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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SUTTER

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.)
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Defendant.)

CASE NO.
EX PARTE APPLICATION AND
ORDER FOR APPOINTMENT OF
EXPERT/INVESTIGATOR

Defendant, _____, hereby requests an order to appoint
_____ to assist defense counsel in the investigation and/or
preparation of this case. This request is based on the following declaration:

I am the attorney for said defendant, who is currently charged with the following violation(s):
_____.

Conviction on any of these charges could result in defendant being sentenced to state prison.

In order to determine an applicable defense, interview witnesses, compile evidence and
prepare for trial, the assistance of _____, a(n) _____ is
necessary. I believe that _____ hours or more will be expended in performing these tasks.

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1 This person will charge at the following rate(s):

2 \$_____ per hour for this service:

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4 \$_____ per hour for this service:

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7 I request that the Court authorize the expenditure of at least \$_____.

8 Defendant is financially unable to pay for these services as set out in defendant's declaration
9 on file in this action. (If that financial declaration is not on file, one must accompany this request.)

10 (Insert additional information, if appropriate):

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15 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing
16 is true and correct. Executed on _____, 20__ at _____, CA.

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18 _____
Attorney for Defendant

19 ORDER

20 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that _____ is appointed to
21 assist in preparation of a defense in this matter. I authorize the expenditure of \$ _____
22 for this purpose, to be paid upon further itemized application and Court order. This Application and
23 Order are ordered sealed by the clerk, not to be opened without Court order.

24 Dated: _____, 20__

25 _____
Judge of the Superior Court