

Standard Conditions of Supervision may vary based on the date of the offense. Additional Special Conditions of Supervision will vary from case to case. While we strive to provide accurate and up to date content, it is not guaranteed to be complete or correct. Always follow the conditions given to you by your U.S. Probation Officer.

## **Western District of Texas**

## **Mandatory Conditions of Supervision**

- 1. The defendant shall not commit another federal, state, or local crime.
- The defendant shall not lawfully possess a controlled substance. The defendant shall
  refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance. The defendant shall submit to
  one drug test within 15 days of release from imprisonment and at least two periodic drug
  tests thereafter, as determined by the court.
- In supervised release cases only, the defendant must report to the probation office in the district to which the defendant is released within 72 hours of release from custody of the Bureau of Prisons.
- 4. If convicted of a felony, the defendant shall not possess a firearm, ammunition, destructive device, or any other dangerous weapon.
- 5. The defendant shall cooperate in the collection of DNA as directed by the probation officer if the collection of such a sample is authorized pursuant to section 3 of the DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 200 (42 USC § 1413a).
- 6. If convicted of a sexual offense as described in 18 USC § 1402(c)(4), the defendant shall register with the state sex offender registration agency in the state where the defendant resides, works, or is a student, as directed by the probation officer.
- 7. If convicted of a domestic violence crime as defined in 18 USC § 3561(b), the defendant shall participate in an approval program for domestic violence.
- 8. If the judgement imposes a fine or restitution, it is a condition of supervision that the defendant pays in accordance with the schedule of payments sheet of the judgement.

## **Standard Conditions of Supervision**

- The defendant shall not leave the judicial district without permission of the court or probation officer.
- 2. The defendant shall report to the probation officer and shall submit a truthful and complete written report within the first five days of each month.
- 3. The defendant shall answer truthfully all inquiries by the probation officer and follow the instructions of the probation officer.
- 4. The defendant shall support his or her dependents and meet other family responsibilities.
- 5. The defendant shall work regularly at a lawful occupation, unless excused by the probation officer for schooling, training, or other acceptable reasons.

- 6. The defendant shall notify the probation officer at least ten days prior to any change in residence or employment.
- 7. The defendant shall refrain from excessive use of alcohol and shall not purchase, possess, use, distribute, or administer any controlled substance or any paraphernalia related to any controlled substances, except as prescribed by a physician.
- 8. The defendant shall not frequent places where controlled substances are: illegally sold, used, distributed, or administered.
- 9. The defendant shall not associate with any persons engaged in criminal activity and shall not associate with any person convicted of a felony, unless granted permission to do so by the probation officer.
- 10. The defendant shall permit a probation officer to visit him or her at any time at home or elsewhere and shall permit confiscation of any contraband observed in plain view of the probation officer.
- 11. The defendant shall notify the probation officer within seventy-two hours of being arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer
- 12. The defendant shall not enter into any agreement to act as an informer or. a special agent of a law enforcement agency without the permission of the court.
- 13. As directed by the probation officer, the defendant shall notify third parties of risks that may be occasioned by the defendant's criminal record or personal history or characteristics and shall permit the probation officer to make such notifications and to confirm the defendant's compliance with such notification requirement.
- 14. If convicted of a sexual offense as described in 18 USC § 4024(c)(4), or has prior conviction of state or local offense that would have been an offense as described in 18 USC § 4024(c)(4) if a circumstance giving rise to federal jurisdiction had existed, the defendant shall participate in a sex offender treatment program approved by the probation officer. The defendant shall abide by all program rules, requirements and conditions of the sex offender treatment program, including submission to polygraph testing, to determine if the defendant is in compliance with the conditions of release. The defendant may be required to contribute to the cost of the services rendered (copayment) in an amount to be determined by the probation officer, based on the defendant's ability to pay.
- 15. The defendant shall submit to an evaluation for substance abuse or dependency treatment as directed by the probation officer, and if deemed necessary by the probation officer, the defendant shall participate in a program approved by the probation officer treatment of narcotic addiction or drug or alcohol dependency which may include testing and examination to determine if the defendant reverted to the use of drugs or alcohol. The defendant may be required if the defendant has reverted to the use of drugs or alcohol. The defendant may be required to contribute to the cost of the services rendered (copayment) in an amount to be determined by the probation officer, based upon the defendant's ability to pay.
- 16. The defendant shall submit to an evaluation for mental health counseling as directed by the probation officer, and if deemed necessary by the probation officer, the defendant shall participate in a mental health program approved by the probation officer. The defendant may be required to contribute to the cost of the services rendered (copayment)

- in an amount to be determined by the probation officer, based upon the defendant's ability to pay.
- 17. If the defendant is excluded, deported, or removed upon release from imprisonment, the term of supervised release shall be a non-reporting term of supervised release. The defendant shall not illegally re-enter the United States. If the defendant lawfully renters the United States during the term of supervised release, the defendant shall immediately report in person to the nearest probation office.
- 18. If the judgement imposes other criminal monetary penalties, it is a condition of supervision that the defendant pay such penalties in accordance with the schedule of payments sheet of the judgement.
- 19. If the judgement imposes a fine, special assessment, restitution, or other criminal monetary penalties, it is a condition of supervision that the defendant shall provide the probation officer access to any requested financial information.
- 20. If the judgement imposes a fine, special assessment, restitution, or other criminal monetary penalties, it is a condition of supervision that the defendant shall not incur any new credit charges or open additional lines of credit without the approval of the probation officer unless the defendant is in compliance with the payment schedule.

## **Travel Restrictions**

The Western District of Texas comprises 68 counties. You are allowed to travel freely within these 68 counties. Unless you are given permission in advance by the judge in your case, any requests to travel outside of these 68 counties must be approved in advance by your U.S. Probation Officer.

Failure to do so may result in a violation of your supervision.