TRUANT CONDUCT RESPONDENT'S ANSWER

CASE NO. _____

IN THE MATTER OF

Respondent Signature

CHILD

IN THE TRUANCY COURT PRECINCT 1, PLACE 2 DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

Date

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I, ______, have reviewed the petition alleging that I engaged in truant conduct under Chapter 65 of the Family Code. After being informed of the allegations against me, the nature and possible consequences of the proceedings, my privilege against self-incrimination, my right to trial and to confront witnesses against me, my right to representation by an attorney, and my right to a jury trial, I appear and file my answer of (check one):

- □ **TRUE**. I agree that the allegations are true, and waive my rights to a jury trial, against selfincrimination, and to confront witness against me. I understand that the judge will now enter a remedial order in this case.
- □ NOT TRUE. I wish to enforce my right to a trial, and for the petitioner to have to prove the allegations of truant conduct beyond a reasonable doubt. I understand that I have the right to a jury trial in this case and I do/do not (circle one) wish to waive that right. I understand that I may not be charged any fees for not waiving my right to a jury trial.

Respondent's Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
Respondent's Attorney, if any	Date