



e. A motion to modify sentence.

See Pa.R.Crim.P. 720(B)(1).

5. If you file a post-sentence motion, it, and any supplemental motions you may be permitted to file, must be decided by the judge within 120 days of the filing of the original motion. The judge may, at your request, grant one 30 day extension for deciding the motion if good cause is shown. If the judge fails to decide the motion within the allowed time, the motion will be denied by operation of law, and the clerk will enter an order denying the motion.

6. If you file a post-sentence motion, and wish to appeal from the order deciding or denying the motion, a notice of appeal must be filed with the Clerk of Courts – Criminal of Lehigh County within 30 days of that order.

7. Whether or not you file a post sentence motion, all issues raised before or during trial are preserved for appeal.

8. You have the right to assistance of counsel in the preparation of a post-sentence motion or any appeal. If you are indigent, you have the right to proceed without the payment of costs and with counsel appointed to represent you without charge. If you are now represented by the Public Defender's Office, and continue to qualify for their services, that office would continue to represent you without cost.

9. If you qualify for bail and are released on bail after sentencing, a condition of release will be that you either file a post-sentence motion and perfect an appeal, or, when no post-sentence motion is filed, perfect an appeal within the time permitted by law.

I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE READ THE ABOVE INFORMATION COMPLETELY, THAT I UNDERSTAND ITS FULL MEANING, AND THAT I HAVE BEEN GIVEN A COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT FOR MY RECORDS AND REVIEW.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Defendant

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, attorney for the above captioned defendant, state that I have advised my client of the meaning of this document and of his/her post-sentence and appeal rights as required by Pa.R.Crim.P. 704(C)(3); that it is my belief that the defendant comprehends and understands those rights and what is set forth herein; and that the defendant has received a copy of this form.

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Attorney for Defendant