

**FORM 48 - ORDER ON APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC DEFENDER****State of Minnesota****District Court****County of** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Judicial District****File No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF MINNESOTA

ORDER ON APPLICATION

v.

FOR PUBLIC DEFENDER

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant

Upon review of the verified application for a public defender, the Court finds:

The Defendant is:

- ☐ Not financially eligible
- ☐ Financially eligible because:
- ☐ The defendant, or a dependent of theirs who lives in their household, receives a means tested government benefit.
  - ☐ Due to insufficient funds or other assets, the defendant was refused representation by two lawyers on a referral list maintained by the Court.
  - ☐ The Court does not maintain a lawyer referral list, but two lawyers in this judicial district refused representation of the defendant due to insufficient funds or other assets.
  - ☐ The defendant does not have sufficient income or assets to pay the reasonable costs for defense of their case charged by lawyers in this judicial district.

Therefore, **IT IS ORDERED** that defendant's application for a public defender is:

- ☐ Approved
- ☐ Not approved

The Court finds that reimbursement is:

- ☐ Not required
- ☐ Required as follows: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ To be determined at a later date

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
District Court Judge

(Added effective July 1, 1996.)