

PLEASE PRINT:

PETITION FOR AFFILIATION
BY TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP

- NOTE IMPORTANT -

Transfer Certificate properly executed must be attached before the petition may be received by a Lodge.
It is recommended that transfer of membership procedure not be instituted too late in the year, in order that petition will have ample time to be

received, investigated, balloted upon and Home Lodge notified before the end of the Masonic year, Dec. 27th. Certificate of Good Standing is Void in Florida after that date.)

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Brethren of _____ Lodge No. _____

Free and Accepted Masons of Florida:

Brother _____

a member of _____ Lodge No. _____

located at _____ as shown by the attached Certificate, respectfully petitions for affiliation by Transfer of Membership. Should his petition be granted, he will cheerfully conform to all the rules, regulations and by-laws of your Lodge, and to the ancient usages of the Craft.

QUESTIONS

Do you believe in the existence of one ever-living and true God? _____

What is your full name? _____

Where do you reside? House No. & Street _____

Indicate Post Office Box or Mailing Address if other than your residence

City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

How long resided there? _____ How long resided in the State of Florida? _____

Where have you resided during the past five years? _____

What is your Present Occupation? _____ How long? _____

What is your business address? _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

By whom and where employed in the past five years? _____

Where were you born? _____

(CITY OR TOWN)

(STATE)

Date of your birth: _____ day of _____ A.D. 19 _____. Age: _____

Have you ever before applied for affiliation with a Masonic Lodge? If so, state what Lodge, when and results _____

PETITIONER MUST READ THE FOLLOWING:

To be eligible for resident, non-resident or other relief programs a Florida Mason must have been a member in good standing of a Florida Lodge for not less than 10 years, the last 3 years whereof must have been continuous at the time application is made and he would not be eligible for such relief if he had already attained the age of 66 years at the time he became a Florida Mason.

Each petitioner is required to furnish in the space provided below, the names of three (3) persons (preferably Masons, local) as references that have known him for a period of five years or more.

Table with 3 columns: NAME, STREET ADDRESS, CITY/STATE/ZIP. Rows 1, 2, 3.

I hereby certify on my honor that all these answers are true and correct, and that I have read, understood and agree with all statements made on this application form.

SIGN YOUR FULL NAME (in ink) _____

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

This is to certify that Brother _____ was elected to membership in _____ Lodge No. _____, F. & A.M., located at _____, Florida, on the _____ day of _____, (year) _____. His petition for affiliation was accompanied by Transfer Certificate issued by _____ Lodge No. _____, F. & A.M. on the _____ day of _____, (year) _____. _____, Secretary

REQUEST FOR MY DIMIT

Date: _____

TO: _____ Lodge No. _____ at _____, _____

City _____ State _____

I hereby fraternally request that you immediately issue and forward my DIMIT to: _____

_____, _____, _____ City _____ State _____

Fraternally yours, _____

RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend the above petitioner, based upon our belief that he is of good moral character, temperate, industrious.

Signatures of Members of the Lodge to which the petition is directed.

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GRAND JURISDICTIONS THAT RECOGNIZE TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP FROM LODGES IN OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

Alabama****	Indiana*	Montana*	Puerto Rico*
Arizona*	Iowa*	Nebraska*	Rhode Island*
Arkansas*	Kansas*	Nevada*	South Carolina*
California*	Kentucky*	New Hampshire*	South Dakota*
Colorado*	Louisiana*	New Jersey*	Tennessee*
Connecticut*	Maine*	New Mexico*	Texas*
Delaware*	Maryland*	New York*	Utah*
District of Columbia*	Mexico (York)*	North Carolina*	Vermont*
Florida*	Massachusetts*	North Dakota*	Virginia*
Georgia****	Michigan*	Ohio*	Washington*
Germany*	Minnesota*	Oklahoma****	West Virginia*
Idaho*	Mississippi*	Oregon*	Wisconsin****
Illinois*	Missouri*		Wyoming*
		Pennsylvania****	

- * Transfer not complete until dimit is filed.
- ** In the state only.
- *** Only from lodges of other jurisdictions.
- **** Transfer is by certificate of good standing.

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OF**

To _____ Lodge No. _____
Fee of \$ _____ paid this _____
day of _____

Secretary
Received by this Lodge this ____ day of _____, ____

Referred to Brothers:

Date Balloted Upon: _____ Result: ____

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

We have diligently inquired into the character and qualifications of the petitioner and are satisfied that he is _____ a fit person.

Therefore we recommend:

Acceptance
Rejection _____

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Rejection _____

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Rejection _____

Committee