

Premium Requested:

- 1 yr
- 2 yrs
- 3 yrs



(Application Number)

- Individual
- Partnership
- Corporation
- Limited Liability Company
- Limited Liability Partnership

Form 10-E

EASY APPLICATION FOR BONDS

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE.

Applicant(s) - Individual, partners, or corporate owner(s). List the principal owner first. Attach additional Form 10-E's and cross reference if more than three owners. **EACH MUST SIGN AT BOTTOM RIGHT.**

1. Name _____
 Residence Address _____
 Telephone # _____ Single
 Social Security No. _____ Married (spouse must sign at bottom right.)
Does this applicant own real estate? Yes No

2. Name _____
 Residence Address _____
 Telephone # _____ Single
 Social Security No. _____ Married (spouse must sign at bottom right.)
Does this applicant own real estate? Yes No

3. Name _____
 Residence Address _____
 Telephone # _____ Single
 Social Security No. _____ Married (spouse must sign at bottom right.)
Does this applicant own real estate? Yes No

Business or Corporate Name:

Business Address _____

Telephone # _____

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| Number of Years in this Business: | Number of Years Licensed: |
| Type of Bond Requested: | Occupational License No. |
| Amount of Bond: \$ | Effective date: |

Entity requiring this bond (and address):

Agent's recommendation/additional comments:

INDEMNITY

The undersigned applicant and indemnitors hereby request Western Surety Company or any affiliated company (with such company/companies referred to herein as the "Company") to become surety for the above bond. The undersigned hereby certify the truth of all statements in the application, authorize the Company to verify this information and to obtain additional information from any source, including obtaining a credit report at the time of application, in any review or renewal, at the time of any potential or actual claim, or for any other legitimate purposes as determined by the Company in its reasonable discretion, and jointly and severally agree:

- (1) To pay the usual premiums, including renewal premiums, to the Company or its agents, when due,
- (2) **To completely INDEMNIFY the Company from and against any liability, loss, cost, attorneys' fees and expenses whatsoever which the Company shall at any time sustain as surety or by reason of having been surety on this bond or any other bond issued for applicant, or for the enforcement of this agreement, or in obtaining a release or evidence of termination under such bonds; regardless of whether such liability, loss, costs, damages, attorneys' fees and expenses are caused, or alleged to be caused, by the negligence of the Company,**
- (3) To furnish the Company with satisfactory and conclusive termination evidence that there is no further liability on this bond or any other bond issued for applicant,
- (4) Upon demand by the Company for any reason whatsoever, to deposit current funds with the Company in an amount sufficient to satisfy any claim against the Company by reason of such suretyship,
- (5) That the Company shall have the right to handle or settle any claim or suit in good faith. An itemized statement of loss and expense incurred by the Company, sworn to by an officer of the Company, shall be prima facie evidence of the fact and extent of the liability of the undersigned to the Company,
- (6) That the Company may decline to become surety on any bond and may cancel or amend any bond without cause and without any liability which might arise therefrom,
- (7) That the Company shall, without notice, have the right to alter the penalty, terms and conditions of any bond issued for undersigned, and this agreement shall apply to any such altered bond,
- (8) That if a contract or performance bond is issued hereunder, the undersigned hereby assign to the Company any monies now due or hereafter becoming due under the contract, including all deferred payments and retained percentage, supplies, tools, plants, equipment and materials due or used on the contract,
- (9) At the Company's discretion, this indemnity agreement shall be governed in all respects by the laws of the State of South Dakota and the undersigned applicant and indemnitors consent to the jurisdiction of the courts of the State of South Dakota and the United States District Court for the District of South Dakota in all actions or proceedings arising from or relating to this indemnity agreement,
- (10) That this indemnity may be cancelled as to subsequent liability by an indemnitor upon written notice to the Company at Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57104, effective ten (10) days after the earliest date thereafter upon which the Company could have cancelled all bonds in force for applicant,
- (11) In the event of any payment by the Company, to pay the Company interest on such amounts at the highest legal rate from the date such payments are made.

