

CIVIL DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS

STATE OF LOUISIANA

NO.: _____

DIVISION “_____”

SECTION: _____

VERSUS

FILED: _____

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JURY DEPOSIT ORDER PURSUANT TO LA. C.C.P. art. 1734.1

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

IT IS ORDERED that the party requesting trial by jury deposit with the Clerk of Court cash in the amount of \$2,000.00 for the first day of trial and \$400.00 for each additional day the trial is expected to last, which sum shall be deposited no later than thirty (30) days prior to trial. Trial is set for the _____ day of _____, _____.

In the event the case is resolved without the necessity of proceeding to trial by jury, the party depositing the funds shall receive a refund of this deposit as follows:

1. All of the funds on deposit shall be refunded if the Court is notified by written notice filed with the Clerk of Court, more than 30 days in advance of the trial, indicating that the case is compromised or will proceed to a trial by judge;
2. All but \$600 shall be refunded if the Court is notified by written notice filed with the Clerk of Court more than 72 hours in advance of trial indicating that the case is compromised or will proceed to trial by judge;
3. Thereafter, in the event the case does not proceed to trial by jury, the Court shall cast an additional \$240.00 as costs for the calling of a venire.
4. If the case proceeds to trial, the remaining funds on deposit shall be used to pay all costs associated with the jury trial including parking, daily compensation, juror meals and miscellaneous expenses. The court may require an additional deposit for costs as needed.

This Order supersedes any prior Jury Order issued in the matter. **However, all cases in which jury costs pursuant to a prior Jury Order are posted before the date of this amended Order are exempt from this Order**

The Court certifies that a copy of this Order has been served upon all counsel of record and/or parties by hand delivery or by mail.

New Orleans, Louisiana, this _____ day of _____, _____.

JUDGE