

CAUSE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

_____	§	IN THE JUSTICE COURT
PLAINTIFF	§	
	§	
v.	§	PRECINCT _____
	§	
_____	§	
DEFENDANT	§	_____ COUNTY, TEXAS

**DEFENDANT’S APPEAL BOND: SMALL CLAIMS OR DEBT CLAIM CASE**

On \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, a judgment was entered in this case which Defendant appeals to the County Court of \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas, by filing this Appeal Bond.

Defendant and \_\_\_\_\_, as surety, acknowledge ourselves bound to pay Plaintiff the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, which is twice the amount of the judgment in a Small Claims or Debt Claim case.

This bond is conditioned on Defendant’s prosecution of this Appeal to effect and the payment to Plaintiff of any judgment and all costs rendered against Defendant on appeal.

**SIGNED** on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant’s Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety’s Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety’s Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety’s Email

**ISSUED AND SIGNED** on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, TEXAS

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of this appeal bond was served on Plaintiff on

\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, pursuant to Rule 501.4 by:

- Personal delivery
- Courier-receipted delivery
- Registered or Certified Mail
- Fax
- Email (*if both parties have agreed in writing and provided an email address*)
- Another method approved by the court: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature