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DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND FOR _____

City/County _____

Located at _____

Court Address _____

Case No. _____

**PETITION FOR REMISSION OF BOND FORFEITURE
(Criminal Procedure § 5-208)**

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The petitioner _____, ^{Name} petitions the court for remission in the above-captioned case pursuant to Criminal Procedure § 5-208 and Maryland Rule 4-217. The facts in support of this petition are as follows:

1. The petitioner is a professional bail bondsman a surety insurer a bonding company engaged in the bonding business in the State of Maryland the defendant an individual who posted a cash bond for the defendant without charging a fee.
2. On _____, the defendant, _____, was arrested in the above-captioned case.
3. On _____, the petitioner posted a bond (Power # (if applicable) _____) in the amount of \$ _____ for the appearance of the defendant in the above-captioned case.
4. On _____, the posted bail was ordered forfeited as a result of the defendant's failure to appear and the court ordered the forfeit bail to be paid within 90 days or 180 days.
5. On _____, the forfeited bail was paid in the amount of \$ _____, plus any required interest, and the payment was was not within the time ordered by the court.
6. The defendant was returned to court on _____ and the return occurred within beyond the time the forfeited bail was ordered to be paid.
7. The defendant was is confined at _____ outside the state and the State's Attorney is unwilling to issue a detainer and extradite the defendant. Upon expiration of the out of state sentence _____ assures the defendant's return to Maryland at no expense to the state, county or municipal corporation. Documentation attached.
8. The defendant was incarcerated when the judgment of forfeiture was entered and the court struck the judgment of forfeiture due to fraud, mistake, or irregularity. Documentation attached.
9. The bond in the amount of \$ _____ be remitted to _____

Name & Address _____

Social Security #/Federal Tax ID # _____

for the following reasons: _____

I swear and affirm, under the penalties of perjury, that the statements above are true and correct.

Date

Address

City, State, Zip

Telephone

Petitioner/Petitioner's Attorney Signature

Printed Name

E-mail

Fax

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on _____ a copy of this petition was mailed first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the Office of the State's Attorney for _____

at _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Petitioner/Petitioner's Attorney _____

ORDER

Upon consideration of this petition, it is

- ORDERED that the petition is denied.
- ORDERED that the petition is granted and the amount of the penalty sum, less any expenses of the state in producing the defendant, be remitted as requested.
- ORDERED that a hearing on the matter be set for _____ at _____ AM PM and that all parties be notified to appear.

Date

Judge

ID Number