

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR RUTHERFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE AT  
MURFREESBORO**

STATE OF TENNESSEE

VS.

CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
DEFENDANT

**PETITION**

Comes now your Petitioner, \_\_\_\_\_ for  
\_\_\_\_\_, and moves this Honorable Court to discharge  
him/her from his/her obligations as surety on the bond of the above-named defendant, and as facts in support of  
said Petition would show unto the Court as follows:

1. The defendant stands indicted for the crime of:

- a)
- b)
- c)

2. The defendant was indicted by the \_\_\_\_\_ term of the Grand Jury for the Circuit  
Court of Rutherford County, Tennessee.

3. \_\_\_\_\_ signed as surety for his bond in the amount of  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

4. The above-named defendant is presently incarnated in the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Jail, having been picked up for the following reason:

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For all of the foregoing, your Petitioner moves this Honorable Court to relive him/her from their  
obligations as bondsman for the above-named defendant and further to discharge them from the obligations of  
their bond since the defendant is presently incarcerated.

Respectfully requested this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner