

Defendant/Minor Child

APPLICATION FOR CRIMINAL INDIGENT STATUS

- ☐ I AM SEEKING THE APPOINTMENT OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER OR
☐ I HAVE A PRIVATE ATTORNEY OR AM SELF-REPRESENTED AND SEEK DETERMINATION OF INDIGENCE STATUS FOR COSTS

A person who knowingly provides false information to the clerk or the court in seeking a determination of indigent status under s. 27.52, F.S. commits a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable up to 1 year in jail or up to \$1,000 in fines, as provided in s. 775.082, F.S. or s. 775.083, F.S. **I attest that the information provided on this application is true and accurate.**

_____ Signed on	_____ Signature of applicant for indigent status
_____ Year of Birth	Print full legal name: _____
_____ Last four digits of Driver's License or ID Number	Address: _____
	City, State, Zip: _____
	Phone number: _____
	E-mail Address: _____

Notice to Applicant: There is a \$50.00 fee for each application filed. The public defender/court appointed lawyer and costs/due process services are not free and a lien may be imposed on all property you own. If you are a parent/guardian making this affidavit on behalf of a minor or tax-dependent adult, the information contained in this application must include your income and assets.

1. **I have dependents.** (Do not include children not living at home and do not include a working spouse or yourself.)
2. **I have take home pay of \$** _____ **paid** ☐ weekly ☐ bi-weekly ☐ semi-monthly ☐ monthly ☐ yearly *Include cash payments. Take home pay (net income) is total salary and wages, minus deductions required by law, including court-ordered support payments*
3. **I have other income** paid ☐ weekly ☐ bi-weekly ☐ semi-monthly ☐ monthly ☐ yearly: (Check "Yes" and fill in the amount if you have this kind of income, otherwise check "No.")

Social Security benefits..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No	Workers compensation..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
Unemployment compensation..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No	Regular support from
Union payments ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No	absent family members ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
Retirement/pensions ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No	Rental income..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
Trusts or gifts ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No	Dividends or interest ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
Veterans' benefit..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No	Other kinds of income not on the list ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No

4. **I have other assets:** (Check "yes" and fill in the value of the property, otherwise check "No")
Cash ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No Bank/Savings account(s)..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
*Car/Motor Vehicle..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No Stocks/bonds/Certificates of Deposit.. ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
Money market accounts ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No *Homestead real estate ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
*Boats/other tangible property..... ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No *Non-homestead real estate ☐ Yes \$ _____ ☐ No
*show loans on these assets in paragraph 5

Check one: ☐ DO/ ☐ DO NOT expect to receive more assets in the near future. The asset and value is _____.

5. **I have total liabilities and debts in the amount of \$** _____. I have loan balances on assets in paragraph 4:
Car/Motor Vehicle \$ _____; Homestead \$ _____; Non-homestead real estate \$ _____;
Boat \$ _____; Other tangible property (identify here) _____ and loan balance \$ _____.

6. **I receive:** (Check all applicable payments received")
☐ Temporary Assistance for Needy Families- Cash Assistance ☐ Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
☐ Poverty-related veterans' benefits

7. **I have been released on bail in the amount of \$** _____. ☐ Cash ☐ Surety **Posted by:** ☐ Self ☐ Family ☐ Other

CLERK DETERMINATION

_____ Based on the information in this Application, I have determined the applicant to be () Indigent () Not Indigent

_____ The Public Defender is hereby appointed to the case listed above until relieved by the Court.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 20____

Clerk of the Circuit Court, by Deputy Clerk

APPLICANTS FOUND NOT INDIGENT MAY SEEK REVIEW BY ASKING FOR A HEARING TIME. Sign here if you want the judge to review the clerk's decision of not indigent: _____