

CIVIL DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS

STATE OF LOUISIANA

NO.

DIVISION "D"

SECTION 12

VERSUS

**JURY CASH DEPOSIT ORDER PURSUANT TO LA.C.C.P. art. 1734.1(E)**

Demand for trial by jury having been made herein and this matter now being set for trial.

**IT IS ORDERED** that the party requesting a jury trial shall make a cash deposit with the Clerk of Court in the amount of **\$5,000.00** for the first day of trial and **\$700.00** for each additional day the trial is expected to last. This sum shall be deposited **NO LATER THAN** (60) days prior to trial. Trial is set for the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ and is scheduled to last \_\_\_\_\_ days.

**In the event the case is settled, the party depositing the funds shall receive a refund of this deposit as follows:**

1. All funds less **\$1500.00** shall be refunded, only if the court is notified, in writing, **60 (sixty)** days in advance of trial, indicating that the case is resolved or will proceed to a trial by judge;
2. If the case settles within the dates the trial was scheduled to proceed, the court shall cast the party requesting the jury trial an additional **\$320.00** in jury costs.
3. If the case proceeds to trial by jury, the remaining funds on deposit shall be used to pay all jury costs. The court may require an additional deposit for costs as needed.
4. The above deposit schedule only applies to the calling of a standard venire. In the event that the case requires more potential jurors because of the length of the case or other factors, the Court may require additional costs to be posted.

This Order supersedes any prior Jury Order issued in the matter. The Court certifies that a copy of this Order has been served upon counsel of record and/or parties by hand delivery or by mail.

New Orleans, Louisiana this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

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**JUDGE NAKISHA ERVIN-KNOTT**

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