

INDIGENCY SCREENING FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email: _____

1. Place an "x" next to any of the following types of assistance you receive:

- Welfare
- Food Stamps
- SSI
- Medicaid
- Pregnant Women Assistance Benefits
- Poverty Related Veterans' Benefits
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
- Refugee Settlement Benefits
- Aged, Blind or Disabled Assistance Program
- Other – Please Describe _____

Recipients of public assistance are presumed indigent, but may be found able to contribute to the costs of their defense under RCW 10.101.010. *State v. Hecht*, 173 Wash. 2d 92 (2011).

2. Do you work or have a job? yes no. If so, take-home pay: \$ _____

Occupation: _____ Employer's name & phone #: _____

3. Do you have a spouse or state registered domestic partner who lives with you? yes no Does she/he work?

____yes ____no If so, take-home pay: \$ _____ Employer's name: _____

4. Do you and/or your spouse or state registered domestic partner receive unemployment, Social Security, a pension, or workers' compensation? yes no If so, which one? _____ Amount: \$ _____

5. Do you receive money from any other source? yes no If so, how much? \$ _____

6. Do you have children residing with you? yes no If so, how many? _____

7. Including yourself, how many people in your household do you support? _____

8. Do you own a home? yes no If so, value: \$ _____ Amount owed: \$ _____

9. Do you own a vehicle(s)? yes no. Year(s) and model(s) of your vehicle(s): _____

Amount owed: \$ _____

10. How much money do you have in checking/saving account(s)? \$ _____

11. How much money do you have in stocks, bonds, or other investments? \$ _____

12. How much are your routine living expenses (rent, food, utilities, transportation) \$ _____

13. Other than routine living expenses such as rent, utilities, food, etc., do you have other expenses such as child support payments, court-ordered fines or medical bills, etc.? If so, describe: _____

14. Do you have money available to hire a private attorney? yes no

15. **Please read and sign the following: I understand the court may require verification of the information provided above. I agree to immediately report any change in my financial status to the court.**

I certify under penalty of perjury under Washington State law that the above is true and correct. (Perjury is a criminal offense-see Chapter 9A.72 RCW)

Signature _____

Date _____