Agency _____
 Address _____
 Check here if this correspondence was previously faxed.
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Agent's Code _____

Signed this _____ day of _____, _____

 Signature & Business/Corporate Title
 _____ "Indemnitor"
 _____ "Indemnitor"
 _____ "Indemnitor"

NOTE: Personal indemnitors should sign their names before the word "indemnitor". See Guidelines on reverse side.



1) Do you have an Occupational License Number? If so, what is it?

2) Please choose one of the following that fits your business:

New Motor Vehicle Dealer - \$50,000

Used Motor Vehicle Dealer - \$50,000

Wholesale (less than 25 sales per year) - \$10,000

Wholesale (more than 25 sales per year) - \$50,000

Lessor/Retailer - \$50,000

Motorcycle and/or ATV Dealer - \$10,000

Vehicle Registration Service - \$25,000

Guidelines for Signing a Form 10-E Easy Application for Bonds

We have examples showing five ways to sign an application.

1. Individual or Sole Proprietorship.

Signed this 4th day of September, 2003

Signature & Business/Corporate Title "Indemnitor"

John Doe "Indemnitor"

Jane Doe "Indemnitor"

"Indemnitor"

"Indemnitor"

NOTE: Personal indemnitors should sign their names before the word "indemnitor".

The individual or sole owner and spouse should sign at the bottom of the application before the word "Indemnitor".

2. Partnership.

Signed this 4th day of September, 2003

Signature & Business/Corporate Title "Indemnitor"

John Doe "Indemnitor"

James Doe "Indemnitor"

Jane Doe "Indemnitor"

Anna Doe, Indemnitor

NOTE: Personal indemnitors should sign their names before the word "indemnitor".

Each partner and his or her spouse should sign at the bottom of the application before the word "Indemnitor". If additional personal indemnity is required, the individual may sign their name and write the word "Indemnitor" after their name in their own handwriting.

3. Corporation.

Signed this 4th day of September, 2003

John Doe, President
Signature & Business/Corporate Title "Indemnitor"

John Doe "Indemnitor"

James Doe "Indemnitor"

Jane Doe "Indemnitor"

* Anna Doe, Indemnitor

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An officer should first sign on behalf of the corporation (indicating his/her corporate title) and then sign a second time as a personal indemnitor, before the word "Indemnitor". All other owners should also sign as personal indemnitors before the word "Indemnitor" on each line. In most cases, the owners' spouses also need to sign. If additional personal indemnity is required, the individual may sign their name and write the word "Indemnitor" after their name in their own handwriting.

* In most cases, the owners' spouses may also need to sign.

4. Limited Liability Company or Partnership.

Signed this 4th day of September, 2003

John Doe, Manager
Signature & Business/Corporate Title "Indemnitor"

John Doe "Indemnitor"

James Doe "Indemnitor"

* Jane Doe "Indemnitor"

* Anna Doe, Indemnitor

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An authorized manager, member, or partner should first sign on behalf of the Limited Liability Company or Partnership (indicating his/her company/partnership title) and then sign a second time as a personal indemnitor, before the word "Indemnitor". All other members/owners/partners should also sign as personal indemnitors before the word "Indemnitor" on each line. In most cases the members'/owners'/partners' spouses also need to sign. If additional personal indemnity is required, the individual may sign their name and write the word "Indemnitor" after their name in their own handwriting.

* In most cases, the members'/owners'/partners' spouses may also need to sign.

5. Outside Indemnity (Relatives, Friends).

Signed this 4th day of September, 2003

Signature & Business/Corporate Title "Indemnitor"

John Doe "Indemnitor"

Jane Doe "Indemnitor"

John Henry "Indemnitor"

Joseph Smith, Indemnitor

NOTE: Personal indemnitors should sign their names before the word "indemnitor".

When outside indemnity is required, the proposed indemnitors should sign at the bottom of the application below the applicants' signatures before the word "Indemnitor". If additional personal indemnity is required, the individual may sign their name and write the word "Indemnitor" after their name in their own handwriting.

Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.