



CREDENTIALIALED PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR APPLICATION

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY EFFECTIVE 2-2026
EXPIRES _____
PROCESSED BY _____

NOTICE: Information contained on this application is considered a public record and may be released under the Freedom of Information Act. Under penalty of A.C.A. § 5-53-103, knowingly giving a false statement or submitting a false document constitutes a Class A Misdemeanor.

PURSUANT TO A.C.A § 17-40-301, IT IS UNLAWFUL TO PERFORM ANY FUNCTION REQUIRING A LICENSE, CREDENTIAL OR COMMISSION UNTIL SAID LICENSE, CREDENTIAL OR COMMISSION HAS BEEN ISSUED TO THE APPLICANT.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY

NAME OF COMPANY _____ CMPY # _____

NAME _____
Last First MI

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: Employee Credential Number
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PLEASE ATTACH TWO (2) CURRENT PASSPORT STYLE PHOTOS TO THIS APPLICATION.

Please write applicant's name on the back of the photograph

SS#: _____ - _____ - _____ DOB: _____
(MUST BE 21 YRS OLD)

SEX: _____ RACE: _____ HGT: _____ WGT: _____ EYES: _____ HAIR: _____

APPLICANT PHYSICAL ADDRESS: _____
Street/P.O. Box City County State/ZIP

APPLICANT MAILING ADDRESS: _____
Street/P.O. Box City County State/ZIP

DRIVER'S LICENSE: _____ HOME PHONE: (_____) _____
State Number

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____ CELL PHONE: (_____) _____

PLACE OF BIRTH: _____
City County State Country

*****IF YOU ARE A NON-U.S. CITIZEN, PLEASE ATTACH CURRENT/VALID PROOF OF ELIGIBILITY TO WORK IN THE U.S.**

***** PLEASE SUBMIT A CHECK OR MONEY ORDER ONLY *****

ALL APPLICANTS MUST HAVE A BACKGROUND CHECK. APPLICATION FEE, 2-CLASSIFIABLE FINGERPRINT CARDS, AND BACKGROUND CHECK FEES MUST BE INCLUDED WITH THE SUBMISSION OF THIS APPLICATION.

CREDENTIALIALED PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR	FEE	\$450.00	CODE 20017
STATE BACKGROUND CHECK FEE	FEE	\$22.00	CODE 82006
FEDERAL BACKGROUND CHECK FEE	FEE	\$10.00	CODE 80019
FEDERAL BACKGROUND/INA FEE	FEE	\$1.00	CODE 80011
FEDERAL BACKGROUND CHECK FEE	FEE	\$2.00	CODE 80006

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$485.00

DATE THIS APPLICATION WAS COMPLETED: _____
(APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE ARKANSAS STATE POLICE WITHIN 14 CALENDAR DAYS OF THE HIRE.)

REQUIREMENTS

AN APPLICANT FOR A CPI CREDENTIAL MUST WORK UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A QUALIFIED MANAGER OF A CLASS A COMPANY AND PASS AN EXAMINATION ADMINISTERED BY THE ASP (RULE 17 CAR § 350-1101).

COMPANY NAME

COMPANY LICENSE#

QUALIFIED MANAGER SIGNATURE

DATE

CREDENTIAL#

EXAMINATIONS

ALL CREDENTIALLED PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS MUST TAKE THE EXAMINATION AND MUST SCORE SEVENTY PERCENT (70%) OR ABOVE IN ORDER TO CONSTITUTE SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION.

IF AN APPLICANT FAILS TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THE REQUIRED EXAMINATION HE OR SHE:

- MUST WAIT FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS IN ORDER TO RETAKE THE TEST
- MUST PAY A RE-EXAMINATION FEE OF \$50.00

FAILURE TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THE EXAMINATION AFTER TWO (2) ATTEMPTS SHALL RESULT IN CANCELLATION OF THE PENDING APPLICATION. UPON CANCELLATION, THE APPLICANT MUST RE-APPLY AS A NEW APPLICANT AND IS SUBJECT TO PAY REQUIRED APPLICATION FEES.

