**Agreement to Provide Legal Services**

Client: «AddressBlock»

Date: August 29, 2019

Matter: «CaseSummary»

This Agreement to Provide Legal Services sets forth the agreement between Steven J. Fischer, Attorney at Law (“Attorney”) and the above-named client for legal representation in the above-named matter.

1. I agree to pay $«RepFee» to Attorney for representation in the matter(s) named above. If this representation includes a trial or suppression hearing, I agree to pay an additional $«TrialFee» at least one week prior to trial or suppression hearing.

2. In addition to the fees specified in section 1, I agree to pay all costs and expenses in connection with this representation, including but not limited to service of process, depositions, and witness fees. I will be consulted prior to the retaining of expert witnesses or other significant expenditures.

3. I hereby authorize Attorney to initiate any pretrial appeal, motion or writ if, in his opinion, my interests will best be served. If I am unavailable for consultation, I specifically authorize Attorney to take any action on my behalf. Such actions include the waiving of my right to a speedy trial or a jury trial, and a demand for change of judge if, in his opinion, my interests would best be served.

4. I agree to provide Attorney with full and complete information in response to the law firm’s request on any matter. I agree to provide whatever records, documents, or things that I have available for inspection, review, and analysis in the preparation of my defense.

5. I understand that the fee quoted herein involves representation at a North Dakota state district court level. It DOES NOT include appeals or writs to a higher court whether pretrial or post-trial, whether initiated by Attorney or by the Prosecution, or retrials following a mistrial, successful appeal, or where a motion for new trial is granted.

6. I acknowledge that Attorney has the right to withdraw from my case if I have misrepresented or failed to disclose material facts to him, follow his advice, fail to maintain contact with attorney, a bench warrant is issued on my case, or for any other reason. Likewise, I may discharge Attorney at any time for any reason. I will be responsible for any fees and costs incurred prior to withdrawal or discharge.

7. I will be given notice in writing of any intention to withdraw. If I fail to cooperate with the necessary changes needed to continue the working relationship, I agree that my actions or lack of action will constitute good cause for Attorney to withdraw from further representation.

8. I also agree that if the fees and costs set forth in this Agreement are not paid, Attorney may withdraw from further representation.

9. I acknowledge that Attorney has made no guarantees in the disposition of any phase of my case.

10. This Agreement contains all of the terms of my financial arrangement with Steven J. Fischer, Attorney at Law, and can only be modified by a written document signed by both parties.

11. I acknowledge receiving a duly executed duplicate original copy of this Agreement.

This agreement sets forth the terms a legally binding contract between attorney and client. Before signing, please read it carefully to ensure you understand the contents.

READ, APPROVED AND ACCEPTED:

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Steven J. Fischer, Attorney at Law