

FORM A

COURT OF KING'S BENCH FOR SASKATCHEWAN
JUDICIAL CENTRE OF _____

**DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL PURSUANT TO SECTION 650.01
OF THE *CRIMINAL CODE***

I, _____, pursuant to s. 650.01 of the *Criminal Code*, hereby
(*name of accused*)
appoint _____
(*name and address of counsel*)

to represent me for the following proceedings:

(List all charges on the Indictment, Information numbers, if any, and Indictment date.)

I acknowledge that although I have signed this designation of counsel, there are times when I must be personally present in court and that I must keep in regular contact with my designated counsel so that I will know about those times. I acknowledge that I am required to be present in court when:

- (a) any oral evidence of a witness is taken;
- (b) jurors are being selected;
- (c) an application for writ of habeas corpus is made; or
- (d) ordered by the Court to be personally present or to attend remotely.

I understand that appearance by my designated counsel is equivalent to my being present unless the Court orders otherwise and I understand that a plea of guilty may be made and a sentence may be pronounced only if I am present unless the Court orders otherwise.

I also acknowledge that if the Court orders me to be present otherwise than by an appearance by my designated counsel, the Court may:

- (a) issue a summons to compel my presence and order that the summons be served by leaving a copy at the address contained in this designation of counsel; or
- (b) issue an arrest warrant to compel my presence before the Court.

DATED at _____, in the Province of Saskatchewan, this ____ day
of _____, 20____.

(Signature of accused)

(Signature of designated counsel)

(Printed name of accused)

(Printed name of designated counsel)

(Full address of accused)

(Full address of designated counsel)