APPLICANTS WHO HAVE FIVE (5) YEARS OF CONSECUTIVE EXPERIENCE IN LAW ENFORCEMENT AND ARE CURRENTLY EMPLOYED IN LAW ENFORCEMENT OR RETIRED OR FORMER LAW ENFORCEMENT WITHIN THE PAST FIVE (5) YEARS ARE EXEMPT FROM EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS.

1. Attach to this application a letter from the **current** department employed with confirming and explaining 5 years consecutive experience.
2. If retired or former law enforcement, please attach to this application a letter from the previous department employed with confirming separation within the past 5 years and required experience.

The applicant must list all arrests, pending criminal charges, pleas of nolo contendere, pleas of guilty, or convictions for any felony, Class A misdemeanor offense involving theft, sexual offenses, violence, an element of dishonesty, or a crime against a person as determined by the department (**See Rule 17 CAR § 350-211**). Include all those that have been sealed or expunged (**MUST PROVIDE COPY OF ORDER TO SEAL AND ORIGINAL JUDGMENT**).

Rule 17 CAR § 350-210. Prior offenses –

The Director of the Department shall deny an application if the applicant has been found guilty or has pleaded guilty or “nolo contendere” to any criminal offense listed in A.C.A. § 17-39-202, § 17-39-206, § 17-39-304, § 17-40-306, or § 17-40-337.

(a) A prior conviction will disqualify the applicant even if the conviction has been sealed or expunged; but (b) A prior conviction will not disqualify an applicant if the applicant has received a pardon for the conviction in accordance with A.C.A. § 16-93-201, et seq. (i) To qualify for a commission, the pardon must include a provision for full restoration of firearm rights.

CHECK APPLICABLE BOX:

- ☐ NO, I DO NOT HAVE ANY RECORDS OF ARREST, PENDING CRIMINAL CHARGES, CONVICTION(S) OR PLEA(S) OF NOLO CONTENDERE OR GUILTY.
- ☐ YES, I DO HAVE RECORDS OF ARREST, PENDING CRIMINAL CHARGES, CONVICTION(S) OR PLEA(S) OF NOLO CONTENDERE OR GUILTY.

LIST ALL RECORDS OF ARREST, PENDING CRIMINAL CHARGES, CONVICTION(S) OR PLEA(S) OF NOLO CONTENDERE OR GUILTY.

Charge	Location	Date	Disposition
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NOTICE: A VERIFIED STATEMENT (ANY COURT DOCUMENT, ARRESTING AGENCY REPORT OR INFORMATION FROM A PROSECUTOR’S OFFICE) REGARDING ANY CHARGE LISTED ABOVE MUST BE ATTACHED TO THIS APPLICATION.

Do you suffer from habitual drunkenness?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Do you suffer from narcotics addiction or dependence?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Have you been dishonorably discharged from the United States Armed Forces?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Have you been adjudicated as mentally incompetent?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Have you been involuntarily committed to a mental institution?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Have you been involuntarily committed to a mental health treatment facility?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Are you a registered sex offender or required to register as a sex offender?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Have you been issued a Medical Marijuana Card?	Yes ☐	No ☐
Are you a uniformed service member or the spouse of a uniformed service member stationed in the State of Arkansas?	Yes ☐	No ☐
(Please attach a copy of the active duty orders)		
Are you the spouse of a uniformed service member who has been excluded from accompanying that uniformed service member on a tour of duty and have relocated to the State of Arkansas?	Yes ☐	No ☐
(Please attach a copy of the active duty orders)		
Are you a uniformed service veteran or the spouse of a uniformed service veteran who resides in or has established residency in the State of Arkansas?	Yes ☐	No ☐
(Please attach a copy of the DD-214)		
Are you the spouse of a uniformed service member who has been killed or succumbed to illness or injury in the line of duty and have established residency in the State of Arkansas?	Yes ☐	No ☐
(Please attach a copy of the DD-214)		
Are you currently receiving:		
A.) Any governmental assistance (Medicaid,SNAP,SSNP,WIC,TANF,LAP)?	Yes ☐	No ☐
B.) Approved for unemployment in the last twelve (12) months?	Yes ☐	No ☐
C.) Do you have an income that does not exceed two hundred percent (200%) of the federal poverty income guidelines?	Yes ☐	No ☐
(If yes to (A) or (B) please attach a letter on letterhead from the program you are receiving assistance. To qualify for (C), please attach the 1st page of your tax return		

VERIFICATION AND AUTHORITY TO RELEASE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Under penalty of A.C.A. § 5-53-103, I the undersigned hereby affirm that all information contained on this application is true and correct. I understand that giving a false statement or submitting a false document will subject me to criminal prosecution, preclude future Arkansas Private Investigator, Security, Alarm Installation, and Monitoring license, commission, or credential issuance, and/or immediate revocation of any license, commission, or credential already issued by the Department.

