

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF
PIKE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
CRIMINAL

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

v.

Docket Number:

Charge(s):

WAIVER OF ARRAIGNMENT

I, _____, hereby acknowledge that I have received the ORDER & NOTICE OF ARRAIGNMENT and copies of the information or information(s) containing criminal charges against me. It is my choice to enter a plea of "not guilty", and to waive my right to be formally arraigned in Open Court.

I have consulted with my lawyer, and he/she and I are aware of my rights to file:

- (1) A "Request for a Bill of Particulars" within seven (7) days following the date of my arraignment pursuant to Pennsylvania Rule of Criminal Procedure No. 572.
- (2) A "Motion for Pre-Trial Discovery and Inspection" within fourteen (14) days following the date of my arraignment pursuant to Pennsylvania Rule of Criminal Procedure No. 573.
- (3) Various other pre-trial motions available to me which must be stated in a single document titled "Omnibus Pre-Trial Motion" to be filed and served within thirty (30) days following the date of my arraignment pursuant to Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure No. 578 and 579.

My attorney and I understand that the time for the filing of the above motions is mandatory except where unusual circumstances exist or the time has been extended by the Court.

My attorney and I are aware that if I do not file the above motions in accordance with the Rules of Criminal Procedure as outlined above, I may jeopardize my right to file them at a later date.

(date)

Signature of Defendant

Address of Defendant

(date)

Signature of Attorney

Printed Name of Counsel

Address of Counsel

COURT ACTION

The above Waiver of Arraignment and plea of Not Guilty are hereby accepted. This case is scheduled for trial for the _____, 202____ Trial Term.

Counsel for the Defendant **must** appear at the Pre-Trial Conference at the Pike County Court House on _____ at _____ .m.

(date)

Gregory H. Chelak P.J.

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