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Name of Insurance Company to which **Application** is made (herein called the “**Insurer**”)

## ACCOUNTANTS PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE RENEWAL APPLICATION

NOTICE: This professional liability coverage is provided on a claims-made basis; therefore, only claims which are first made against you, and reported to the Company, during the policy term, any subsequent renewal of this policy or any extended reporting period are covered, subject to policy provisions.

**Please attach a sample of your letterhead to this application.**

1. Name of the Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City : \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Please list the Applicant Firm's staff breakdown:

Number of full time equivalent CPA's: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of full time equivalent non CPA Accounting Professionals: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of full time equivalent support staff: \_\_\_\_\_

3a. Most recently ended fiscal year's revenue: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Current fiscal year's projected revenue: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of clients served in the past twelve (12) months: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Since your last application has any member of the Applicant Firm or any Predecessor Firm been the subject of a complaint, disciplinary action or reprimand by any state board, the SEC, I.R.S., governmental regulatory or tax authorities, or any accounting society?  Yes  No **If yes, please use the separate page attached to the application to provide an explanation.**

5. Have any individuals in the Applicant Firm, or any Predecessor Firm, in the past two (2) years provided these services to any financial institution client:

a. Regulatory, securities, or compliance services?  Yes  No **If yes, complete SEC Information Supplement No. 3**

b. Services for an institution in which an Applicant member held an equity or management interest?

Yes  No

c. Whose deposits are not insured by a government agency such as the FDIC or NCUA?

Yes  No

d. Which was either in its formative stage, or which has at any point since become insolvent?

Yes  No

e. For which they were an officer, director, or general counsel?

Yes  No

**If any part(s) of question 5 are answered yes, complete Financial Institution Supplement form No. 4**

6. Area of Practice: Please identify the Applicant Firm's areas of practice with the number representing the percentage of gross income derived from that area during the past year. **The total of these must be one hundred (100) percent and represent all areas of practice.**

Area of Practice	%	Engagement Letters Used	
		Yes	No
Public Company Audit *		Yes	No
Other Audit *		Yes	No
Other Attest/Assurance Services (Describe the services provided on a separate sheet)		Yes	No
Review		Yes	No
Compilation		Yes	No
Bookkeeping		Yes	No
Individual Tax		Yes	No
Business Tax		Yes	No
Consulting Services (Describe the services provided on a separate sheet)		Yes	No
Estate Tax		Yes	No
Fiduciary Services		Yes	No
Litigation Support		Yes	No
Securities Activities **		Yes	No
Forecasts/Projections		Yes	No
Business Valuations		Yes	No
Business Planning (Describe the services provided on a separate sheet)		Yes	No
Personal Financial Planning and Investment Advisory Services (Describe the services provided on a separate sheet)		Yes	No
Other (Describe the services provided on a separate sheet)		Yes	No

\* If any percentage is indicated, complete the Audit Engagements Supplement form No. 2

\*\* If any percentage is indicated, complete the SEC Information Supplement form No. 3

7. In the past twelve (12) months, how many suits for collection of fees have been filed by the Applicant Firm or Predecessor Firms? \_\_\_\_\_ How many of these suits have been resolved successfully? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dollar amount of fee suits last year \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dollar amount of suits for the previous year \$ \_\_\_\_\_

8. In the past twelve (12) months has the Applicant Firm, or any Predecessor Firm conducted SEC services or audits for any publicly held companies?  Yes  No **If yes, please complete the Public Company Audit Supplement No. 5.**

9. In the past year, has the Applicant Firm undergone any peer or quality review sponsored by the AICPA or any state society of CPA's?  Yes  No **If yes, the results were:**  Unqualified  Qualified, Modified or Adverse

10. After inquiry, are any individuals of the Applicant Firm aware of any professional liability claims made against them, the Applicant Firm or a Predecessor Firm, which have not already been reported to us, on an application, including those which may have been made against them while with a Prior Firm?  Yes  No **If yes, complete the Accountants Professional Claim Supplement form No. 1 for each incident.**

10a. After inquiry, are any individuals of the Applicant Firm aware of any actual or alleged act, error, omission, incident or circumstance, which might reasonably result in a claim against them, the Applicant Firm or against any members of a Predecessor Firm, which have not already been reported to us?  Yes  No **If yes, complete the Accountants Professional Claim Supplement form No. 1 for each incident.**

10b. Please advise the total number of incidents which are applicable under 10. or 10a.: \_\_\_\_\_

**For all incidents listed in questions 10. or 10a., a separate Claim Supplement form No. 1 must be completed.**

11. Please note that the coverage will be offered only at the company's election. Coverage terms offered are also subject to determination by the **Insurer**. Please indicate the limit and deductible for which you wish to receive a quotation:

**Limits**

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|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000/\$300,000   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$3,000,000/\$3,000,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$250,000/\$500,000   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000/\$2,000,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$4,000,000/\$4,000,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000/\$500,000   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000,000/\$4,000,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: \$ _____ /       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000/\$1,000,000 |  | \$ _____   |

**Deductibles**

- |                                  |                                   |  |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$5,000  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$20,000        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$7,500  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$3,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$15,000 |  |

**REPRESENTATIONS:** I/We affirm that the information contained here and in any addendum is true to the best of my/our knowledge and that it shall be the basis of the policy of insurance and deemed incorporated therein, should the Company evidence its acceptance of this application by issuance of a policy. I/We hereby authorize the release of claim information from any prior insurer to the Company or its representatives.

