

Cause No. \_\_\_\_\_

State of Texas

§ In the \_\_\_\_\_ Court

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\_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas

**ORDER FOR INDIGENT DEFENDANT TO OFFSET COST OF LEGAL SERVICES  
PROVIDED BY THIS COUNTY DURING PENDENCY OF CHARGE**

WHEREAS, the Court previously determined that the Defendant is indigent under the procedures and standards adopted by the judges of this county and has appointed counsel to represent the defendant in this matter, the Court now FINDS that:

Determination 1: The cost of the legal services provided to the defendant as of this date is \$\_\_\_\_\_. This amount is reasonable and based on itemized bills in the record, this county's flat fee schedule, or the Court's calculation in the record of the cost of legal services provided to the defendant by a public defender or contract defender.

Determination 2: The defendant, while indigent, has the ability to pay \$\_\_\_\_\_ of the total cost of the legal services provided as of this date.

THEREFORE, the Court ORDERS the defendant to [CHECK ONE]:

- ☐ Pay the amount in Determination 2 (\$\_\_\_\_\_) by \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.
- ☐ Pay \$\_\_\_\_\_ amount per month during the pendency of this charge until the defendant has paid the full amount in Determination 2 (\$\_\_\_\_\_). Upon adjudication or dismissal of this charge, no further monthly payments are due under this order.

Signed and entered on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

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Presiding Judge