

**ISLAND COUNTY DISTRICT COURT &  
MUNICIPAL COURT, STATE OF WASHINGTON**

- ☐ STATE OF WASHINGTON
- ☐ CITY OF OAK HARBOR
- ☐ CITY OF COUPEVILLE
- ☐ CITY OF LANGLEY

**Plaintiff,**

Vs.

\_\_\_\_\_

**Defendant.**

**CASE NUMBER(s):**

**WAIVER OF ATTENDANCE OF A  
REPRESENTED DEFENDANT &  
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF THE  
AUTHORITY TO WAIVE OR EXCLUDE  
SPEEDY TRIAL RIGHTS.**

**COMES NOW** the above-named Defendant, by and through counsel of record and does hereby submit the

- ☐ A Continuing Wavier of Attendance.
- ☐ A Waiver of Attendance limited to the hearing date of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_,

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney for Defendant

\_\_\_\_\_  
WSBA No.

**DECLARATION OF DEFENDANT**

1. I am the defendant in the above-entitled matter.
2. I understand that I have a right to be present at all court proceedings involving my case.
3. I understand that I have a right to have hearings set to a date certain by the court and be notified of those dates by the court.
4. I am represented by the above-named attorney who is presenting this Waiver to the court.
5. I do hereby waive my right to be present at any pretrial hearings, readiness hearings, trial assignment hearings or other hearings on various motions which may be brought before the court.

6. I do further waive the right to have hearings set to a date certain by the Court and be notified by the Court of those future dates. By waiving this right, I fully understand that it will be the responsibility of my attorney to keep me informed of any court dates which my attendance is required, such as any trial dates. I understand that a failure of my attorney to keep me informed of any hearing dates where my presence is required could result in a warrant being issued for my arrest.
7. I also understand that I have a continuing obligation to my attorney to keep my attorney at all times informed of my mailing address and telephone numbers where I may be reached.
8. I also hereby give my attorney of record my informed written consent and actual expressed authority to:
  - I. Sign and/or execute Motion(s) for Continuances and Order(s) on Motions, scheduling orders, and/or other notice(s) of hearing on my behalf and without my presence or physical signature, and,
  - II. My attorney of record has the authority to:
    - a) waive my right to a speedy trial, and
    - b) waive my right to be tried within 90 (out of custody) and/or 60 (in custody) days (CrRLJ 3.3(b) Time of Trial Rule), and
    - c) To otherwise agree to exclude time under CrRLJ 3.3 (time for trial rule) as my attorney of record may deem appropriate or desirable at his/her discretion.

I declare under penalties of perjury under the Laws of the State of Washington that I have read the foregoing Declaration and that the contents thereof are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and information.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

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Defendant