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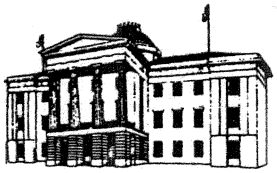

BEVERLY EAVES PERDUE
GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 55

ENHANCED DISCLOSURES FROM APPLICANTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

WHEREAS, as Governor, I appoint hundreds of persons each year to numerous boards, commissions, councils, committees, task forces, or similar entities (hereinafter "boards") to assist the State in its work for the citizens of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the current method used to select persons to serve on these boards has not provided the Office of the Governor with sufficient information to thoroughly evaluate applicants for these boards; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of North Carolina are entitled to have well qualified persons appointed to fill seats on the many boards created to serve important needs of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of North Carolina expect that the Governor, in selecting well qualified members to serve on boards, will have full knowledge of the personal, professional, and economic interests of the applicants.

NOW, THEREFORE, by the power vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and laws of the State of North Carolina, **IT IS ORDERED:**

All persons under consideration for appointment to any board through my Office will complete the attached application, or a substantially similar application, fully and accurately prior to appointment.

This Executive Order shall be effective immediately and shall remain in effect until rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in the City of Raleigh, this fifth day of April in the year of our Lord two thousand and ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-fourth.

Beverly Eaves Perdue
Governor

ATTEST:

Elaine F. Marshall
Secretary of State

Application for Boards and Commissions

Office of Governor Bev Perdue
State of North Carolina

BOARD OR COMMISSION FOR WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING:

First Name	MI	Last Name	Prefix
Home Address		City	State	Zip
County	Home Phone #	Personal Email	
Congressional District	Senate District	House District	Registered Voter: Yes No
Are you a resident of NC? Yes No		If yes, how long have you been a resident of NC?	
Age	Gender: M F	Race (optional)	
Present Employer/Occupation		Job Title	
Business Address		City	State	Zip
Business Phone #		Business Email	
Cell Phone #		Correspondence Preference: Home Business	
Spouse's Name		Spouse's Employer	

EDUCATION HISTORY (Specify school attended, year of graduation and type of degree received, if any)

High School/Equivalence (G.E.D.)
Undergraduate
Graduate/Professional

PROFESSIONAL LICENSE (Identify all of your professional license(s) and provide the information requested. Specify if your license is in a name other than your name listed above.)

Type of License	License #	Issuance Date	Has the license been continuously active since issuance?

REFERENCES (List three persons, not related to you, who have known you at least a year.)

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE #

PUBLIC OFFICIAL/OFFICES (List all appointed or elected positions you currently hold on any board, commission, council, authority or other entity created by local, state or federal government.)

Answer each question below. Please attach an additional sheet(s) to explain any "Yes" answers.

CRIMINAL		
1. Have you ever been charged with a felony in North Carolina or elsewhere?	Yes_____	No_____
2. Have you ever been convicted of a felony in North Carolina or elsewhere?	Yes_____	No_____
3. Have you ever been charged with a misdemeanor, other than a traffic offense, in North Carolina or elsewhere?	Yes_____	No_____
4. Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor, other than a traffic offense, in North Carolina or elsewhere?	Yes_____	No_____
5. Has your driver's license ever been suspended, revoked, or limited?	Yes_____	No_____
PROFESSIONAL/EMPLOYMENT		
6. Have you ever had any grievance or complaint filed against you with any board that regulates your professional license(s) or had a professional license suspended, revoked or modified?	Yes_____	No_____
7. Have you ever had any sanction or reprimand entered against your professional license?	Yes_____	No_____
8. Have you, or any business in which you own a controlling interest, ever been fined or otherwise sanctioned by a local, state or federal agency?	Yes_____	No_____
9. Have you ever been disciplined by the board to which you seek appointment?	Yes_____	No_____
TAXES		
10. Have you ever failed to file state or federal income tax returns?	Yes_____	No_____
11. Are you, or any company in which you or your spouse has a controlling interest, delinquent in paying any local, state or federal taxes?	Yes_____	No_____
LOBBYIST		
12. Are you currently a registered lobbyist, have you been a registered lobbyist in the last year, or have you employed a registered lobbyist in the last year?	Yes_____	No_____
CONFLICT OF INTEREST/OTHER DISCLOSURES		
13. Are you or your spouse regulated by, licensed by, or engaged in a business relationship with the board to which you are seeking appointment?	Yes_____	No_____
14. Do you have any financial interest in any company that does business with the State of North Carolina?	Yes_____	No_____
15. Are you, or any entity in which you have a financial or other interest, the recipient of any grant or appropriation from the State of North Carolina?	Yes_____	No_____
16. Are you aware of any other information that would be relevant for the Governor to know as she considers appointing you to a board or commission?	Yes_____	No_____

I certify that the facts contained in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I release all parties from all liability for any damage that may result from furnishing such information. I understand that failure to fill out this form accurately and truthfully shall subject me to immediate removal.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Return completed form to: Office of the Governor; Attn: Boards and Commissions Office; 20301 Mail Service Center; Raleigh, NC 27699-0301 or via fax to (919) 715-4239.