**CAUSE NO. [\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_]**

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| **[NAME],**  **Plaintiff,**  **v.**  **[NAME],**  **Defendant.** | **§**  **§**  **§**  **§**  **§**  **§**  **§**  **§**  **§** | **IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF**  **[\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_] COUNTY, TEXAS**  **[\_\_\_\_\_] JUDICIAL DISTRICT** |

[NAME OF APPEALING PARTY]’S NOTICE OF ACCELERATED APPEAL

[Plaintiff/Defendant] [Appealing Party] states [his/her/its] intent to appeal the Final Judgment signed on [Date], as well as any other rulings subsumed therein, in [Full Cause Caption], No. [\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_], in the [\_\_\_\_] Judicial District Court, [\_\_\_\_\_\_] County, Texas. Pursuant to Texas Rule of Appellate Procedure 25.1, [Plaintiff/Defendant] [Appealing Party] appeals to the Court of Appeals for the [First or Fourteenth, Second, Third, etc.] District of Texas sitting in [City]. This is an accelerated appeal. TEX. R. APP. P. 28.1(a).

[No related appeal or original proceeding has been previously filed in either the First or the Fourteenth Court of Appeals.]

*or*

[A related appeal or original proceeding has been previously filed in the [*First/Fourteenth*] Court of Appeals, [*Court of Appeals Case Number, Case Caption*], being appealed from [*Trial Court Cause Number, Full Cause Caption*.]]

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing instrument was forwarded to all counsel of record shown below by electronic filing in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure on [Date].

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