Application For

CLASS “DI” SECURITY OFFICER INSTRUCTOR LICENSE
and
CLASS “RI” RECOVERY AGENT INSTRUCTOR LICENSE

06/2017

Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
Adam H. Putnam, Commissioner
NOTICE TO APPLICANTS FOR LICENSES
ISSUED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 493, FLORIDA STATUTES
MANDATORY DISCLOSURE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS

Sections 493.6105, 493.6304, and 493.6406, Florida Statutes (F.S.), in conjunction with Section 119.071(5)(a)2, F.S., mandates that the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing, obtain Social Security numbers from applicants. Applicant Social Security numbers are maintained and used by the Division of Licensing for identification purposes, to prevent misidentification, and to facilitate the approval process by the Division. The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing, will not disclose an applicant’s Social Security number without consent of the applicant to anyone outside of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing, or as required by law. [See Chapter 119, F.S., 15 U.S.C. ss. 1681 et seq., 15 U.S.C. ss. 6801 et seq., 18 U.S.C. ss. 2721 et seq., Pub. L. No. 107-56 (USA Patriot Act of 2001), and Presidential Executive Order 13224.]

SECTION I LICENSE INFORMATION

Complete this section to indicate the type of instructor license for which you are applying.

SECTION II APPLICANT INFORMATION

- Must be at least 18 years of age.
- Must be a citizen or legal resident alien of the United States or have been granted authority to work in this country by the Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS).
- Must provide current RESIDENCE address. A P.O. Box is not considered a residence.

SECTION III MILITARY HISTORY

If you have ever been court-martialed, fined, or disciplined under the Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ) or service regulations, you must provide a complete and accurate account of this matter on a separate sheet of paper and provide copies of all official military documents related to the incident(s).

SECTION IV CRIMINAL HISTORY

The Department will deny your application if you:
- have been convicted of a felony in any state or of a crime against the United States, which is designated as a felony, or convicted of an offense in any other state, territory, or country punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding 1 year, unless and until Civil Rights have been restored and a period of 10 years has passed since final release from supervision [s.493.6118 (4), F. S.]. Proof of restoration of Civil Rights must be submitted with this application. Questions regarding the procedure for applying for restoration of Civil Rights or restoration of Firearm Rights should be addressed to The Office of Executive Clemency; Florida Parole Commission; 4070 Esplanade Way; Tallahassee, FL 32399-2450, Toll Free 1-800-435-8286; Phone (850) 488-2952.
- are currently serving a suspended sentence on a felony charge or on probation for a felony charge [s.493.6118(4), F. S.].

The Department may deny your application if you:
- have a history of being arrested for crimes of violence and/or found guilty of (or had adjudication withheld for) directly related crimes. This includes, but is not limited to: Trespassing, Breaking and Entering, Burglary, Robbery, Forgery, Criminal Mischief or Theft, Assault, Battery, Stalking, Aggravated Battery, Aggravated Assault, Sexual Battery, Kidnapping, Armed Robbery, Murder, Aggravated Stalking, Resisting an Officer with Violence [Section 493.6118(1)(c), Section 493.6118(1)(j), Section 493.6118(3), F.S.].
- have demonstrated a lack of respect for the laws of this state and the nation [Section 493.6118(3), F.S.].
- have an outstanding bench warrant or capias [Section 493.6118(3), F.S.].
- are currently in a Pre-Trial Intervention or Deferred Prosecution Program [Section 493.6118(3), F.S.].

You must provide complete information about your arrest(s) and include certified copies of court dispositions. A determination of your eligibility cannot be made until all documentation is received and a complete criminal history record check has been completed. This process takes 1-3 months.
SECTION V ALIAS INFORMATION

If you are known by any other name, be sure to include it in this section. This includes nicknames, married names, maiden names, a legal name change, alias names, fictitious names, etc.

SECTION VI PERSONAL HISTORY

a. If you have ever been adjudicated incapacitated (determined by the court to be incapable of taking care of yourself), you must provide a copy of the court document restoring your capacity.
b. If you have ever been involuntarily placed in a treatment facility for the mentally ill under Chapter 394, F.S., or similar laws of another state, you must provide a copy of the court document restoring your competency.
c. If you have ever been diagnosed with a mental illness, you must provide a statement from a psychologist or psychiatrist licensed in Florida attesting that you are not currently suffering from a mental illness that precludes you from performing the duties of an instructor.
d. If you are currently abusing a controlled substance, you are not eligible for licensure.
e. If you have a history of controlled substance abuse, you must provide evidence of successful completion of a substance abuse rehabilitation program and three letters of reference, one of which should be from your sponsor in the program.
f. If you have a history of alcohol abuse, you must provide evidence of successful completion of an alcohol rehabilitation program and three letters of reference, one of which should be from your sponsor in the program.

