

IN THE _____ COURT

_____, OHIO

_____,

STATE OF OHIO

vs.

_____.

APPLICANT

CASE(S): _____

JUDGE _____

JUDGMENT ENTRY

The Applicant, having applied to the Court for sealing of their record of conviction or dismissal, and the Court being sufficiently informed, finds as follows:

- 1) Applicant's cases are eligible to be sealed / expunged under R.C. Chapter 2953.
- 2) No criminal proceedings are pending against the Defendant.
- 3) The Defendant's interests in having the records pertaining to their case(s) sealed are not outweighed by the government's legitimate need to maintain these records.
- 4) The Court finds Applicant became eligible to seal their records on case number(s) _____ on _____.

Therefore, Defendant's petition for record sealing/ expungement is **granted**. It is hereby **ordered** that all official records pertaining to this case shall be sealed/expunged and all indexed references thereto shall be deleted, except as otherwise provided in R.C. Chapter 2953. The proceedings of the case will be considered not to have occurred and the case(s) shall be sealed/ expunged, subject to the exceptions set forth in R.C. Chapter 2953.

It is further **ordered** that none of the foregoing persons shall inspect or use said records nor permit the inspection or use of said records except as provided in R.C. Chapter 2953.

It is further **ordered** that copies of this Entry shall be served by Clerk of Court on the following by certified mail, return receipt requested (check all that apply):

- Applicant
- The Ohio State Highway Patrol
- The Prosecuting Attorney of _____ County, Ohio
- The Adult Probation Department of this court
- The Bureau of Criminal Investigation of the Ohio Attorney General

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- Records Department of _____ County Sheriff's Department
- Records Department of _____ Police Department/Division
- Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D.C.
- Common Pleas Court of _____ County, Ohio
- Municipal Court of _____, Ohio
- _____ County Court
- Other: _____

JUDGE