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

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Plaintiff §

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v. § PRECINCT \_\_\_\_

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Defendant § \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, TEXAS

**Motion for a Disability Related Reasonable Accommodation**

This Motion for a Disability Related Reasonable Accommodation is filed by Movant,

 , who shows the following:

*(PRINT your full name.)*

1. This suit is a

*(PRINT the title of the proceedings.)*

1. Movant, , has a disability as defined by law.

*(PRINT your full name.)*

1. The disability is  a hearing impairment  other .
2. Because of this disability, movant requires reasonable accommodation(s) to participate in the proceedings.
3. Movant is asking for the following reasonable accommodations:

 Movant asks the Court to appoint a certified court interpreter or a Certified “Communication Access Realtime Translation” Provider (“Certified CART provider”) so that Movant may participate in the hearing listed above and any other hearings in this case. Movant asks the Court to order the costs of the interpreter be paid for by the county.




4. Movant’s next scheduled court appearance is scheduled on at located at .
The hearing type is .
The expected duration of the hearing is .
The hearing will be conducted  in person  by telephone  by video platform .
5. Movant is a  party  witness  other to the proceeding. *(check one)*
6. Movant is making this request based on the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and any relevant state law.
7. Texas Government Code §57.002(a) provides that the court shall appoint a certified court interpreter or a certified CART provider for an individual who has a hearing impairment if a motion is filed by a party in a civil or criminal proceeding.
8. *(Cross out or delete if not applicable)* Movant is indigent and has filed a Statement of Inability to Afford Court Costs. Texas Rule of Civil Procedure 145 provides that a party unable to afford court costs may file a Statement of Inability to Afford Payment of Court Costs in lieu of paying costs.

Movant prays for such other and further relief to which s/he may be entitled. Respectfully submitted,

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| *Your Signature* |  | *Date* |
| *Your Printed Name* |  | *Phone* |
| *Mailing Address City State Zip* |
| *Email Address* |  | *Fax Number (if available)* |

# Notice of Hearing

This Motion to Appoint a Language Interpreter is set for hearing on , at   a.m.  p.m. at the ,

\_\_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_\_

*time*

located at .

# Certificate of Service

I will give a copy of this document to each party in this case, or if a party is represented by a lawyer, to the party’s lawyer, on the same day this document is filed with (turned in to) the Court as follows:

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*Movant’s Signature Date*