

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
IN AND FOR PINELLAS COUNTY, FLORIDA  
CRIMINAL DIVISION**

**STATE OF FLORIDA,**

**CASE NO.: 18-09851-CF**

**-v-**

**MICHAEL DREJKA,  
Defendant.**

**DIVISION: D**

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**MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL**

**COMES NOW**, Counsel for the Defendant, Lysa Clifton, Esq., files this Motion to Withdraw as Counsel in the above-styled cause, and hereby moves this Honorable Court to allow the Defendant's attorney, Lysa Clifton, Esq., to withdraw as counsel of record, and in support thereof states:

1. The Defendant retained the undersigned counsel on August 14, 2018 for manslaughter.
2. The Defendant was bonded out of jail on September 24, 2018.
3. There are irreconcilable differences between the undersigned counsel and the Defendant.
4. After a consultation with my attorney and explaining all relevant facts regarding this particular case as it relates to the litigation and underlying facts and circumstances, pursuant to the Florida Bar Rules and Ethical Considerations counsel to withdraw from the case.
5. There is no objection from the Defendant.
6. The counsel's Motion to Withdraw is timely made, two remaining attorneys remain and withdraw of counsel can be accomplished without any material adverse effect on the Defendant's interest.
7. The last known address and location of the Defendant is: 1116 Charles Street, Clearwater, Florida, 33755.

**WHEREFORE**, upon hearing hereof, the undersigned prays this Court enter its order allowing withdrawal immediately.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that a true and correct copy has been furnished to the Defendant, Mr. Michael Drejka, by US Mail to 1116 Charles Street, Clearwater, Florida, 33755 as listed above and to the State Attorney's Office, via e-service through the e-portal service on this 18th day of October, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Lysa Clifton

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