

**811.9 Forfeiture of appearance bond and conditions to set aside.**

Sections 811.6 through 811.8 shall not apply in a case where a simple misdemeanor is charged upon a uniform citation and complaint and where the defendant has submitted an unsecured appearance bond or has submitted bail in the form of cash, check, credit card as provided in [section 805.14](#), or guaranteed arrest bond certificate as defined in [section 321.1](#). When a defendant fails to appear as required in such cases, the court, or the clerk of the district court, shall enter a judgment of forfeiture of the bond or bail. The judgment shall be final upon entry and shall not be set aside unless the conviction is for a scheduled violation under [chapter 321](#) that was set aside under the procedures established in [section 321.200A](#), or upon a showing of good cause after the filing of a motion within ninety days of entry of the judgment, for mistake, inadvertence, surprise, excusable neglect, or unavoidable casualty.

[C79, 81, §811.9]

[99 Acts, ch 144, §14](#); [2009 Acts, ch 124, §3](#); [2010 Acts, ch 1069, §65](#); [2010 Acts, ch 1130, §2](#)