Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Magisterial District Court No. _____ of _____ County

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: Case number: _____
vs. :
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Interpreter Waiver Form

Name of party waiving the services of an interpreter: _____
(Print name)

Relationship to case: ☐ Defendant/Respondent ☐ Plaintiff/Petitioner ☐ Witness ☐ Victim
(Check one)
☐ Parent/Person *in loco parentis* ☐ Other: _____

Primary language spoken: _____ Secondary language: _____

I, the undersigned, have been advised by the court of my right to have an interpreter present for the duration of this court proceeding to assist me in fully participating and understanding the proceeding, in order to safeguard my due process rights.

However, after consulting with my attorney, through the services of the interpreter provided by the court, (pursuant to 204 PA Code Ch.221.105 (a) or (b)), I hereby knowingly, voluntarily and intelligently choose to waive my right to have an interpreter present to assist me during these proceedings.

I understand that if at any time during the proceeding I decide that I need the services of an interpreter, one will be provided if I so petition the court.

_____ _____
Signature of party waiving the interpreter Signature of Counsel for party waiving the interpreter

_____ _____
Interpreter signature Date

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Magisterial District Judge