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**Jay Mayden**  
County Judge

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April 1, 2015

Mr. Joel Lieurance  
Texas Indigent Defense Commission  
209 W. 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 202  
Austin, Texas 78701

Re; Policy Monitoring Review of Childress County's Indigent Defense Systems

Dear Mr. Lieurance,

Childress County has taken into consideration to the request of updating the magistration form to comply with Article 15.17(e) and with its indigent defense plan. Enclosed is a copy of the changes that have been made in the Childress County Magistrate Warning Form.

If you have any questions or request please feel free to contact our office at any time.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jay Mayden", is written over the typed name.

Jay Mayden  
Childress County Judge

THE STATE OF TEXAS                    }}  
COUNTY OF CHILDRESS                }}

**PROBABLE CAUSE HEARING  
WARNING OF RIGHTS**

Before me, the undersigned magistrate of the State of Texas, on this day personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, in the custody of \_\_\_\_\_, a peace officer, and said person was given the following warning by me:

*(Check while reading)*

- 1. You are charged with the offense of \_\_\_\_\_ -Class \_\_\_\_\_.  
An affidavit charging you with this offense \*(has) \*(has not) been filed in this court.
- 2. You have the right to hire a lawyer and have him/her present prior to and during any interview and questioning by peace officers or attorneys representing the State. If you are too poor to afford a lawyer, you have the right to request the appointment of a lawyer to be present prior to and during any such interview and questioning. You May have reasonable time and opportunity to consult your lawyer if you desire.
- 3. To request the appointment of a lawyer, you must complete a questionnaire concerning your financial resources, respond under oath to an examination regarding your financial resources and sign a statement which shall be provided to you. If you need assistance in completing the form for requesting the appointment of counsel, it shall be provided to you.
- (3a) Do you want to request appointment of an attorney? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO
- 4. You have the right to remain silent.
- 5. You are not required to make a statement, and any statement you make can and May be used against you in Court.
- 6. You have the right to stop any interview or questioning at any time.
- 7. You have the right to an examining trial.
- 8. Based on the offense report filed with this Court and/or the statements of the arresting officer, witnesses and others, I find probable cause exists to believe that \_\_\_\_\_ committed the offense charges. (This finding is required if the person was arrested without a warrant and has not been released on bond within 24 hours for a misdemeanor or 48 hours for a felony.)

\*Your bail is set at \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Bail is not determined.

\*Bail is denied.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Person Warned

\_\_\_\_\_  
Magistrate

Place of Warning: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_

**WITNESS:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

I acknowledge that I was given the above warning and I understand my rights as explained to me in the warning.

Accused refused to sign acknowledgment of warning

\_\_\_\_\_  
Accused

CAUSE NO. 0000

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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IN THE COUNTY COURT

VS.

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OF

JOHN DOE

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CHILDRESS COUNTY, TEXAS

WARNING OF RIGHTS

Before me, the undersigned magistrate of the State of Texas, on this day personally appeared JOHN DOE, and said person was given the following warning by me:

(Check while reading)

- 1. You are charged with the offense of **Assault**.
- 2. You have the right to hire a lawyer and have him/her present prior to and during any interview and questioning by peace officers or attorneys representing the State. If you are too poor to afford a lawyer, you have the right to request the appointment of a lawyer to be present prior to and during any such interview and questioning. You may have reasonable time and opportunity to consult your lawyer if you desire.
- (2a) Do you want to request appointment of an attorney? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO
- 3. You have the right to remain silent.
- 4. You are not required to make a statement, and any statement you make can and may be used against you in Court.
- 5. You have the right to stop any interview or questioning at any time.
- 6. You have the right to an examining trial.  
 \*Your bail is set at \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*Bail is not determined.

Person warned: \_\_\_\_\_

Magistrate: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Warning: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_

WITNESSES:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_