**FRAUD NOTICE STATEMENTS**

**NOTICE TO APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD ANY INSURANCE COMPANY OR OTHER PERSON FILES AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE OR STATEMENT OF CLAIM CONTAINING ANY MATERIALLY FALSE INFORMATION, OR CONCEALS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MISLEADING, INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY FACT MATERIAL THERETO, COMMITS A FRAUDULENT INSURANCE ACT WHICH IS A CRIME AND MAY SUBJECT SUCH PERSON TO CRIMINAL AND CIVIL PENALTIES."

**NOTICE TO ALASKA RESIDENTS APPLICANTS:** "A PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO INJURE, DEFRAUD OR DECEIVE AN INSURANCE COMPANY FILES A CLAIM CONTAINING FALSE, INCOMPLETE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION MAY BE PROSECUTED UNDER STATE LAW."

**NOTICE TO ARKANSAS RESIDENT APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO FINES AND CONFINEMENT IN PRISON."

**NOTICE TO ARIZONA RESIDENTS APPLICANTS:** "FOR YOUR PROTECTION ARIZONA LAW REQUIRES THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO APPEAR ON THIS FORM. ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS IS SUBJECT TO CRIMINAL AND CIVIL PENALTIES."

**NOTICE TO COLORADO RESIDENTS APPLICANTS:** "IT IS UNLAWFUL TO KNOWINGLY PROVIDE FALSE, INCOMPLETE, OR MISLEADING FACTS OR INFORMATION TO AN INSURANCE COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAUDING OR ATTEMPTING TO DEFRAUD THE COMPANY. PENALTIES MAY INCLUDE IMPRISONMENT, FINES, DENIAL OF INSURANCE, AND CIVIL DAMAGES. ANY INSURANCE COMPANY OR AGENT OF AN INSURANCE COMPANY WHO KNOWINGLY PROVIDES FALSE, INCOMPLETE, OR MISLEADING FACTS OR INFORMATION TO A POLICYHOLDER OR CLAIMANT FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAUDING OR ATTEMPTING TO DEFRAUD THE POLICYHOLDER OR CLAIMANT WITH REGARD TO A SETTLEMENT OR AWARD PAYABLE FROM INSURANCE PROCEEDS SHALL BE REPORTED TO THE COLORADO DIVISION OF INSURANCE WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES."

**NOTICE TO DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPLICANTS:** "WARNING: IT IS A CRIME TO PROVIDE FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION TO AN INSURER FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAUDING THE INSURER OR ANY OTHER PERSON. PENALTIES INCLUDE IMPRISONMENT AND/OR FINES. IN ADDITION, AN INSURER MAY DENY INSURANCE BENEFITS IF FALSE INFORMATION MATERIALLY RELATED TO A CLAIM WAS PROVIDED BY THE APPLICANT."

**NOTICE TO FLORIDA RESIDENTS APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO, KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO INJURE, DEFRAUD, OR DECEIVE ANY INSURER FILES A STATEMENT OF CLAIM OR AN APPLICATION CONTAINING ANY FALSE, INCOMPLETE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY OF THE THIRD DEGREE."

**NOTICE TO KENTUCKY APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD ANY INSURANCE COMPANY OR OTHER PERSON FILES AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE CONTAINING ANY "MATERIALLY" FALSE INFORMATION, OR CONCEALS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MISLEADING, INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY FACT MATERIAL THERETO, COMMITS A FRAUDULENT INSURANCE ACT WHICH IS A CRIME."

**NOTICE TO LOUISIANA RESIDENTS APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO FINES AND CONFINEMENT IN PRISON."

**NOTICE TO MAINE RESIDENTS APPLICANTS:** "IT IS A CRIME TO KNOWINGLY PROVIDE FALSE, INCOMPLETE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION TO AN INSURANCE COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAUDING THE COMPANY. PENALTIES MAY INCLUDE IMPRISONMENT, FINES OR A DENIAL OF INSURANCE BENEFITS."

**RESIDENTS OF MARYLAND APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILLFULLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR WHO KNOWINGLY AND WILLFULLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO FINES AND CONFINEMENT IN PRISON."

**RESIDENTS OF MINNESOTA APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO, WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD OR KNOWING THAT HE/SHE IS FACILITATING A FRAUD AGAINST ANY INSURER, SUBMITS AN APPLICATION OR FILES A CLAIM CONTAINING A FALSE OR DECEPTIVE STATEMENT IS GUILTY OF INSURANCE FRAUD."

