

NAME: _____ CAUSE#: _____

MOTION AND APPLICATION FOR WORK RELEASE

COMES NOW _____, herein after called 'defendant' in the above numbered and entitled cause, files this Motion and Application for Work Release privilege, and as grounds would show the Court as follows: I have or will be sentenced to jail time in this case, and am requesting that I may be allowed to serve my sentence in such a manner that I may be able to maintain my employment so that I may not become a further financial burden on the government of this county. In asking for this accommodation, I accept the following terms and conditions and make the following promises and statements to the Court *under oath*. I understand that if I ever arrive at the jail late, under the influence of alcohol or drugs, the time remaining on my sentence will be served without work release. I understand that if I am arrested on another criminal offense while on work release, the time remaining on my sentence will be served without work release. **FURTHERMORE, I ACKNOWLEDGE** that it is a **FELONY** offense to bring alcoholic beverages, firearms, knives, or drugs into the **SMITH COUNTY JAIL** or into any office utilized by this, or any Court. I understand and **PROMISE** that I will continue to be employed in the position and hours stated within this form. Furthermore, I understand that any changes in my employment status can **ONLY** be changed *under order of this Court*. I ask the Court to grant said work release and make the following verified statements.

NAME OF EMPLOYER: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NO: _____ Name of Supervisor: _____

Are you related to the employer or supervisor? If so, how? _____

Date of employment (hire date) _____ Average hours worked per week _____

Type of work performed _____ Hourly Wage _____

Defendant's PERMANENT Address: _____

Defendant's PERMANENT Phone #: _____

I understand that it is the policy of the COUNTY COURT AT LAW #2 that I may only work a maximum of FIVE (5) days per week, and that my work schedule is NOT SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

*****DO NOT CALL THIS OFFICE TO SEE IF WORK RELEASE HAS BEEN GRANTED*****

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

WORK RELEASE

GRANTED / DENIED

My Work Schedule is as Follows:

MONDAY	_____	AM/PM	TO	_____	AM/PM
TUESDAY	_____	AM/PM	TO	_____	AM/PM
WEDNESDAY	_____	AM/PM	TO	_____	AM/PM
THURSDAY	_____	AM/PM	TO	_____	AM/PM
FRIDAY	_____	AM/PM	TO	_____	AM/PM
SATURDAY	_____	AM/PM	TO	_____	AM/PM
SUNDAY	_____	AM/PM	TO	_____	AM/PM

I UNDERSTAND THAT I MUST REPORT TO THE JAIL WHETHER OR NOT MY WORK RELEASE HAS BEEN GRANTED.

I FURTHERMORE AGREE TO PAY THE SHERIFF OF SMITH COUNTY A WEEKLY WORK RELEASE FEE, AND AGREE TO COMPLY WITH ALL OF THE POLICIES OF THE SMITH COUNTY JAIL DURING MY TERM OF CONFINEMENT.

I UNDERSTAND THAT WORK RELEASE IS A PRIVILEGE, NOT A RIGHT, AND CAN BE REVOKED OR DENIED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COURT.

Before me the undersigned authority appeared _____, the defendant in the above numbered and entitled cause who after being duly sworn did state *under oath*: "I am the defendant in the above numbered and entitled cause, I am/am not related to the employer or supervisor listed in this motion. I have read the above and foregoing Motion and Application for the Work Release Privilege, and swear that all of the allegations and statements contained herein are true and correct."

Signed this the _____ day of _____ 19 _____.

DEFENDANT _____

Subscribed and sworn before me by the said defendant on this the _____ day of _____ 19 _____.

Notary Public in and for Smith County, Texas
My commission expires _____

-- EMPLOYER --

Before me the undersigned authority appeared _____, (Employer of said defendant) and under oath sayeth: "I am the above named supervisor of _____, (defendant) a person known to me, and has been employed with me, or the company since the _____ day of _____ 19 _____, and the defendant does currently work the hours stated in this Motion and Application for the Work Release Privilege."

EMPLOYER _____

Subscribed and sworn before me by the said employer on this the _____ day of _____ 19 _____.

Notary Public in and for Smith County, Texas
My Commission expires _____