SECTION VII TRAINING/EXPERIENCE

“DI” APPLICANT:
1. Must be at least 18 years old and licensed as a Class “D” Security Officer for at least 3 years within the 5-year period immediately preceding the date the application is submitted. A copy of high school diploma or GED certificate is required, OR
2. Must submit a copy of an associate degree from a junior college or community college with a major course of study in criminology, criminal justice, police science, or other course of study related to law enforcement or security and be currently licensed as a Class “D” Security Officer for at least 1 year, OR
3. Must submit a copy of bachelor’s, master’s, or doctorate degree from a college or university with a major course of study in education, criminology, criminal justice, police science, law or other course of study related to law enforcement or security; OR
4. Must submit a certificate of completion from a federal, state, county or municipal law enforcement academy or training facility which is comparable in hours and curriculum to the minimum standards established by the Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission for law enforcement officers, correctional officers or correctional probation officers; OR
5. Must submit proof of having served not less than 1 year on active duty as a military policeman, security police officer, or in other military law enforcement duty; OR
6. Relevant military training or education received and completed during service in the United States Armed Forces; OR
7. Must be currently licensed as a Class “M” office manager or a Class “MB” security office manager and is serving or has served in a licensed management position; OR
8. A “DI” applicant may qualify for licensure to teach only in specific subject areas relating to his professional training and experience who:
   a. Is licensed as a nurse, emergency medical technician or paramedic, or is otherwise professionally trained and certified in emergency medical procedures; or
   b. Has been certified as an instructor by the American Red Cross, American Heart Association or other similar nationally recognized health and human care organization; or
   c. Is a certified firefighter.

“RI” APPLICANT:
1. Must be at least 18 years old and licensed as a Class “E” Recovery Agent for at least 3 years within the 5-year period immediately preceding the date the application is submitted. A copy of high school diploma or GED certificate is required, OR
2. Must be currently licensed as a Class “MR” Recovery Agency Manager for at least 1 year, OR
3. Must submit a copy of a bachelor’s, master’s, or doctorate degree from a college or university with a major course of study in education, finance, criminology, criminal justice, police science, law or other course of study related to law enforcement or financial management, OR
4. Relevant military training or education received and completed during service in the United States Armed Forces.
SECTION VIII CERTIFICATION OF QUALIFIED EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE

Section 119.071, F.S., excludes from public disclosure specified information such as home addresses, telephone numbers, Social Security numbers, and photographs pertaining to certain individuals. To determine whether you qualify for an exemption, read the complete text of the law online at http://www.leg.state.fl.us/statutes/. IF YOU QUALIFY FOR EXEMPTION, answer this question to specify whether you want the statutorily exempt information to be kept from public disclosure. If you do NOT qualify for the exemption, leave it blank.

SECTION IX CITIZENSHIP

If you are not a U.S. Citizen, you must submit proof of current employment authorization issued by the Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS). A COPY of the front and back of one of the following USCIS forms is sufficient: I-551, I-766.

SECTION X PERSONAL INQUIRY WAIVER AND NOTARIZATION STATEMENT

Do not sign the application until you are in the presence of the Notary Public who will notarize your application.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Licensed instructors may be employed by more than one school or facility provided the Division is advised by each school that employs the instructor.
- An applicant or licensee is ineligible to re-apply for the same class of license for a minimum period of one year following final agency action of denial or revocation of a license. However, this time restriction shall not apply to administrative denials where the basis was either of the following:
  1. An inadvertent error or omission on the application or failure to submit required fees; or,
  2. The Department was unable to complete the criminal background investigation due to insufficient information from the Department of Law Enforcement, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, or any other applicable law enforcement agency.

Please detach and submit your application to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing, Regional Office nearest you - or mail it to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing, Post Office Box 5767, Tallahassee, Florida 32314-5767.

INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WITH YOUR APPLICATION

- PROOF OF TRAINING/DOCUMENTATION OF EXPERIENCE (See Section VII for details.)
- PROOF OF WORK AUTHORIZATION (if you are not a U.S. Citizen.)
- COLOR PHOTOGRAPH (Refer to Photograph Specifications on following page.)
- FINGERPRINT SUBMISSION (Refer to Fingerprint Submission Instructions on following page.)
- FEES (paid by check or money order made payable to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.) Fees are nonrefundable and nontransferable.

Application Fee:* $50
License Fee:* $60
Fingerprint Processing Fee:** $42
Fingerprint Retention Fee:** $10.75
TOTAL FEES REQUIRED $162.75

*The initial application and license fees for a veteran as defined in s. 1.01, F.S. shall be waived if the application is received within 24 months after being discharged from any branch of the United States Armed Forces. Please include a copy of your DD214.

