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IN THE COUNTY COURT, IN AND
FOR LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA

TRAFFIC DIVISION

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 91-3

Effective July 1, 1991, the offenses listed on the attached NOTICE (Plea in Absentia) may be paid at the Traffic Violations Bureau Counter. Also attached is the necessary plea in absentia form.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida this 25 day of June, 1991.

COUNTY JUDGE

Copies to:

Court Administrator
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NOTICE

This procedure is available only prior to arraignment. If you are charged with one of the following offenses, you may enter a plea in Absentia and pay court costs with adjudication withheld WITHOUT APPEARING IN COURT.

DRIVER LICENSE OFFENSE

		Misdemeanor	With Proof of Compliance	Without Proof of Compliance
322.01(1),(2),(3),(4)	- (No accident) No Valid License	2*	$75	$100
322.03(5)	- Expiration (more than 4 months)	2*	$75 (obtain operator license)	$100
322.16	- Violation of Restrictions	2*	$75	$100
322.34(1)	- D/W/L.S/R - 1st offense (FINES)*	2*	$48.10	$100
	- D/W/L.S/R - 2nd offense &	1*	$75	$150
	- D/W/L.S/R - 3rd offense (FR.ONLY)	1*	$75	$250
322.36, 322.35	- Permitting Unauthorized Person or Minor to Drive - 1st offense	2*		$75
322.31	- Refusing to Sign Citation	2*		$75

LICENSE TAG & REGISTRATION OFFENSES

320.061	- Altering Plate or Sticker	2*		$75
320.0605	- Failure to have registration		$75	$100
320.07	- Expiration of Registration (more than 4 months)	2*	$75	$100
320.131	- Unlawful Use of Temporary Tag	2*	$75	$100
320.261	- Tag on Wrong Vehicle	2*	$75	$100
	- Sticker on Wrong Tag	2*	$75	$100
	- 2nd + More Tag + Reg. Offenses	2*	$75	$150

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAR IN COURT

SEE THE CLERK FOR A PLEA IN ABSENTIA FORM

Maximum Penalty - 2* Misdemeanor - $500 fine and/or 60 days in jail
Maximum Penalty - 1* Misdemeanor -$1000 fine and/or 1 year in jail

DATED - 6/12/91 (H.S.M.)

*Fines and Financial Responsibility Only Offenses

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IN THE COUNTY COURT, IN AND FOR LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA,

STATE OF FLORIDA,

TRAFFIC DIVISION

vs.

CASE NO.

SPN#

Defendant. _____/

ACCEPTANCE OF ABSENTIA NO CONTEST PLEA AND JUDGMENT AND SENTENCE

I swear under oath that I understand and agree to the following:

(1) I am charged with:

	M1	M2	
1.	___	___	_____
2.	___	___	_____
3.	___	___	_____
4.	___	___	_____

(2) I plead no contest to the charge(s) because I feel this plea is in my best interest.

(3) The maximum sentence for a Misdemeanor-1st degree (M1) is 1 year in jail and a $1,000 fine; and for a Misdemeanor-2nd degree (M2) is 60 days in jail and a $500 fine.

(4) I give up my rights to: a trial by jury or judge; to have a lawyer help me, either my own or a court-appointed lawyer if I cannot afford one; make the State prove my guilt at trial beyond a reasonable doubt; see and question witnesses against me; make witnesses come to trial for me; testify or not, as I wish to do; appeal my guilt or innocence. If I am not a U.S. citizen, I may be deported.

(5) No alcohol or drugs are affecting me and no one has promised me or threatened me to enter this plea.

MY SENTENCE SHALL BE:

Adjudication withheld

Fine/Costs: $_____;

Further, by signing this paragraph, I request a continuance of thirty (30) days in which to pay my court costs.

I UNDERSTAND THAT IN RETURN FOR THE DELAY OF 30 DAYS, IF I DO NOT PAY MY COSTS BY _____, A WARRANT MAY BE ISSUED FOR MY ARREST.

_____
(Defendant's signature for continuance)

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I RECEIVED A COPY OF THIS ORDER AND I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO IT.

_____ _____

Defendant's Attorney Defendant

STATE OF FLORIDA, COUNTY OF LEON

BEFORE ME, personally appeared, _____, who, being duly sworn, says that he/she is the defendant, and the contents herein are true and correct.

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this ___ day of _____, 19___.

_____

Deputy Clerk of Court

JUDGEMENT AND SENTENCE

I ACCEPT defendant's plea, and ORDER Judgement and Sentence as provided above.

DONE AND ORDERED, Tallahassee, Florida, this _____ day of _____, 19___.

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COUNTY JUDGE

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