

## CRIMINAL DEFENSE QUESTIONNAIRE

These questions are designed to assist in the preparation of your defense. Answer all the questions and make your answers as complete as possible. Use the last page and the back of each page if your answers require more space. The information you are providing is confidential between you and me as your attorney. Do not share the information that you have provided with anyone else without prior approval from me.

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

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

Telephone number where you can be reached if not in jail: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Driver=s License number and State: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a citizen of the United States? \_\_\_\_\_ If not, please describe your current status.

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Name and Phone number of someone who can reach you: \_\_\_\_\_

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### CRIMINAL HISTORY

For each arrest in your past, please state the offense, date of offense, date of arrest, date of disposition, and city, county, and state of the offense.

### THE CURRENT CHARGES PENDING AGAINST YOU

Describe what you believe you are being charged with. Include the offense, date of offense, date of arrest and city, county and state of the offense.

### THE ARREST

Describe all the events that led up to your arrest.

### THE MAGISTRATE HEARING

Describe what happened when you saw the judge and your bond for release was set.

### THE EVIDENCE AGAINST YOU

What will the police and/or the victim in this case say happened?

#### WITNESSES

Provide the name, address and phone number of anyone who saw the offense or arrest, anyone who you spoke to about those events, anyone who spoke to you about those events, or who could speak to the judge or jury on your behalf as to your good conduct or character.

#### FAMILY

Provide the name, address and phone number of your spouse if married and the names and ages of your children, if any.

#### HEALTH HISTORY

Describe any physical or mental health problems you have that would affect my representation of you in this case.

#### WORK HISTORY

Provide the name, address and phone number of your current or last employer and the dates of your employment. Describe your work history.

#### EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

Describe your education.

**SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES**

Describe in detail any special circumstances about you that I have not asked about or that you believe are important for me to know.

Signed this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

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Client