

Directive 2012/13/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council
of 22 May 2012 on the right to information in criminal proceedings

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Indicative model Letter of Rights

- A. ASSISTANCE OF A LAWYER/ENTITLEMENT TO LEGAL AID
- B. INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACCUSATION
- C. INTERPRETATION AND TRANSLATION
- D. RIGHT TO REMAIN SILENT
- E. ACCESS TO DOCUMENTS
- F. INFORMING SOMEONE ELSE ABOUT YOUR ARREST OR DETENTION/INFORMING YOUR CONSULATE...
- G. URGENT MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
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ANNEX II

Indicative model Letter of Rights for persons arrested on the...

- A. INFORMATION ABOUT THE EUROPEAN ARREST WARRANT
- B. ASSISTANCE OF A LAWYER
- C. INTERPRETATION AND TRANSLATION
- D. POSSIBILITY TO CONSENT
- E. HEARING

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- (1) [OJ C 54, 19.2.2011, p. 48.](#)
- (2) Position of the European Parliament of 13 December 2011 (not yet published in the Official Journal) and decision of the Council of 26 April 2012.
- (3) [OJ C 12, 15.1.2001, p. 10.](#)
- (4) [OJ C 295, 4.12.2009, p. 1.](#)
- (5) [OJ C 115, 4.5.2010, p. 1.](#)
- (6) [OJ L 280, 26.10.2010, p. 1.](#)
- (7) [OJ L 190, 18.7.2002, p. 1.](#)