

CAUSE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT

VS.

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52<sup>ND</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT

§

CORYELL COUNTY, TEXAS

**DEFENDANT'S WAIVER OF RIGHTS  
TO INDICTMENT BY A GRAND JURY**

ON THIS, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, I, \_\_\_\_\_, the person whose name is subscribed below, appearing this day in open court in the above styled cause do hereby relinquish, release, surrender and waive my right to not be held to answer for the offense alleged against me in said cause unless I am indicted by a grand jury of 12 citizens duly empanelled in Coryell County, Texas, according to the laws of this State. And I do hereby give my consent and agreement to be charged with the commission of such offense by a written Information of the charge against me to be filed and presented in behalf of the State of Texas by the District or County Attorney of said County in accordance with the laws of this State.

I do make and sign this waiver in open court in the presence of my attorney, \_\_\_\_\_ and after being advised by my said attorney and by the Court of my rights hereunder, including the right of a grand jury indictment.

I have been advised and fully understand:

(1.) That a sworn complaint, has been filed with the Justice of the Peace of Coryell County, Texas, which complaint alleges that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, I committed the offense of \_\_\_\_\_, against the State of Texas, as more fully set forth in the aforementioned complaint, a true and correct copy of which is attached to this wavier, and I have knowledge of and understand the nature of the charge against me;

(2.) That the said offense with which I am charged is a non-capitol felony and, if convicted of same, I could be confined in the penitentiary;

(3.) That I have a right not to be tried or held to answer for the said offense unless nine or more members of the Grand jury of Coryell County, Texas, vote to present to the Court a bill of indictment accusing me of the offense with which I stand charged in this case;

(4.) That I do not have to release or give away such right to indictment, but that I may voluntarily do so, and thereafter be tried for the said offense upon an information and complaint to be filed and presented by the District or County Attorney.

I do hereby make and sign this waiver of my own free will in open court and at a time when I am represented by my attorney, and I respectfully request the said Court to proceed to trial by Information filed or to be filed in said cause.

WITNESS my signature on this the date written above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant

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Attorney for Defendant

**ORDER**

The above and foregoing waiver having been received by the Court, the same is hereby in all things approved and the trial ordered to proceed.

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Judge Presiding