

## Victim Impact Statement

**Commonwealth Vs.**

**CR**

**Name of Victim**

As a victim of crime, you have a right to submit a statement to the Judge prior to sentencing or disposition of a defendant.

This form is to provide to you as a guideline only. You may write a letter on a separate sheet of paper if you wish. Please make certain that you include the above case number and the defendants name at the top of your letter along with the Title Victim Impact Statement. Be sure to sign and date your statement.

**Please Note: *By law, a copy of your statement must be given to the defense counsel, therefore, the defendant may see it as well.***

**1. Please describe any mental/emotional changes you have experienced as a direct result of this criminal act.**

**2. Were you physically injured as a result of this crime?      Yes    or No**  
If so, describe your injuries and any treatment you received.

**3. Describe the financial impact of the crime.**

**4. Has your lifestyle or that of your family been altered by this crime?      Yes    or No**  
If so, how?

**5. Is there anything else you would like the judge to know regarding the impact of this crime or the defendant's sentence?**

**Signature**

**Date**

\*If you need assistance in preparing a Victim Impact Statement, or have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the Crawford County Victim/ Witness Office at **814-333-7300 Ext 7458.**