relationship:			
4.	I understand that I have a c	continuing obligation to inform the Court of		
		ch would permit me to pay for an attorney.		
mprovemen	t in my imanetai circumstances wine	in would permit me to pay for an attorney.		
5.	I verify that the statements made	e in this affidavit are true and correct to the best		
of my know	rledge, information and belief. I un	nderstand that false statements made herein are		
subject to the	e penalties of 19 Pa. C.S.A. §4904 re	elating to unsworn falsifications to authorities.		
Dated:				
		Defendant		

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AND NOW, this	_ day of		, 20	, upon consideration of
the attached application for the	assignment of c	ounsel in a cri	minal cas	e and sworn statements
from the defendant it is ordered	as follows:			
1		is 1	hereby a _l	ppointed to represent the
defendant in this action until fur	ther order of co	ourt.		
2. The defendant	has a conti	nuing obligat	ion to i	nform the court of any
improvement in the defendant's	financial circu	mstances which	ch would p	permit the defendant to pay
for the services of an attorney ir	this matter.			
		BY	THE COU	URT
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