



APPLICATION FOR CITIZENSHIP

The undersigned person, being fully competent and lawfully entitled to enter into this application, does by execution of this application, petition and apply for full and unrestricted citizenship in the Houkeai Nation & Federation. Additionally, the applicant declares his or her current tribal affiliation(s), citizenship(s) or membership(s) as they exist at the making of this application. ***Applicant states under the pain of perjury that all statements made in this application are full, complete, true and correct at the time of their making, and that no intentional omission of any relevant fact has been made in the application.***

Full Name of Applicant: _____

Maiden or Birth Name: _____

Date & Place of Birth: _____ Sex: _____

Business, Profession of Occupation: _____

Are you currently enrolled as a citizen or member of any Band, Clan, Tribe, Nation or similar? Y____N____ If yes, please state the name of the entity with which you are affiliated. _____

Do you have minor children you wish to enroll as citizens? Y____N____ (if "Y" we will mail you a separate packet)

Have you ever served in any military enlistment/appointment? ____N____ If "Y", Branch of Service and approximate separation date: _____

Home Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone No. _____ Cell or Landline? _____

Email address: _____

SIGNATURE & VERIFICATION: I certify that all of the foregoing information is correct. I understand that any deliberate false statement made in this application may be grounds to later void my citizenship.

Date signed: _____ Time signed: _____

I herewith apply and petition for citizenship in the Houkeai Nation & Federation.

X _____

Printed name
of signer: _____

REMEMBER TO ATTACH YOUR PHOTO AS SPECIFIED IN THE ATTACHED INSTRUCTIONS.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: Date Recd _____
Accession No. _____ By: _____
Approved/Disapproved Date : _____
Citizenship Eff. Date: _____
Enrollment No. _____



APPLICATION FOR CITIZENSHIP-PART II: CHARACTER REFERENCE

There are qualifications for admission to citizenship in the Houkeai Nation & Federation. First, qualification may be by birthright (*jus soli*). Anyone born on sovereign or trust land(s) is qualified. Persons born into a family where either one or both parents are Houkeai citizens are qualified. Otherwise, any persons having traits, characteristics, skills or other qualifying abilities may be admitted to citizenship. Citizenship may also be by invitation. All applications, at the discretion of the Nation, are subject to background checking. This is, however, not routinely done. We prefer to utilize the process of character references. We ask applicants to assist us in this by completing this optional part of the Application

Name of Applicant: _____

The undersigned person certifies as follows: I, _____ have known the above named applicant for a period of _____ years. I am not related to the applicant by marriage or blood. I believe the applicant to be of good moral character and reputation. I believe the applicant to be trustworthy, honest in his or her affairs and not prone to violence, dishonesty, moral turpitude, excessive drinking or any illicit drug abuse, gambling or any immoral conduct; and this has been the applicant's personal status for at least the past 24-months next preceding the date of my statement here.

Name of Person Providing Reference (*please print neatly*): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone No. _____ Cell or Landline? _____

Email address: _____ May we contact you regarding this reference? Y____ or N____

If you are a Houkeai citizen, kindly provide your Enrollment Number : _____

SIGNATURE & VERIFICATION: I certify and that all of the foregoing information is true, complete or correct, according to my personal knowledge and/or belief as of the time of the making of this statement.

Date signed: _____ Time signed: _____

X _____

For DOJ/OIG Use Only Received Date: _____ Clearance Date: _____ Agent: _____

Recommendation(s):

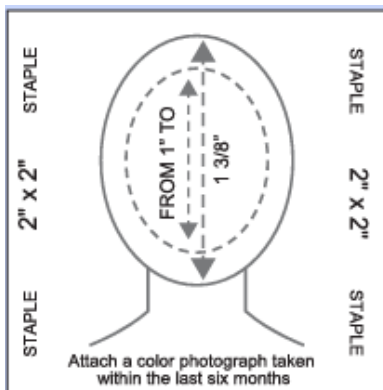
Further action needed, if any:

Privacy Act Notice & Photo Requirements

The *Federation Privacy Act* requires that when we ask you for information we tell you our legal right to ask for the information, why we are asking you for it, and how it will be used. We must also tell you what could happen if we do not receive it. If we do not receive the information requested on the Citizenship Application form, we cannot process your request for Citizenship. Our legal right to ask for the information is section 1 of the Citizenship Act of 1983. It authorizes the Nation to gather and use the requested information in order to determine your Citizenship eligibility, and, process your application for Citizenship.

We are asking you for information only because we need it. The information that you provide will be used by the Nation's Citizenship processing agency to carry out its responsibilities, and may be shared with other national/tribal government agencies for their membership or citizenship purposes.

We do not use contractors to perform various website and database functions. We make sure all Nation staff ensure the security, confidentiality and integrity of any personal information you provide. Your information is never shared or given to any other governmental entity other than Federation members, and then only to assist them in processing any application you may make to be included in their clan, band or tribe.



Submitting a photo for your new Citizenship Credential

Please submit a paper photo as indicated in the box to the immediate left.

Note: Photos are not returned. You may submit your photo electronically by attaching this page to your Application and checking the box above requesting electronic submission. Once received, we will contact you by email with uploading instructions. Note: all electronic photos must be in JPEG or JPG format.

I want to submit my photo electronically. Please email me

at: _____

- Shadows and Lighting
- Glasses
- Size and Position
- Resolution, Print Size, and Quality
- Digital Alterations and Retouching
- Pose and Expression
- Attire, Hats, and Hair
- Background
- Children
- Online Renewal Application

Acceptable— Photo is clear and in color, reproduces skin tones accurately, and is properly exposed with no shadows