**CAUSE NO. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ -O**

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Plaintiff §

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Defendant § DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

**Defendant APPEAL BOND**

**WHEREAS**, on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, in the Justice Court of Precinct \_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas, a judgment was issued in the above styled cause from which Defendant desires to appeal to the County Court of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_County, Texas, by filing this Appeal Bond;

* **Therefore**, we, Defendant and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as surety, acknowledge ourselves bound to pay the Plaintiff the amount of:
	+ - $ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, double the judgment. (Small Claims or Debt Claim)

This bond is conditioned on Defendant’s prosecution of this Appeal to effect and the payment to Plaintiff of any judgment and all costs rendered against Defendant on appeal.

**SIGNED** on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

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 Surety’s Address

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 Surety’s Email

**ISSUED AND SIGNED** on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_**.**

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JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT 5, PLACE 1

DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of this appeal bond was served on Plaintiff on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_, pursuant to Rule 501.4 by:

* Personal delivery
* Courier-receipted delivery
* Registered or Certified Mail
* Fax
* Email *(if both parties have agreed in writing and provided an email address)*
* Another method approved by the court: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Signature