

APPLICATION FOR EXPUNCTION: PENAL OFFENSES (Art. 45.0216, C.C.P.)

IN THE MATTER OF

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IN THE MUNICIPAL COURT

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CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, TEXAS

DEFENDANT'S APPLICATION FOR EXPUNCTION

Now, comes \_\_\_\_\_ convicted of the offense of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ Municipal Court in Cause Number \_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner is now at least 17 years of age. Petitioner, being duly sworn, states under oath that:

he/she has not been convicted of more than one offense under Section 8.07(a)(4) or (5), Penal Code, while a child

he/she was only convicted once of an offense under Section 43.261 and was not found to have engaged in conduct indicating a need for supervision described by Section 51.03(b)(7), Family Code (if the petitioner is attempting to have a conviction under Section 43.261 expunged with this application).

Petitioner requests that all records of said conviction be expunged pursuant to Article 45.0216, Code of Criminal Procedure, and the Court order expungement of all documents, records, and references thereof and release \_\_\_\_\_ from all disabilities resulting from said conviction. Petitioner further requests that said conviction may not be shown or made known in any manner for any purpose. Attached to this petition is a list of agencies, officials, and others who may have records or files regarding this conviction.

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Defendant-Petitioner

Sworn and subscribed before me by \_\_\_\_\_, a credible person, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Deputy Clerk)(Clerk)(Notary Public in and for the State of Texas)

*(municipal court seal or  
notary public seal if sworn  
before a notary public)*

**Editor's Note:** The Court shall require an individual who files an application under this article to pay a fee in the amount of \$30 to defray the cost of notifying state agencies.