

No. _____

SPN: _____

The State of Texas

vs.

In the _____ District Court

County Criminal Court at Law No. _____

Harris County, Texas

_____, Defendant

_____, DOB _____

PROBABLE CAUSE FOR FURTHER DETENTION & STATUTORY WARNINGS BY MAGISTRATE

Today, the above named defendant, charged with _____, appeared before the undersigned authority. (the Court) ☐ in person. ☐ by video teleconference.

All statements in bold should be addressed to defendant.

Do you request appointment of counsel? (check one)

☐ NO. The defendant did not request appointment of counsel.

☐ YES. The defendant requested appointment of counsel. The Court **ORDERS** the Office of Pre-Trial Services (PTS) to immediately assist defendant in preparing a request for appointment of counsel. PTS shall forward defendant's request to the judge of the court in which the case is pending within 24 hours.

If you are not a United States citizen, you may be entitled to have us notify your country's consular representative here in the United States. Do you want us to notify your country's consular officials? (check one)

☐ NO.

☐ YES. What country? _____. If you are a citizen of a country that requires us to notify your country's consular representative, we shall notify them as soon as possible.

☐ MANDATORY NOTIFICATION. CLERK, NOTIFY _____ (Country) CONSULATE.

If you are a foreign national, please provide the following information:

Mr./Ms: _____

(father's name {surname}/ mother's maiden name / first name)

_____ Date of birth (mm/dd/yy)

_____ Place of birth

_____ Passport number

_____ Date of passport issuance

_____ Place of passport issuance

This proceeding was interpreted by: _____ (Print name of interpreter)

ORDER

☐ The Court **FINDS** probable cause for further detention **DOES NOT EXIST**. Accordingly, in this case, the Court **ORDERS** the law enforcement agency/officer having custody of the defendant, to **immediately release** the defendant from custody.

☐ The Court **FINDS PROBABLE CAUSE** for further detention **EXISTS**. The Court set and/or reviewed the defendant's bond, and in clear and unambiguous language, the Court 1) advised defendant of his rights as enumerated in Article 15.17 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure and 2) provided him with information required by law. Accordingly, The Court **ORDERS** defendant **committed** to the custody of the Sheriff of Harris County, Texas. Defendant shall remain in the Sheriff's custody until he posts bail in this cause, or until further orders by the Court.

☐ Bail is set at \$ _____ ☐ Personal Bond is: ☐ APPROVED ☐ DISAPPROVED ☐ REFERRED

DATE/ TIME (Print)

JUDGE PRESIDING/ HEARING OFFICER