

ORDER WAIVING SURCHARGES FOR INDIGENT DEFENDANT (SEC. 708.158, T.C.)

CAUSE NUMBER: _____

STATE OF TEXAS

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IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT

VS.

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CITY OF _____

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_____ **COUNTY, TEXAS**

(Texas Driver's License # _____ **)**

(DOB: _____ **)**

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On the _____ of _____, 20____, Defendant was convicted by this Court of an offense for which surcharges are assessed under Texas Transportation Code, Chapter 708, to wit: _____, which offense occurred on _____.

The Court, having heard the evidence presented by the Defendant, and having reviewed all documentation provided, makes the following findings:

- The Defendant's income or the Defendant's household income does not exceed 125% of the applicable income level established by the federal poverty guidelines; or
- The Defendant, or the taxpayer claiming the Defendant as a dependent, receives assistance from one of programs outlined in Section 708.158(b)(3) of the Transportation Code.

The Court finds the Defendant is indigent.

This is the Court in which the Defendant was convicted of the offense that is the basis for the surcharge.

It is therefore ORDERED that the Texas Department of Public Safety shall WAIVE all surcharges assessed under Texas Transportation Code, Chapter 708, for the Defendant as a result of the conviction in the above entitled and numbered cause.

(municipal court seal)

Judge, Municipal Court Date

City of _____

_____ County, Texas