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Affidavit of Non-Prosecution

An Affidavit of Non-Prosecution is "an affidavit in which a crime victim requests that the perpetrator not be prosecuted." (*Black's Law Dictionary*, 12th ed.). However, "the prosecution is not obligated to dismiss the case merely because the affidavit is executed." (*Texas Criminal Practice Guide* § 70.105).

Note: An Affidavit of Non-Prosecution must be signed in front of a notary.

To submit an Affidavit of Non-Prosecution in Tarrant County, it is recommended that you call ahead to schedule an appointment, as meeting with an Assistant District Attorney (ADA) is required. While you are welcome to visit the office in person, an appointment ensures that the ADA will be available to meet with you.

Tarrant County District Attorney

Tim Curry Criminal Justice Center 401 West Belknap Street Fort Worth, Texas 76196 Main Office: 4th Floor 817-884-1400

Specific Department Locations:

3rd Floor: Misdemeanor Cases **4th Floor**: Felony Cases

5th Floor: Victim Assistance

9th Floor: Civil Cases & Special Unit Cases

Talk to a lawyer if you have questions.

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STATE OF TEXAS	§	
COUNTY OF	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	
Affida	vit of Non-Prosecu	tion
The person who signed	this affidavit, appeared	in person, before me, the
undersigned notary, and stated un	nder oath:	
My name is	Middle	Last
personal knowledge of the facts accurate. I understand that providi criminal liability. Additionally, I acknowledge the le	ing false information in this	s statement may expose me to
false report, committing perjury, affidavit voluntarily, without any for	or engaging in aggravate	ed perjury. I am signing this
This document is being submit complaining witness against the D		
State of Texas vs		
Cause Number:		
Defendant:		
Defendant is charged with:		

I would like all charges related to this matter to be dropped, and for no further action to be taken. I do not plan to pursue charges against the Defendant. I also do not want to appear as a witness against the Defendant before the Grand Jury or in court, and I ask not to be subpoenaed to do so.

I am not making this Affidavit to block justice, nor have I been promised anything in exchange for completing this affidavit.

I am making this Affidavit on my own, of my own free will, without any pressure or force. If the charges against the Defendant are dismissed, I will not complain or criticize anyone in the District Attorney's Office for not prosecuting the case.

I also wish to provide the following statement:		

Signed this day of	
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(signature of affiant)	
State of	
	_
County of	_
Sworn to and subscribed to before me on	(date)
(insert printed name of affiant)	
(insert printed name of affiant)	
	(signature of notarial officer)
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