**If you are also submitting an application for another class of license under Chapter 493, F.S., at this time, submit only one set of fingerprints and a single fingerprint-processing and retention fee. If you have submitted a set of fingerprints and a fingerprint-processing and retention fee for a license under Chapter 493 within the past six months, no fingerprint submission or fingerprint-processing or retention fee is necessary at this time.
Your photograph must be:

- In color, non-retouched.
- Printed on matte or glossy photo quality paper.
- 2 x 2 inches (51 x 51 mm) in size.
- Sized such that the head is between 1 inch and 1 3/8 inches (between 25 and 35 mm) from the bottom of the chin to the top of the head.
- Taken within the last 6 months to reflect your current appearance.
- Taken in front of a plain white or off-white background.
- Taken in full-face view directly facing the camera.
- With a neutral facial expression and both eyes open.
- Taken in clothing that you normally wear on a daily basis: 
  - Uniforms, clothing that looks like a uniform, and camouflage attire should not be worn in photos except in the case of religious attire that is worn daily.
  - You may only wear a hat or head covering if you wear it daily for religious purposes. Your full face must be visible and your head covering cannot obscure your hairline or cast shadows on your face.
  - Headphones, wireless hands-free devices or similar items are not acceptable in your photo.
  - If you normally wear prescription glasses, a hearing device or similar articles, they may be worn for your photo. Glare on glasses is not acceptable in your photo.
  - Dark glasses or non-prescription glasses with tinted lenses are not acceptable unless you need them for medical reasons (a medical certificate may be required).

PHOTOGRAPH SPECIFICATIONS

Your fingerprint card will not be processed if:

- (1) the required information is not contained within the designated blocks; (2) a highlighter is used; (3) the card has been folded, creased, or damaged.

FINGERPRINT SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

You must submit a complete and legible set of fingerprints either on the FINGERPRINT CARD enclosed with this application package or by ELECTRONIC FINGERPRINT-SCAN. Your fingerprints can be taken at a participating law enforcement agency, by your employer, or by any business providing fingerprinting services.

FOR INFORMATION REGARDING ELECTRONIC FINGERPRINT-SCAN, visit our web page http://mylicensesite.com.

IF SUBMITTING YOUR PRINTS ON THE ENCLOSED CARD, read and follow these instructions carefully:

- Fingers should be washed and dried thoroughly prior to prints being taken.
- Fingerprints must be rolled using black printer’s ink.
- The information you provide on the card MUST BE TYPED or PRINTED IN BLACK INK. However, please note that some spaces at the top of the fingerprint card should be left blank.
- DO NOT SIGN the fingerprint card until you are in the presence of the person who will take your fingerprints. Your signature and the name on your application and fingerprint card should match.

1. NAME – Full name in following order LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE. Initials are not acceptable. If you have no middle name, enter NMN for MIDDLE.
2. RESIDENCE OF PERSON FINGERPRINTED – Your RESIDENCE address.
3. EMPLOYER AND ADDRESS – If you are currently employed, provide the name of your employer.
4. ALIASES AKA – If you are known, or have been known, by any other name (nickname, married name, maiden name, alias, fictitious name, etc.), list those name(s) here. Include with your application copies of any legal documents that reflect a change of name (marriage certificates, divorce decrees, court affidavits effecting a legal name change, etc.). NOTE: Failure to provide a list of your other names or to furnish documentation pertaining to a legal name change will result in delays in the processing of your application.
5. CITIZENSHIP CTZ – Enter the country of which you are a citizen (U.S., Cuba, Canada, etc.)
6. ARMED FORCES NO. MNU – Enter your military service number if you have one.
7. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. SOC – Sections 493.6105, 493.6304, and 493.6406, Florida Statutes, in conjunction with section 119.071(5)(a) 2, Florida Statutes, mandates that the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing obtain social security numbers from applicants. Applicant social security numbers are maintained and used by the Division of Licensing for identification purposes, to prevent misidentification, and to facilitate the approval process by the Division.
8. HGT (height) – Use feet and inches (example: for 5’11” enter 511)
9. DATE OF BIRTH DOB (mmddyy); PLACE OF BIRTH POB, WGT (weight) – Enter required information.
10. You are not required to complete YOUR NO. OCA or FBI NO. FBI or MISCELLANEOUS NO. MNU.
11. SEX, RACE, EYES, and HAIR - FBI codes are shown below. Use appropriate code for each required area on the card.

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<td>F = Female</td>
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BEFORE YOU BEGIN, read the Application Instructions. TYPE or PRINT using black ink. To help avoid unnecessary delay in the processing of your application, be sure to answer all questions and submit any necessary documentation.

