IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE \_\_\_\_\_\_ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

IN AND FOR \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA, CASE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

vs. DIV.: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, JUDGE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Defendant.

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**MOTION FOR ATTORNEY FEES**

COMES NOW, [ATTORNEY NAMES], as the private court-appointed attorneys in the above-entitled cause, and files this Motion for Attorney Fees pursuant to section 27.5304, F.S., and in support thereof, states as follows:

1. [FIRST ATTORNEY] was appointed to represent the above-cited defendant on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This attorney was discharged and [SECOND ATTORNEY] was appointed to represent the above-cited defendant on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. The attorneys submitted billings to the Justice Administrative Commission (JAC). Attached as Exhibit A is JAC’s objection letter dated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ issued in response to these billings.

3. JAC requested a hearing in relation to these billings.

4. The flat fee for this matter is $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

5. [FIRST ATTORNEY] provided approximately \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hours of representation in this matter and is requesting fees of $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

6. [SECOND ATTORNEY] provided approximately \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hours of representation in this matter and is requesting fees of $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

7. The representation by the attorneys involved unusual and extraordinary effort that warrants compensation in excess of the flat fee. Each of the attorneys are requesting individual compensation within the flat fee.

8. The billings submitted by the undersigned for payment by the State of Florida are true, accurate, reasonable, and necessary and the total requested fees exceed the flat fee established pursuant to section 27.5304, Florida Statutes, and the General Appropriations Act.

WHEREFORE, the defense requests this Court enter an order approving in the amount of $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for attorney fees for [FIRST ATTORNEY] and $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for attorney fees for [SECOND ATTORNEY] and directing that the attorneys be compensated by the State of Florida, Justice Administrative Commission, and for such other and further relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

Respectfully submitted,

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Defendant.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/

**ORDER APPROVING PAYMENT OF ATTORNEY FEES**

THIS CAUSE having come before the Court upon the Motion for Attorney’s Fees pursuant to section 27.5304, F.S., filed by [ATTORNEY NAMES] for the representation of the above-cited defendant, an indigent person. The Court having reviewed the motion, the billings and the response submitted by the Justice Administrative Commission finds as follows:

1. The attorney fees as set forth below are appropriate, reasonable, and necessary.

2. The fees are incurred as the result of representation which involved unusual and extraordinary effort and therefore merits compensation exceeding the flat fee in accordance with section 27.5304(12), Florida Statutes.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the amounts of $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for attorney fees for [FIRST ATTORNEY] whose Florida Bar No. is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for attorney fees for [SECOND ATTORNEY] whose Florida Bar No. is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and that the Justice Administrative Commission shall process said billings for payment by the State of Florida upon receipt of a copy of this Order.

DONE AND ORDERED in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ County on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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