**CONSENT FOR FIRE/EXPLOSION SCENE EXAMINATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, have been requested to consent to an examination of my property located at (full description and address of property):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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for (date(s) scene examination will be held) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

This examination is being conducted as part of an investigation of the fire/explosion which occurred to this property on (date of fire) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

I am the lawful ***OCCUPANT*** of this property. I have been advised of my constitutional rights to refuse such consent and to require that a search warrant be obtained prior to any examination. I have further been advised that if I do consent to an examination, any evidence found as a result of such examination can be seized and used against me in any court of law and that I may withdraw my consent at any time prior to the conclusion of the examination.

After having been advised of my constitutional rights as stated above, I hereby voluntarily waive those rights and consent to an examination and authorize the STATE FIRE MARSHAL OR DIVSISION FIRE INVESTIGATORS AUTHORIZED BY THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL, INDIANA STATE POLICE, and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

and any other fire official, investigator, or law enforcement officer participating in the investigation of this fire/explosion incident, to enter and search the property described above and the surrounding areas of the premises, including any other structures or vehicles situated on or adjacent to the property to examine and remove evidence relating to the fire/explosion.

I specifically give my consent and authorize these persons to inspect and remove any items of evidence which may be related, directly or indirectly, to the investigation of the circumstances and cause of the fire/explosion, and to submit the evidence for examination, analysis, and/or testing. I specifically give my consent and authorize these persons to use an accelerant, cadaver, and/or explosive detection canine (trained dog) to assist and participate in the search of the premises, surrounding areas, other structures and vehicles.

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(Occupant signature) (Date)

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