

MERCHANT HOT CHECK AGREEMENT

I, the undersigned agent/holder for _____, will utilize reasonable effort to collect any and all checks prior to submitting them to the Midland County District Attorney's Office for possible collection and/or prosecution. Being unsuccessful in attempts to collect such checks, I regard them as wholly worthless. It is understood that such checks, being submitted to the Midland County District Attorneys' Office, are now evidence to be used in a possible criminal prosecution against the maker and will be retained by this office. **I agree not to accept restitution for said checks directly from the maker or their agent. I agree to wait to be contacted by the Midland County District Attorney's Office according to their office processing policies.** I further agree the disposition, as to the settlement of said checks, is at the sole discretion of the Midland County District Attorney's Office.

UNDER SEC. 36.05, TEXAS PENAL CODE, IT IS A FELONY IF A COMPLAINING WITNESS, AFTER CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS HAVE BEEN INSTITUTED, SOLICITS, ACCEPTS OR AGREES TO ACCEPT ANY BENEFIT IN CONSIDERATION OF ABSTAINING FROM, DISCONTINUING, OR DELAYING THE PROSECUTION OF ANOTHER FOR AN OFFENSE WITHOUT THE PRIOR APPROVAL OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

_____	_____		
Business or Individual's Name	Phone		
_____	_____		
Signature of Agent/Holder	Date		
_____	_____		
Printed Name of Agent/Holder	Title		
_____	_____		
Restitution Address	City	State	Zip
_____	_____	_____	_____
Alternate Address	City	State	Zip
_____	_____	_____	_____
Primary Phone	Secondary Phone		
_____	_____		