



☐ CIRCUIT COURT ☐ DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND FOR \_\_\_\_\_ City/County

Located at \_\_\_\_\_ Court Address

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

Tracking # \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF MARYLAND

vs. \_\_\_\_\_ Defendant \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

**PETITION FOR EXPUNGEMENT OF RECORDS**  
**Acquittal, Dismissal, Not Guilty, or Nolle Prosequi**  
**(LESS THAN 3 YEARS HAS PASSED SINCE DISPOSITION)**

(In this petition, references are to the Annotated Code of Maryland, and references to “crime,” “criminal action,” and “civil offense or infraction” refer to any criminal or civil offense, other than a violation of the vehicle or traffic laws, ordinances, or regulations, that does not carry a possible sentence of imprisonment.)

1. (Check one of the following boxes) On or about \_\_\_\_\_ Date, I was ☐ arrested, ☐ served with a summons, ☐ or served with a citation by an officer of the \_\_\_\_\_ Law Enforcement Agency at \_\_\_\_\_, Maryland, as a result of the following incident \_\_\_\_\_.

2. I was charged with the offense of \_\_\_\_\_.

3. On or about \_\_\_\_\_ Date, the charge was disposed of as follows (check all that apply, making sure each statement is true and correct):

- ☐ I was **acquitted** of the charge(s).  
☐ the charge(s) was otherwise **dismissed**.  
☐ I was found **not guilty**.  
☐ a **nolle prosequi** was entered (without the requirement of drug or alcohol treatment).

4. ☐ The case was **transferred** to the juvenile court pursuant to Criminal Procedure Article, §§ 4-202 or 4-202.2. (Note: This petition must be filed in the court that issued the order to transfer. The expungement is only of the records in the criminal case, not the records in the juvenile court. See Criminal Procedure Article, § 10-106.)

5. ☐ The case began in one court and was **transferred** to another court other than the juvenile court. (Note: This petition must be filed in the court to which the case was transferred.)

I request the court to enter an Order of Expungement of all police and court records pertaining to the above arrest, detention, confinement, and/or charges.

I solemnly affirm under the penalties of perjury that the contents of this petition are true to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, and that the charge to which this petition relates was not for any nonincarcerable violation of the vehicle laws of the State of Maryland, or any traffic law, ordinance, or regulation, nor is it part of a unit the expungement of which is precluded under Criminal Procedure Article, § 10-107.

Signature of Attorney \_\_\_\_\_ Attorney Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Defendant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

**Form 4-503.2 GENERAL WAIVER AND RELEASE (Criminal Procedure §10-105)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Name, release and forever discharge \_\_\_\_\_ Complainant, and the \_\_\_\_\_ Law Enforcement Agency, all of its officers, agents, and employees, and any and all other persons from any and all tort claims which I may have for wrongful conduct by reason of my arrest, detention, or confinement on or about \_\_\_\_\_ Date.

This General Waiver and Release is conditioned on the expungement of the record of my arrest, detention, or confinement and compliance with Code\*, Criminal Procedure Article, § 10-105, as applicable, and shall be void if these conditions are not met.

WITNESS my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ Month, \_\_\_\_\_ Year.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Witness Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Printed Name of Witness

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 Petitioner Signature (Seal)