# TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

**Criminal Investigations Division**

**Investigative Support Section**



**LAW ENFORCEMENT POLYGRAPH SCHOOL ADMISSION APPLICATION**

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| Date: |       |

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| Full Legal Name: |       |       |       |       |
|  | *First* | *Middle* | *Last* | *Maiden* |

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| Present Address: |       |       |       |
|  | *City* | *State* | *Zip Code* |

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| Permanent Address: |       |       |       |
|  | *City* | *State* | *Zip Code* |

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| E-Mail Address: |       |  | Fax: | ( |     | ) |       |

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| Home Phone: | ( |     | ) |       |  | Work Phone: | ( |     | ) |       |

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| Driver License: |       |       |  | Social Security (Last 4 Digits Only): |      |
|  | *Number* | *State* |  |  |  |

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| US Citizen? | [ ]  | YES | [ ]  | NO | Place of Birth: |       |  | Date of Birth: |       |

**EDUCATION**

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| Type ofSchool | Name of School | Location of School | From | To | GraduatedYes or No | Type of Diploma or Degree | Year Graduated and Hours Completed |
| High School |       |       |       |       |  |       |       |
| College |       |       |       |       |  |       |       |
| College |       |       |       |       |  |       |       |
| AdditionalEducation |       |       |       |       |  |       |       |

**MILITARY HISTORY**

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| Branch of MilitaryService | From | To | Type of Discharge | Job Duties | Rank atDischarge | Court Martial? |
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**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY FOR THE LAST TEN YEARS**

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| Employer |       |
| Mailing Address |       |
| Employer’s Telephone # |       |
| Job Title |       |
| Supervisor |       |
| Dates Employed |       |
| Reason For Leaving |       |

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| Employer’s Telephone # |       |
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| Supervisor |       |
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| Supervisor |       |
| Dates Employed |       |
| Reason For Leaving |       |

**THREE CHARACTER REFERENCES (Not Related)**

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| Name | Occupation | Employer | Home Address | Home Tel # | Work Tel # |
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**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS**

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| 1. | Have you ever been arrested, charged, indicted, convicted, or court marshaled for any violation of criminal law other than a minor traffic violation? If so, attach a statement explaining the nature of the offense, court, city, state, country, and disposition of case. | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 2. | Do you hold a baccalaureate degree from a college or university accredited by the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 3. | Do you have five consecutive years of active investigative experience immediately preceding this application? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 4. | Are you willing to submit to a polygraph examination administered by an examiner chosen by the school? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 5. | Do you expect any difficulty in meeting all the standards and qualifications for a polygraph license in your state or other jurisdiction? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 6. | Have you ever been denied any type of license by any licensing agency, federal, state, or local? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 7. | Have you ever applied for acceptance to any polygraph school? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 8. | Have you ever administered a polygraph examination or any other examination, utilizing instrumentation for the purpose of detecting deception or verifying truth of statements? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 9. | Do you have any physical defect, or problem with hearing, speech, or vision, that would require this school to provide any special materials, equipment, or facilities? | [ ]  | Yes | [ ]  | No |
| 10. | What type of polygraph instrument will you be utilizing for your agency? |       |
| 11. | Applicants must provide the name and phone number of the polygraph examiner who will sponsor their internship.  |
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**Attach as many notarized supplement pages as necessary to fully explain any of the above answers.**

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

The Texas Department of Public Safety, Law Enforcement Polygraph School, is dedicated to providing quality education to government and law enforcement students in the professional field of polygraph. In an attempt to provide an environment conducive to a quality education, only 20 students will be admitted to the Law Enforcement Polygraph School.

There are numerous factors that Department administrators consider in the selection of applicants to the Law Enforcement Polygraph School, including:

* Education and investigative experience.
* Identified hardships of the sponsoring agency as it pertains to criminal investigative or law enforcement administrative needs.
* Identified history of the sponsoring agency of lending their investigative polygraph resources to smaller agencies within their area of responsibility.
* Number of existing law enforcement polygraph examiners available to the sponsoring agency.
* Quantity of polygraph examinations historically requested or conducted by the sponsoring agency.

Please provide, in narrative form, information that you or your agency would like for Department administrators to take into consideration when reviewing your application for admissions (a typed attachment is permissible).

**AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

STATE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, after being duly sworn, do solemnly swear that I am the applicant named in this application and attachments thereto. I have read and understand the contents herein, and to the very best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing answers and statements are both complete and true. I hereby grant authorization to the Texas Department of Public Safety, Law Enforcement Polygraph School, and/or to their designated agents, to contact any and every person and organization for information regarding me. This authorization includes the verification of any statements made by me or made about me, my employment history, my character, my physical condition, my deportment, my military history, or my conduct. I also certify that any person(s) who may furnish such information concerning me shall not be held legally accountable for giving this information in any way; and I do hereby release said person(s) from any and all liability that may be incurred as a result of furnishing such information. I further agree that any misstatement or omission of fact will constitute sufficient grounds for rejection of any application, termination from the school, and/or withholding or withdrawal of any certifications of graduation by the Texas Department of Public Safety, Law Enforcement Polygraph School.

A photocopy of this release will be valid as an original thereof, even though the said photocopy does not contain an original writing of my signature.

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 Signature before Notary Public

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ AD, 20\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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 Notary Public in and for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (County) (State)

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , 20\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Submit completed application to* *polygraph@dps.texas.gov**.*