

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS BELMONT COUNTY, OHIO

REQUEST FOR EXCUSE OR DEFERRAL

I am **INELIGIBLE** for service because I am: (Please Circle)

- (1) under the age of 18 years;
- (2) not a U.S. citizen;
- (3) not a resident of Belmont County;
- (4) not fluent in English;
- (5) a convicted felon, and my social security number is _____.

I wish to be **EXCUSED** from service and do not want to serve because I: (Please Circle)

- (1) am at least 70 years old;
- (2) have attached a physician's certificate to document a serious personal or family illness that renders me unable to serve;
- (3) am a physician, firefighter, or lawyer;
- (4) am a cloistered member of a religious order (**does not include clergy**);
- (5) would suffer serious financial hardship if required to serve.

I request **DEFERRAL** for a specific period of time _____ because: (Please Circle)

- (1) I will be out of the country;
- (2) I am a student;
- (3) I will be on vacation.

**STATE OF OHIO
COUNTY OF BELMONT**

I do hereby solemnly swear or affirm that the answers to the foregoing questions are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that I understand my right to request a hearing to determine my legitimate privacy interest to warrant the non-disclosure of my responses to the public.

DATED: _____

Signature of Prospective Juror