IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF [*county*] COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,

v. [*case number*]

Hon. [*name*]

[*name-all caps*],

Defendant.

**MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF INTERPRETER**

On this date comes Defendant, [n*ame*], by Counsel, [*counsel’s name*], and moved the Honorable Court, pursuant to W. Va. R. Crim. P. 28(b) and W. Va. Code § 57-5-7, as amended, to appoint an interpreter in this case.

In support of this motion, Counsel asserts that [*juror or witness name*] cannot readily understand or verbally communicate the English language because [*state reason that interpreter is needed*].

Counsel further requests that the costs and fees for such interpreter be paid by the State out of funds provided by law for such purposes.

Dated the \_\_\_ day of [*month, year*].

[*defendant*],

By Counsel

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