

CAUSE NO. M-\_\_\_\_\_

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
FOR THE BEST INTEREST  
AND PROTECTION OF

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IN THE COUNTY COURT

AT LAW NO. 2 OF

\_\_\_\_\_  
THE PROPOSED PATIENT

HUNT COUNTY, TEXAS

**NOTIFICATION OF PROBABLE CAUSE HEARING**

On this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned hearing officer heard evidence concerning the need for protective custody of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(hereinafter referred to as proposed patient)

The Proposed patient was given the opportunity to challenge the allegations that (s)he presents a substantial risk of serious harm to self or others.

The proposed patient and the proposed patient’s attorney, \_\_\_\_\_ have been given written notice that the proposed patient was placed under an order of protective custody and the reasons for such order on \_\_\_\_\_.

I have examined the certificate of medical examination for mental illness and all other evidence and testimony offered to the Court.

Based on this evidence, I find that there is probable cause to believe that the proposed patient presents a substantial risk of serious harm to  self and/or  others such that that (s)he cannot be at liberty pending final hearing based on the medical examination for mental illness and all other evidence and testimony presented to the Court.

SIGNED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

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JOEL D. LITTLEFIELD, PRESIDING JUDGE  
COUNTY COURT AT LAW NO. 2  
HUNT COUNTY, TEXAS