**RESIDENTS OF NEW JERSEY APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO INCLUDES ANY FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION ON AN APPLICATION FOR AN INSURANCE POLICY IS SUBJECT TO CRIMINAL AND CIVIL PENALTIES."

**RESIDENTS OF NEW MEXICO APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL FINES AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES."

**RESIDENTS OF NEW YORK APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD ANY INSURANCE COMPANY OR OTHER PERSON FILES AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE OR STATEMENT OF CLAIM CONTAINING ANY MATERIALLY FALSE INFORMATION, OR CONCEALS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MISLEADING, INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY FACT MATERIAL THERETO, COMMITS A FRAUDULENT INSURANCE ACT, WHICH IS A CRIME AND SHALL ALSO BE SUBJECT TO A CIVIL PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND THE STATED VALUE OF THE CLAIM FOR EACH SUCH VIOLATION."

**RESIDENTS OF OHIO APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO, WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD OR KNOWING THAT HE/SHE IS FACILITATING A FRAUD AGAINST ANY INSURER, SUBMITS AN APPLICATION OR FILES A CLAIM CONTAINING A FALSE OR DECEPTIVE STATEMENT IS GUILTY OF INSURANCE FRAUD."

**RESIDENTS OF OKLAHOMA APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO INJURE, DEFRAUD OR DECEIVE ANY INSURER, MAKES ANY CLAIM FOR THE PROCEEDS OF AN INSURANCE POLICY CONTAINING ANY FALSE, INCOMPLETE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY."

**RESIDENTS OF OREGON APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD OR SOLICIT ANOTHER TO DEFRAUD AN INSURER: (1) BY SUBMITTING AN APPLICATION, OR (2) BY FILING A CLAIM CONTAINING A FALSE STATEMENT AS TO ANY MATERIAL FACT, MAY BE VIOLATING STATE LAW."

**RESIDENTS OF PENNSYLVANIA APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY AND WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD ANY INSURANCE COMPANY OR OTHER PERSON FILES AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE OR STATEMENT OF CLAIM CONTAINING ANY MATERIALLY FALSE INFORMATION OR CONCEALS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MISLEADING INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY FACT MATERIAL THERETO COMMITS A FRAUDULENT INSURANCE ACT WHICH IS A CRIME AND SUBJECTS SUCH PERSON TO CRIMINAL AND CIVIL PENALTIES."

**RESIDENTS OF TENNESSEE APPLICANTS:** "IT IS A CRIME TO KNOWINGLY PROVIDE FALSE, INCOMPLETE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION TO AN INSURANCE COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAUDING THE COMPANY. PENALTIES INCLUDE IMPRISONMENT, FINES AND DENIAL OF INSURANCE BENEFITS."

**RESIDENTS OF TEXAS APPLICANTS:** IF A LIFE, HEALTH AND ACCIDENT INSURER PROVIDES A CLAIM FORM FOR A PERSON TO USE TO MAKE A CLAIM, THAT FORM MUST CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT OR A SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR STATEMENT: "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR THE PAYMENT OF A LOSS IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO FINES AND CONFINEMENT IN STATE PRISON."

**RESIDENTS OF VIRGINIA APPLICANTS:** "IT IS A CRIME TO KNOWINGLY PROVIDE FALSE, INCOMPLETE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION TO AN INSURANCE COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAUDING THE COMPANY. PENALTIES MAY INCLUDE IMPRISONMENT, FINES AND DENIAL OF INSURANCE BENEFITS."

**RESIDENTS OF WASHINGTON APPLICANTS:** "IT IS A CRIME TO KNOWINGLY PROVIDE FALSE, INCOMPLETE, OR MISLEADING INFORMATION TO AN INSURANCE COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSES OF DEFRAUDING THE COMPANY. PENALTIES INCLUDE IMPRISONMENT, FINES, AND DENIAL OF INSURANCE BENEFITS."

**RESIDENTS OF WEST VIRGINIA APPLICANTS:** "ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO FINES AND CONFINEMENT IN PRISON."

**NOTICE**

- 1. Any claim or incident:
  - a) reported on question 10. or 10a. or
  - b) of which any member of the applicant firm has knowledge prior to policy inception will not be afforded coverage under any policy which may subsequently be issued by and of the Philadelphia Insurance Companies.
  
- 2. Failure to report to your current insurance company any:
  - a) claim made against you during your current policy term; or
  - b) fact, circumstance or incident of which your accountants are aware, which may give rise to a claim BEFORE policy expiration, may create a lack of coverage.

Name (Please Print/Type)

Title **(MUST BE SIGNED BY A PARTNER OR OFFICER)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Date

The above signed warrants that he/she is authorized and has the power to complete and execute this Application, including the Warranty Statement on behalf of the **Applicant** and their respective Directors, Officers or other insured persons.

**Produced By: (Section to be completed by Producer/Broker)**

Producer

Agency

Producer License Number

Agency Taxpayer ID or SS Number

Address (Street, City, State, Zip)

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**This page may be used to provide additional information to any question on this application. Please identify the question number to which you are referring.**

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Signature

Date