



APPLICATION

Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Texas
And Jurisdiction
Free and Accepted Masons

<input type="checkbox"/>	Membership
<input type="checkbox"/>	Reinstatement

To the Officers and Members of _____ Lodge No. _____

Located in _____ (City, State/Country)

(APPLICANT READ BEFORE SIGNING)

I, the undersigned, prompted by a favorable opinion of your Ancient and Honorable Institution, and a desire for knowledge, freely and voluntarily offer myself as a candidate for initiation into the mysteries of Freemasonry, and respectfully pray that I be admitted and become a member of your Lodge, promising a cheerful conformity to the Ancient and Established Customs of the Order.

I, hereby agree that should I be accepted for membership by the Lodge, I will adhere to the Constitution of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Texas and the by-laws of the Lodge and any other document or rule governing Prince Hall Masonry in Texas, as they are now, or as they in the future may be amended. By signing this application I agree that I will be bound by the aforementioned documents and rules and the application signed by me shall constitute evidence of the agreement between the said Lodge, the said Grand Lodge to which it is beholden, and myself.

Privacy Act Notice of 1974 as amended applies. The information you furnish on this form is intended for use for any lawful purpose needed by the Grand Lodge and the Local Lodge and for no other purpose. The information shall not be shared with any other entity for any purpose without first obtaining your permission.

Name _____ Social Security Number _____

Address _____
Street Apt City State Zip Code/APO/EPO

Email address: _____ Home/Cell Phone No. _____

Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____
MM/DD/YYYY

I am Single [] Married [] (Wife's Name) _____

Occupation _____

Beneficiary _____ Relationship _____

Have you been convicted of a Crime or Felony? Yes [] No []

Have you made application to join a Masonic Lodge before? If yes, Name/No. _____

Location _____

Are you Demitting? Yes [] No [] If yes, explain and attach Demit from your previous Lodge.

Lodge _____ No. _____ Location _____ (Last dues paid)

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Grand Lodge Office Use Only

Date Received _____ Amount Received \$ _____ Aff/Rein Fee \$ _____
Dues \$ _____ Membership No. _____

TO BE FILLED IN BY THE LOCAL LODGE

Recommended By:

Brother's Name

Brother's Name

Received in a meeting of _____

MM/DD/YYYY

Turned over to Investigation Committee _____

MM/DD/YYYY

Names on Investigation Committee

Date Approved _____

Date Disapproved _____

Returned to Lodge by Investigation committee in a meeting of _____

Applicant Balloted on in a meeting of _____

() Approved () Rejected

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO WORSHIPFUL MASTER AND SECRETARY OF LOCAL LODGE

After applicant has been balloted on by the local lodge and local lodge has approved the petition, the local lodge **MAY NOT** proceed with any degrees until the approved Initiation Completion Form has been received from the Grand Lodge. Full payment is required with all applications.

For reinstated and Demitted members, the full amount of Grand Lodge Relief must be sent along with the application. (Note: GRAND LODGE RELIEF IS NOT PAID IN INSTALLMENTS)

ARTICLE XXIII, Section 28---- Hazing is prohibited. Hazing is a criminal offense and shall not be tolerated by the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Texas. Any departure from the ritual of Prince Hall Masonry which includes physical hazing is specifically prohibited. A charge of Un-Masonic conduct shall be submitted to a local Lodge or the Grand Lodge if any subordinate Lodge, Master Mason or candidate participates or permits hazing in any form. A Subordinate Lodge, Master Mason or Candidate charged and found guilty of hazing by a tribunal shall be expelled from the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Texas. It is an offense to participate in hazing, for a candidate to allow himself to be hazed or to be aware of hazing and not report it to the Grand Lodge. A Lodge, Mason or Candidate charged with hazing shall be immediately suspended until the trial and any appeal is concluded.

To report incidences of hazing you may contact the Grand Lodge in writing at P.O. Box 1478, Fort Worth, Texas 76101 or by telephone at 817-534-4612.