

STATE OF OHIO; COUNTY OF WARREN
IN THE WARREN COUNTY COURT
TRAFFIC/CRIMINAL DIVISION

STATE OF OHIO

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Plaintiff

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CASE NO: _____

v.

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WRITTEN GUILTY PLEA IN ABSENTIA

Defendant.

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Now comes the Defendant and hereby withdraws his previously entered plea of not guilty, and enters a plea of **GUILTY** to the charge of _____, a misdemeanor of the _____ degree.

The Defendant hereby acknowledges that these offenses are punishable by a maximum of _____ days in jail, a \$ _____ fine and a license suspension of up to _____ years. The Defendant further acknowledges that he understands that he has the right to a trial by jury, to confront witnesses and/or evidence against him, to compel the attendance of witnesses on his behalf, to remain silent and to have the state prove his guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

Defendant further acknowledges that he has discussed this matter with counsel, and wishes to waive his rights and enter a plea of guilty. This plea is being made knowingly, intelligently and voluntarily, and only after the Defendant has been fully informed of his constitutional rights, which he hereby waives and rejects. Defendant acknowledges that no threats have been made to secure his plea of guilty and no promises have been made regarding his sentence in this matter.

Attorney for Defendant (*Signature*)

Defendant (*Signature*)

Attorney for Defendant (*Print Name*)

Defendant (*Print Name*)

Attorney Registration Number