

PETITION FOR PAWNBROKER'S LICENSE

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1) The following petition must be filled out completely, signed and notarized. No section may be left blank.
- 2) Submit completed petition with a \$50 nonrefundable application fee. Funds must be certified and payable to the Hamilton County Clerk.
- 3) The petitioner must include a certified public accountant's unaudited statement indicating the amount of net assets proposed to be used in the business. Net assets as defined in 1998 Public Chapter 724 must not be less than \$75,000 and used exclusively in the business of said licensed pawnbroker.
- 4) If petition is approved, petitioner must:
 - a) Purchase a Hamilton County business license.
 - b) Submit an insurance policy payable to Hamilton County Clerk on property pledged to pay the aggregate stated values on the pawn stubs in the case of destruction by fire or other catastrophe. Such policy must be deposited with the County Clerk and renewed annually.

SECTION I

Petitioner's Name _____ Date _____

If a firm or corporation, list names of persons forming firm or of the officers and stockholders of the corporation. _____

Location of Business _____

SECTION II – PROOF OF GOOD MORAL CHARACTER

In the case of an applicant other than an individual, petition must be completed for all person listed in **SECTION I**.

Part 1 Law Enforcement Agency Certification

The following statement is to be submitted on letterhead from the agency.

I hereby certify that I am _____ . I hereby
Name (please print) Title Law Enforcement Agency
certify to the good moral character of: _____

Petitioner Social Security Number Date of Birth

in connection with this application for a pawnbroker license, and I further certify that said person has not been convicted of a felony within the past ten (10) years.

Signature of Law Enforcement Personnel _____ Date _____

Part 2 Citizen Certification

With my signature below, I hereby certify that I am a citizen and freeholder of good reputation of the county of residence of the person named in **SECTION I** above and further certify to the good moral character of said petitioner.

Signature 1 _____ Signature 2 _____ Signature 3 _____

Signature 4 _____ Signature 5 _____ Signature 6 _____

Signature 7 _____ Signature 8 _____ Signature 9 _____

Signature 10 _____

SECTION III – Petitioner Declaration (This statement must be notarized.)

I hereby declare that I, (petitioner) _____, 1) have not been convicted of a felony within the past ten (10) years that directly affects my ability to lawfully and fairly operate the business of pawnbroker pursuant to the Tennessee Pawnbrokers Act of 1988, as amended, and 2) am otherwise qualified under law to be licensed as a pawnbroker.

Signature of Petitioner _____

STATE OF TENNESSEE COUNTY OF HAMILTON

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

Signature and Seal of Notary Public _____

My commission expires _____