

RELEASE OF BODY

NAME OF DECEASED _____

TIME OF DEATH _____
(Date) (Hour)

RELEASED TO _____
(Funeral Home)

OF _____
(City)

DATE RELEASED _____
(Time)

IF DEATH WAS UNEXPECTED AND THE MEDICAL EXAMINER/ INVESTIGATOR HAS NOT RETURNED THE MDC'S CALL WITHIN 4 HOURS OF DEATH, THEN THE BODY CAN BE RELEASED TO THE FUNERAL HOME PENDING "FURTHER DIRECTION FROM THE MEDICAL EXAMINER/INVESTIGATOR":

(The Funeral Home must not do any preparation of the body until they hear from the Medical Examiner/Investigator on call.)

- YES, Direction required from Medical Examiner/Investigator's Office**
- NOT APPLICABLE, Medical Examiner/Investigator gave permission to release body**

Medical Examiner/Investigator's Name (if known):

Other Information:

VALUABLES TAKEN _____

The Funeral Home representative understands the above directions, if any.

SIGNATURE _____
(Funeral Home Removing Body)

SIGNATURE _____
(Nurse in Charge)

- Part I of the Death Certificate provided to Funeral Home
- Entire Death Certificate provided to Funeral Home

*Note: Keep a copy on Master File