

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE _____ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR _____ COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA,

CASE NO.: _____

vs.

DIV.: _____

_____,
Defendant.

JUDGE: _____

_____/

ACCOUNTING OF DEFENSE COSTS

COMES NOW the Defendant, by and through the undersigned counsel, and files an Accounting of Defense Costs pursuant to section 27.52(5)(i), Florida Statutes, as follows:

1. The undersigned represented the defendant in this matter. The Court previously found the defendant indigent for costs pursuant to section 27.52(5), Florida Statutes.
2. On [DATE], the defendant was convicted as defined in section 938.29, Florida Statutes. Pursuant to the requirements of section 27.52(5)(i), Florida Statutes, the undersigned files this Accounting for purposes of the Court entering an order finding the defendant liable for payment of defense costs as directed by section 938.29, Florida Statutes.
3. The undersigned obtained a certification of costs from the Justice Administrative Commission reflecting that \$_____ in defense costs has been paid on behalf of the defendant and that \$_____ in defense costs remain pending. A copy of the certification of costs is attached as Exhibit A.
4. In addition to the amount certified by the Justice Administrative Commission, the undersigned certifies there are \$_____ in defense costs that have been paid or will be paid through the state. Copies of proof of these amounts is attached as Exhibit B.

Respectfully submitted,

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**ORDER FINDING THE DEFENDANT LIABLE
FOR PAYMENT OF DEFENSE COSTS**

THIS CAUSE having coming before the Court upon the Accounting of Defense Costs in the above entitled cause; and this Court having reviewed the Accounting and the court file, the Court finds that the defendant was convicted for purposes of section 938.29, Florida Statutes, on [DATE] and is therefore liable for payment of defense costs in this matter.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. Pursuant to sections 27.52(5)(i) and 938.29, Florida Statutes, the Defendant is liable to pay defense costs in the amount of \$_____ for defense costs paid or to be paid by the State of Florida.
2. There is created in the name of the state a lien, enforceable as provided in section 938.29, Florida Statutes, upon all the property, both real and personal, of the Defendant in the amount set forth herein.
3. The clerk of the circuit court shall cause a certified copy of this order to be recorded in the official records of the county, at no cost. The recording constitutes a lien against the person in favor of the state in the county in which the order is recorded.
3. The clerk of the circuit court shall enforce, satisfy, compromise, settle, subordinate, release, or otherwise dispose of any debt or lien imposed pursuant to this order and section

938.29, Florida Statutes. The Defendant may petition the Court for deferral of the payment of defense costs or of any unpaid portion thereof.

DONE AND ORDERED in _____, _____ County on this
_____ day of _____.
