PLEA Form

DATE: _____ Ticket # _____

DEFENDANT'S NAME: DL # _____

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NO CONTEST A plea of no contest states that you are not contesting the charges filed. If you plead no contest, a finding of guilt will be entered by the court..

GUILTY A guilty plea states that you are guilty of the charges filed. The fine and costs on a plea of guilty are the same as a plea of no contest. A guilty plea may adversely affect you in the event a civil action is brought against you.

NOT GUILTY A not guilty plea states that you are not guilty to the charge as filed. If you plead not guilty, a trial date will be set. You are required to appear for trial. Failing to appear may result in your being charged with Failure to Appear (Sec. 38.10, Penal Code) and a warrant being issued for your arrest. It Is not required that you be represented by an attorney; However, you may elect to do so. Should you be found not guilty, you would be released at that time from the charge against you. Should you be found guilty, your fine would be assessed by the Judge presiding over the trial.

CHECK ONE:
TO THE CHARGE OF_____, I PLEAD:

_____ **NOT GUILTY** _____ **GUILTY** _____ **NO CONTEST**

I would like to have a trial by _____**Judge** _____**Jury** (Check one)

CHECK ONE IF YOU ENTERED A PLEA OF GUILTY/NO CONTEST:

_____If I qualify and the charge permits, I elect to take the Driver's Safety Course to satisfy this citation.(The holder of a CDL License is not eligible for this option.)

_____If I qualify, I elect to do Deferred Probation on this citation.

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Defendant's Signature Date

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Home Address Apt # City, State, Zip Phone #

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Mailing Address Suite # City, State, Zip Phone #