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 case, and files this Motion for Attorney Fees pursuant to section 27.5304, F.S., and in support thereof, states as follows:

[IF THERE ARE NO OTHER ISSUES SUCH AS FULL PERFORMANCE, IF THE ATTORNEYS ARE AGREEABLE TO A DIVISION OF THE FLAT FEE, THE ATTORNEYS CAN EXECUTE THE MODEL [ATTORNEY AGREEMENT FOR SPLITTING THE FLAT FEE](https://www.justiceadmin.org/court_app_counsel/Forms/ATTORNEY%20SETTLEMENT%20AGREEMENT%20FOR%20SPLITTING%20FLAT%20FEE.docx) INSTEAD]

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

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

3. JAC requested a hearing in relation to these billings in the event the attorneys were unable to agree to a division of the flat fee. A hearing is no longer necessary because the attorneys have agreed to divide the flat fee.

4. The flat fee for this matter is $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The attorneys have agreed to divide flat fee as follows:

[FIRST ATTORNEY]: $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

[SECOND ATTORNEY]: $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

5. The billings submitted by the undersigned for payment by the State of Florida are true, accurate, reasonable, and necessary and the total requested fee is within 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 $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 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.

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**ORDER APPROVING PAYMENT OF ATTORNEY FEES**

THIS Motion for Attorney Fees pursuant to section 27.5304, F.S., filed by [ATTORNEY NAMES] for the representation of the Defendant above, an indigent person is before this Court. The Court having reviewed the motion, the billings, and the response submitted by the Justice Administrative Commission, finds that the fees set forth below are appropriate, reasonable, and necessary and are within the flat fee established pursuant to section 27.5304, Florida Statutes, and the General Appropriations Act.

**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 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are hereby approved 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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