

County

Judicial District: \_\_\_\_\_  
Court File Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Case Type: Criminal

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff

vs.

**Petty Misdemeanor  
Statement of Rights**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant

I understand:

Waxaan fahamsanahay:

1. I am charged with committing the offense(s) described in the complaint, citation, or ticket.  
*In leygu soo eedeeyey inaan galay dambiga(yada) oo ku cad ashtakada, yeerida, iyo tigidka.*
2. The maximum sentence for a petty misdemeanor offense is a fine of \$300.00 and applicable surcharges.  
*Xukunka ugu weyn ee dambiga dhexe waa \$300.00 oo ganaax ah iyo dulsaaro wixi raaci kara.*
3. I have the right to be represented by an attorney at all stages of the proceedings. However, Minnesota law states I must hire my own attorney for a petty misdemeanor charge.  
*Waxaan xaq u leeyahay in qareen uu i matalo tallaabo kasta sharciga. Si kastaba ha ahaatee, sharciga Minnesota wuxuu sheegayaa inaan qabsado qareenkeyga gaarka ah ee dacwada dambiga yar.*
4. I have the following rights:  
*Waxaan leeyahay xuquuqda soo socota:*
  - a. for the case to be continued for me to obtain or speak to an attorney.  
*in keyska la ii sii wado si aan u helo ama aan ula hadlo qareen.*
  - b. to a trial before a judge in which I am presumed innocent until proven guilty by the state beyond a reasonable doubt.  
*dacwo qaadi la horgeeyo taasoo aniga la ii qaadan karo qof aan dambi lahayn illaa gobolku igu cadeeyo inaan dambiile ahay si ka fog shakiga macquulka.*
  - c. to remain silent at all times, including at trial. Anything I may testify to can be used against me in Court.  
*inaan aamuso waqtigoo dhan, ooy ku jirto inta ey socoto dacwada. Wax kasta oo aan marqaati ku furi karo waxaa loo isticmaali karaa lidkeyga Maxkamada gudaheeda.*
  - d. to confront and cross-examine all witnesses.  
*laga horyimaado lana su'aalo marqaatiyaasha.*

e. to subpoena witnesses on my behalf.  
*in amar maxkamadeed loo diro marqaatiyaasha aaniga dhinaceyga .*

5. I (check one):

*Waxaan (jeegaree mid):*

- a. wish to plead guilty to the offense charged.  
*rabaa inaan qirto dambiga eeda leygu soo oogay.*
- b. wish to plead not guilty to the offense charged.  
*rabaa inaan qiran dambiga eeda leygu soo oogay.*
- c. request a continuance to consult with an attorney.  
*codsanayaa in la iisii wado la tashiga qareen.*

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Taariikh:*

Signature  
*Saxiix*

Date of Birth  
*Taariikhda Dhalashada*

Your attorney: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Qareenkaaga:*

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Magacaaga:*

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Cinwaan:*

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