

# **INSTRUCTIONS FOR MOTION TO EXPUNGE-1<sup>ST</sup> OFFENSE POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA**

- FEEs REQUIRED:** (1) \$50.00 MONEY ORDER MADE OUT TO THE **BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INFORMATION.**
- (2) \$50.00 MONEY ORDER MADE OUT TO THE **LAFOURCHE PARISH DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**
- (3) \$50.00 MONEY ORDER MADE OUT TO THE **LAFOURCHE PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE**
- (4) \$150.00 MONEY ORDER MADE OUT TO THE **LAFOURCHE PARISH CLERK OF COURT**

**THE TOTAL COST TO OBTAIN A COURT ORDER EXPUNGING A RECORD OF A MISDEMEANOR CONVICTION FOR A 1<sup>ST</sup> OFFENSE POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA, TETRAHYDROCANNABINOL, OR CHEMICAL DERIVATIVES IS \$300.00**

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Things required when filing an expungement:

(1) Criminal Background Check from the La. State Police dated within the past 30 days

--To obtain a Background Check from the Louisiana State Police the following information is required:

A) Identification (Driver's License or State ID)

B) Costs (2 Money Orders: 1 for \$13.25, 1 for \$26.00)

\*\*Debit or Credit Card can be used but a surcharge does apply

-- **State Police Headquarters, 7919 Independence Blvd, Baton Rouge, La, Phone #225-925-4108**

(2) Bill of Information

(3) Minute entry showing final disposition of case

## **Misdemeanor Possession of Marijuana-1<sup>st</sup> Offense Convictions:**

**La. C.Cr.P. Article 977 provides in part:**

A person may file a motion to expunge his/her record of arrest and conviction of a misdemeanor conviction for a first offense possession of marijuana, tetrahydrocannabinol, or chemical derivatives thereof after ninety (90) days from the date of conviction.