

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE  
DISTRICT COURT DIVISION  
FILE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA )  
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 v. )  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ )  
(PRINT YOUR NAME)

**WAIVER OF APPEARANCE AND  
AUTHORITY TO ENTER PLEA**

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NOW COMES, the Defendant, pursuant to North Carolina General Statute § 15A-1011(a)(3), and hereby waives his/her right to appear in person in this action.

I hereby retain the services of Michael J. Stading to represent me in \_\_\_\_\_ County District Court. I am solely responsible for payment of any court costs or fines as determined by the Court.

Attorney Michael J. Stading is authorized to act on my behalf and to enter into a plea agreement in his discretion, without my appearance in court.

This the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 201\_\_.

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name