



## SECURITY SENSITIVE RELEASE FORM

### REQUIRED INFORMATION

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etc.); personal and professional references checks; professional licensing and certification checks; drug/alcohol testing results, and drug/alcohol history in violation of law and/or company policy; and other information bearing on your character, general reputation, personal characteristics, mode of living and credit standing.

This information may be obtained from private and public record sources, including, as appropriate: government agencies and courthouses; educational institutions; former employers; personal interviews with sources such as neighbors, friends and associates; and other information sources. If Lamar University should obtain information bearing on your credit worthiness, credit standing or credit capacity for reasons other than as required by law, then Lamar University will use such credit information to evaluate whether you would present an unacceptable risk of theft or other dishonest behavior in the job for which you are being evaluated.

You may request more information about the nature and scope of any investigative consumer reports by contacting Lamar University. A summary of your rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act is also being provided to you.

The DPS Computerized Criminal History is a name based information database and is not an exact search and only fingerprint record searches represent true identification to criminal history, Lamar University is not allowed to discuss any information obtained using this method. Lamar University is only allowed to discuss information obtained from a DPS Computerized Criminal History Search with authorized users approved by the Texas Department of Public Safety. Therefore Lamar University offers you the opportunity to have a fingerprint search performed to clear any misidentification based on this name search, if the search provides Lamar University a criminal history report that you know could not be yours.

## ADDITIONAL STATE LAW NOTICES

If you are a California, Maine, Massachusetts, New York or Washington State applicant, employee or contractor, please also note:

**CALIFORNIA:** Pursuant to section 1786.22 of the California Civil Code, you may view the file maintained on you by HireRight during normal business hours. You may also obtain a copy of this file, upon submitting proper identification and paying the costs of duplication services, by appearing at HireRight's offices in person, during normal business hours and on reasonable notice, or by certified mail. You may also receive a summary of the file by telephone, upon submitting proper identification and written request. HireRight has trained personnel available to explain your file to you, including any coded information, and will provide a written explanation of any coded information contained in your file. If you appear in person, you may be accompanied by one other person, provided that person furnishes proper identification. "Proper identification" includes documents such as a valid driver's license, social security account number, military identification card, and credit cards. If you cannot identify yourself with such information, HireRight may require additional information concerning your employment and personal or family history to verify your identity.

**MAINE:** You have the right, upon request, to be informed of whether an investigative consumer report was requested, and if one was requested, the name and address of the consumer reporting agency furnishing the report. You may request and receive from the Company, within five business days of our receipt of your request, the name, address and telephone number of the nearest unit designated to handle inquiries for the consumer reporting agency issuing an investigative consumer report concerning you. You also have the right, under Maine law, to request and promptly receive from all such agencies copies of any such reports.

**MASSACHUSETTS:** If Lamar University requests an investigative consumer report, you have the right, upon written request, to a copy of the report.

**NEW YORK:** You have the right, upon written request, to be informed of whether or not an investigative consumer report was requested. If an investigative consumer report is requested, you will be provided with the name and address of the consumer reporting agency furnishing the report. You may inspect and receive a copy of the report by contacting that agency. Attached below is additional information about New York law.

**WASHINGTON STATE:** If Lamar University requests an investigative consumer report, you have the right, upon written request make within a reasonable period of time after your receipt of this disclosure, to receive from Lamar University a complete and accurate disclosure of the natu

I hereby authorize law enforcement agencies, learning institutions (including public and private schools and universities), information service bureaus, credit bureaus, record/data repositories, courts (federal, state and local), motor vehicle records agencies, my past or present employers, the military, and other individuals and sources to furnish any and all information on me that is requested by the consumer reporting agency.

I certify that the information I provided on this form is true, complete, and correct. I understand that any false statements made herein will void my Application for Employment and any actions based on it. I also understand that if employed, my continued employment with Lamar University will be contingent upon the outcome of the investigative consumer reports. If the results of the investigative process indicates that I have been convicted of a felony or had an offence involving moral turpitude (including, but not limited to theft, rape, murder, swindling, and indecency with a minor) that I did not disclose, Lamar University has the right to terminate my employment immediately.

I understand that Lamar University and its agents are not responsible for the accuracy of the information contained in any criminal history report. I release Lamar University and its agents from all liability, claims, and lawsuits with respect to the information obtained from any or all of the sources consulted in the investigation. I also understand that information contained in my job application, resume/vita or otherwise disclosed by me before or during my employment, if any, may be used for the purpose of obtaining consumer reports and/or investigative consumer reports.

I agree to complete the attached DPS Computerized Criminal History (CCH) Verification form allowing Lamar University to conduct a computerized criminal history verification check on myself.

I authorize, without reservation, any party or agency contacted by Lamar University to furnish the above listed information:

By my signature below, I also certify the information I provided on and in connection with this form is true, accurate and complete. I agree that this form in original, faxed, photocopied or electronic form (including electronically signed), will be valid for any background reports that may be requested by or on behalf of Lamar University

Applicant Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**LAMAR UNIVERSITY**

Lamar University is firmly committed to Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) and to compliance with all Federal, State and local laws that prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of age, race, color, gender, national origin, religion, disability, protected veteran status and other protected classifications. This policy applies to all employment decisions including, but not limited to, recruiting, hiring, training, promotions, pay practices, benefits, disciplinary

# DPS Computerized Criminal History (CCH) Verification

(AGENCY COPY)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, acknowledge that a Computerized Criminal

APPLICANT or EMPLOYEE NAME (Please print)

History (CCH) check will be performed by accessing the Texas Department of Public Safety Secure Website and will be based on name and DOB identifiers I supply. (This is not a consent form.) Authority for this agency to access an individual's criminal history data may be found in Texas Government Code 411; Subchapter F.

Name-based information is not an exact search and only fingerprint record searches represent true identification to criminal history, therefore the organization conducting the criminal history check is not allowed to discuss with me any criminal history record information obtained using this method. The agency may request that I have a fingerprint search performed to clear any misidentification based on the result of the name and DOB search. Once this process is completed the information on my fingerprint criminal history record may be discussed with me.

In order to complete the process I must make an appointment with the Fingerprint Applicant Services of Texas (FAST) as instructed online at [www.txdps.state.tx.us /Crime Records/Review of Personal Criminal History](http://www.txdps.state.tx.us/CrimeRecords/ReviewofPersonalCriminalHistory) or by calling the DPS Program Vendor at 1-888-467-2080, submit a full and complete set of fingerprints, request a copy be sent to the agency listed below, and pay a fee of \$24.95 to the fingerprinting services company.

**(This copy must remain on file by your agency. Required for future DPS Audits)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant or Employee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Agency Name ( Please print)

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Agency Representative Name (Please print)

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Signature of Agency Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

<b>Please:</b> <b>Check and Initial each Applicable Space</b>	
CCH Report Printed:	
YES ___ NO ___	_____initial
Purpose of CCH:	_____
Empl ___ Vol/Contractor _____	_____initial
Date Printed: _____	_____initial
Destroyed Date: _____	_____initial
<b>Retain in your files</b>	

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