

**District Court of Washington for the
County of Thurston**

No.

**Statement of Defendant on Plea
of Guilty**

Plaintiff,

vs.

Defendant.

1. My true name is _____.

2. My age is _____.

3. I went through the _____ grade.

4. ***I Have Been Informed and Fully Understand that:***

(a) I have the right to representation by a lawyer and that if I cannot afford to pay for a lawyer, one will be provided at no expense to me.

(b) I am charged with:

Count	Crime	RCW or Ordinance (with subsection)
1.	Driving While License Suspended 3rd	RCW 46.20.342.1.C
2.		
3.		
4.		

IN THURSTON COUNTY THE CITY OF LACEY, THE CITY OF TUMWATER,
WASHINGTON the defendant drove a motor vehicle while the defendant's license was in a
suspended or revoked status or when his or her privilege to drive was suspended or revoked in
this or any other state.

5. ***I Understand That I Have the Following Important Rights, and I Give Them All Up
by Pleading Guilty:***

(a) The right to a speedy and public trial by an impartial jury in the county where
the crime is alleged to have been committed;

- (b) The right to remain silent before and during trial, and the right to refuse to testify against myself;
- (c) The right at trial to hear and question the witnesses who testify against me;
- (d) The right at trial to testify and to have witnesses testify for me. These witnesses can be made to appear at no expense to me;
- (e) I am presumed innocent unless the charge is proven beyond a reasonable doubt or I enter a plea of guilty;
- (f) The right to appeal a finding of guilt after a trial.

6. ***In Considering the Consequences of my Guilty Plea, I understand that:***

- (a) The crime with which I am charged carries a maximum sentence of 90 days in jail and a \$1000 fine.
- (b) The prosecuting authority will make the following recommendation to the judge:

The Court retains jurisdiction for a period of _____ months.

Impose sentence immediately if
Defendant does not have a valid
license

Fine Only and Close Case

Fine: _____

Fees: _____

Assessment: _____

Jail Time Imposed: _____

Jail Time Suspended: _____

Other: _____

Continue sentence for _____ days if
the Defendant returns with a valid
license

Fine: _____

Fees: _____

Assessment: _____

Jail Time Imposed: _____

Jail Time Suspended: _____

If Jail time is imposed, it will be served in:

General Population

Work Release

Electronic Home Monitoring

Day Jail/Day Reporting

Any Correction's Options

Conditions of Sentence:

No Law Violations

Not operate a motor vehicle
without valid operator's license
and insurance

Perform _____ Hours of
Community Service

Other Conditions:

- (c) The judge does not have to follow anyone's recommendation as to sentence. The judge can give me any sentence up to the maximum authorized by law no matter what the prosecuting authority or anyone else recommends.
- (d) The judge may place me on probation for up to two (2) years and impose conditions of probation. If the court orders me to appear at a hearing regarding my compliance with probation and I fail to attend the hearing, the term of probation will be tolled until I appear before the court on the record.

- (e) The judge may require me to pay costs, fees and assessments authorized by law. The judge may also order me to make restitution to any victims who lost money or property as a result of crimes I committed. The maximum amount of restitution is double the amount of the loss of all victims or double the amount of my gain.
- (f) If I am not a citizen of the United States, a plea of guilty to an offense punishable as a crime under state law may be grounds for deportation, exclusion from admission to the United States, or denial of naturalization pursuant to the laws of the United States.
7. I plead guilty to the crime(s) of **Driving While License Suspended 3rd - RCW 46.20.342.1.C** as charged in the complaint(s) or citation(s) and notice. I have received a copy of that complaint or citation and notice. The complaint or citation and notice was orally amended and I waive filing of a written amended complaint or citation and notice
8. I make this plea freely and voluntarily.
9. No one has threatened harm of any kind to me or to any other person to cause me to make this plea.
10. No person has made promises of any kind to cause me to enter this plea except as set forth in this statement.
11. **Statement of Facts:** The judge has asked me to state in my own words what I did that makes me guilty of the crime(s). This is my statement (state the specific facts that support each element of the crime(s)):
On or about _____, in _____ I operated a
motor vehicle while my privilege to drive was suspended in the third degree.

Instead of making a statement, I agree that the court may review the police reports and/or a statement of probable cause supplied by the prosecution to establish a factual basis for the plea.

12. My lawyer has explained to me, and we have fully discussed, all of the above paragraphs. I understand them all. I have been given a copy of this "Statement of Defendant on Plea of Guilty." I have no further questions to ask the judge.

Date: _____

DEFENDANT

CASE NUMBER:

I have read and discussed this statement with the defendant and believe that the defendant is competent and fully understands the statement.

Date: _____

Defendant's Lawyer

Name WSBA No.

Date: _____

Prosecuting Authority

Name WSBA No.

The foregoing statement was signed by the defendant in open court in the presence of the defendant's lawyer and the undersigned judge. The defendant asserted that (check the appropriate box):

- (a) The defendant had previously read; or
- (b) The defendant's lawyer had previously read to him or her; or
- (c) An interpreter had previously read to the defendant the entire statement above and that the defendant understood it in full

Interpreter Declaration: I am a certified or registered interpreter, or have been found otherwise qualified By the court to interpret in the _____ language which the defendant understands. I have translated this document for the defendant from English into that language. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed at (city) _____, (state) WA on _____.

Interpreter

Print Name

I find the defendant's Plea of Guilty to be knowingly, intelligently, and voluntarily made. Defendant understands the charges and the consequences of the plea. There is a factual basis for the plea. The defendant is guilty as charged.

Dated: _____
