

**321.486 Authorized bond forms.**

When bond or bail is required under [section 811.2](#) to guarantee appearance for any offense charged under [this chapter](#), the following nonexclusive forms shall be permitted subject to the following limitations:

1. A current guaranteed arrest bond certificate as defined in [section 321.1, subsection 30](#), shall be considered sufficient surety if the defendant is charged with an offense where the penalty does not exceed one thousand dollars.

2. A valid credit card, as defined in [section 537.1301, subsection 17](#), may be used and is sufficient surety when the defendant is charged with a scheduled offense under [section 805.8A, 805.8B, or 805.8C](#). The defendant may use a credit card for bail purposes only in accordance with rules of the department of public safety adopted pursuant to [chapter 17A](#).

[C39, §**5037.03**; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §321.486]

[83 Acts, ch 101, §72](#); [2001 Acts, ch 137, §5](#); [2003 Acts, ch 6, §3](#)

Referred to in [§805.15](#)