I understand that the Arkansas State Police will conduct a thorough background investigation before rendering a final decision regarding my eligibility for a License, Commission and/or Credential and this investigation may include, but not be limited to, inquiries as to my abilities, character, reputation, criminal record, and past employment record.

To facilitate this investigation, I do, hereby, give my consent and authority for any educational institution, hospital, mental institution, including specifically the Arkansas State Hospital and Veterans Administration Hospital, medical doctor, police agencies, the Arkansas Crime Information Center, Federal Bureau of Investigation, National Crime Information Center, Interstate Information Index, credit reporting agencies, former employers, and former business associates to furnish information from their records to the Arkansas State Police. I do, hereby, give my consent and authority that any information (including sealed or expunged criminal history) and/or evidence gathered or received by the aforementioned agencies may be submitted to any court, board, or commission in open hearing or court in any judicial or administrative proceeding.

With regard to any credit reporting agencies which might be contacted by the Arkansas State Police, I understand that I may inquire as to the identification of those credit reporting agencies contacted, and the Arkansas State Police will advise me as to the identity and the nature and scope of information they furnished.

PRINT FULL NAME: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

APPLICANT RECORD NOTIFICATION

Notification: Fingerprints submitted will be used to check the criminal history records of the FBI.

Obtaining Copy: Procedures for obtaining a copy of FBI criminal history record are set forth at Title 28, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Section 16.30 through 16.33 or go to the FBI website at <http://www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/background-checks>.

Change, Correction, or Updating: Procedures for obtaining a change, correction, or updating of an FBI criminal history record are set forth at Title 28, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Section 16.34.

Privacy Act Statement

This privacy act statement is located on the back of the FD-258 fingerprint card.

Authority: The FBI's acquisition, preservation, and exchange of fingerprints and associated information is generally authorized under 28 U.S.C. 534. Depending on the nature of your application, supplemental authorities include Federal statutes, State statutes pursuant to Pub. L. 92-544, Presidential Executive Orders, and federal regulations. Providing your fingerprints and associated information is voluntary; however, failure to do so may affect completion or approval of your application.

Principal Purpose: Certain determinations, such as employment, licensing, and security clearances, may be predicated on fingerprint-based background checks. Your fingerprints and associated information/biometrics may be provided to the employing, investigating, or otherwise responsible agency, and/or the FBI for the purpose of comparing your fingerprints to other fingerprints in the FBI's Next Generation Identification (NGI) system or its successor systems (including civil, criminal, and latent fingerprint repositories) or other available records of the employing, investigating, or otherwise responsible agency. The FBI may retain your fingerprints and associated information/biometrics in NGI after the completion of this application and, while retained, your fingerprints may continue to be compared against other fingerprints submitted to or retained by NGI.

Routine Uses: During the processing of this application and for as long thereafter as your fingerprints and associated information/biometrics are retained in NGI, your information may be disclosed pursuant to your consent, and may be disclosed without your consent as permitted by the Privacy Act of 1974 and all applicable Routine Uses as may be published at any time in the Federal Register, including the Routine Uses for the NGI system and the FBI's Blanket Routine Uses.

Routine uses include, but are not limited to, disclosures to: employing, governmental or authorized non-governmental agencies responsible for employment, contracting, licensing, security clearances, and other suitability determinations; local, state, tribal, or federal law enforcement agencies; criminal justice agencies; and agencies responsible for national security or public safety.

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THIS PROPERLY COMPLETED FORM MUST BE NOTARIZED.

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

Subscribed and sworn before me, a Notary Public, in and for the county and state aforesaid, this is the

_____, 20____

Notary Signature