**SECTION I  LICENSE INFORMATION - FILL ONE**

- Class "DI" Security Officer Instructor (Full Curriculum)
- Class "DI" Security Officer Instructor (Fire Prevention and Suppression ONLY - Refer to 5N-1.138 (2), Florida Administrative Code)
- Class "DI" Security Officer Instructor (Emergency First Aid ONLY - Refer to 5N-1.138 (2), Florida Administrative Code)
- Class "RI" Recovery Agent Instructor (Full Curriculum)

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MAILING ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

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### SECTION III  
**MILITARY HISTORY**

a. Are you an honorably discharged United States veteran, as defined in Section 1.01, Florida Statutes?  

- **YES**
- **NO**

b. Have you ever been fined, disciplined, or court-martialed under the Uniform Code of Military Justice or other service regulation?  

- **YES**
- **NO**

*If YES, provide a complete and accurate account of this matter on a separate sheet of paper and provide copies of all official military documents related to the incident(s).*

### SECTION IV  
**CRIMINAL HISTORY**

a. Are you currently on parole or probation or in a deferred prosecution program, a pre-trial intervention program, or another similar program; or are you currently serving another form of state or federal supervision?  

- **YES**
- **NO**

*If YES, provide a certified copy of the court disposition for the relevant case(s).*

b. Have you ever been convicted of, or had adjudication withheld on, a misdemeanor or felony? (Do not include non-criminal traffic violations.)  

- **YES**
- **NO**

*If YES, in the space provided below, provide complete and accurate information regarding each arrest AND provide a certified copy of the court disposition for each case.*

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*Use additional sheet of paper if necessary. Falsification of information provided or failure to provide certified copies of court dispositions may result in the denial of your application.*

### SECTION V  
**ALIAS INFORMATION**

Have you ever been known by a name other than the name on page one of this application? (Includes maiden names, married names, fictitious names, legal name changes, etc.)  

- **YES**
- **NO**

*If YES, in the space provided below, provide complete and accurate information regarding each name. Use additional sheet of paper if necessary.*

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<td>d. Do you currently abuse any controlled substance?</td>
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<td><em>If NO, your application for licensure may be denied.</em></td>
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<td>b. Have you previously been licensed as an instructor or similar capacity in Florida or another state?</td>
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<td><em>If YES, please specify which state(s) and the period(s) of time during which you were licensed:</em></td>
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<td>c. Have you ever had an instructor license or registration revoked, suspended, or otherwise acted against (including probation, fine, reprimand, or surrender of license) in a disciplinary proceeding in Florida or another state?</td>
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<td>d. Are you requesting credit for relevant military training or education that is substantially similar to that required for this license?</td>
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<td><em>If YES, include your DD214 with your application.</em></td>
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### SECTION VIII CERTIFICATION OF QUALIFIED EXEMPTION FROM PUBLIC RECORD DISCLOSURE

I have read the instructions for Section VIII. I hereby certify that I qualify for exemption under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, and want to keep the specified information exempt from public record disclosure. **Leave blank if not applicable.**
SECTION IX  CITIZENSHIP

a. Are you a citizen of the United States?  
   If YES, proceed to Section X.  
   If NO, you must answer question (b) below.

b. Are you deemed a lawful permanent resident alien by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) or have you been authorized to work in the U.S. by the USCIS?  
   If YES, proceed to Section X.  
   If you are not a lawful permanent resident alien or do not possess valid work authorization, you are not eligible for licensure.

SECTION X  PERSONAL INQUIRY WAIVER AND NOTARIZATION STATEMENT

THIS APPLICATION IS EXECUTED UNDER OATH. FALSIFICATION OR MISREPRESENTATION OF ANY PART OR ANY DOCUMENT SUBJECTS THE APPLICANT TO CRIMINAL PROSECUTION UNDER SECTION 837.06, FLORIDA STATUTES

Do not sign the application until you are in the presence of the Notary Public who will notarize your application.

I certify that I understand that the Division of Licensing will conduct any investigation deemed necessary to ensure that I have met all statutory requirements for licensure. I understand that inquiry shall be made regarding my criminal history and that subsequent investigation may include my school records, employment history, financial records, any history of controlled substance or alcohol abuse, and my mental capacity.

I hereby waive any provision of law forbidding any school official, court, police agency, employer, firm or person from disclosing to the Division any knowledge or information concerning me, and I do certify that I give permission for such entity to disclose any information and to provide any record requested concerning me to the Division.

I also affirm that the information contained in this application and all attachments I have submitted to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsification of any information or documentation submitted with this application may be grounds for denial or revocation of the license.

Signature of Applicant  
Date Signed

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF ________________

The foregoing application was sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this _____ day of ____________, 20____ by:

PRINT Name of Applicant  
NOTARY SIGNATURE

☑ Personally Known  ☐ Produced Identification

Type of Identification Produced