FIRST NOTICE
NON-PAYMENT OF DUES

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_____, Texas _____, 20__

To Companion _____

You are hereby notified that you indebted to _____Council

No. _____ R.& S..M. for dues for the current year in the sum of $_____.

This notice is given in compliance with Art. 279 of the Statutes of the Grand Council of Texas by the terms of which you are hereby notified that unless these dues are paid on or before June 23, 20_____, you will be automatically suspended from membership in this Council.

If you hold membership in any other Texas Council, you are further notified that under the provisions of Art. 294A of the Statutes of the Grand Council of Texas your suspension from membership in this Council will automatically suspend you from membership in your other Texas Council. In accord with Art. 287 if you are unable to pay your dues because of sickness, loss of job, or other hardship, notify this Chapter of the circumstances, and your dues will be remitted for the current year.

Please do not remain silent on this issue.

Given under my hand, and the seal of said Council, this _____day of

_____, 20____.

_____Recorder

ART.278 SUSPENSION FO R NON-PAYMENT OF DUES. A Council may suspend a member for non-payment of dues without formal charges. The action in each case shall be entered in the minutes and shall be promptly reported to the Grand Recorder; provided, that when the post office address of such member is not known, he may, nevertheless, be suspended upon motion to that effect made in open Council.

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