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### **JASON DONALD HUSK PLEADS GUILTY TO 1<sup>ST</sup> DEGREE FELONY CRIMINAL MISCHIEF FOR ARSON FIRE OCCURRING APRIL 19, 2011**

CONROE, TX – The City of Conroe Fire Marshal's Office is announcing that Jason Donald Husk has pled guilty to 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Felony Criminal Mischief for starting a fire in his own residence, located in the 3500 block of Oak Landing, on April 19, 2011. The terms of his plea agreement are as follows:

- \$10,000 fine + court costs + 10 years Deferred Adjudication on a Felony 1 criminal mischief.
- \$137,684.02 restitution to Texas Farmers Insurance Company.
- BIPP (Battering Intervention Protection Program) class or similar class.
- 320 community service hours (must serve half in a burn unit of a hospital).

Husk was indicted on 1 count of arson, by the Montgomery County Grand Jury, on May 26, 2011.

The fire, reported at approximately 12:49 pm, resulted in fire damage to the garage, breezeway, and covered patio of the home. The interior of the home sustained minor smoke damage. Rapid response and extinguishment by City of Conroe Firefighters prevented further damages.

Several agencies participated in the investigation of this fire. Some of them include the City of Conroe Fire Marshal's Office, the City of Conroe Police Department, and the Montgomery County District Attorney's Office.

The City of Conroe Fire Marshal's Office is the agency with jurisdiction for investigating fires and crimes of arson occurring within the City of Conroe. We are committed to thoroughly investigating all occurrences of fire within our jurisdiction and filing criminal charges, when appropriate.

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