CITY OF LOS ANGELES



PEACE OFFICER / PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYMENT

RELEASE AUTHORIZATION	
EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION – PEACE OFFICER	
CANDIDATE FULL NAME:	
California Government Code §1031, subdivision (d), provides that each class of Public Officer or Employees declared by law to be Peace Officers shall "be of good moral character, as determined by a thorough background investigation."	
As a candidate for a position with the <u>CITY OF LOS ANGELES</u> , I am required to furnish information for use in determining my qualifications. I accordingly authorize, for 365 DAYS from the date I sign this release and waiver, any authorized representative of my prospective employer bearing this release or any copy thereof, to obtain any and all information you have concerning me, including but not limited to, information pertaining to my employment, job applications, performance evaluations, attendance records, disciplinary actions, eligibility for rehire, and other information relevant to my suitability for peace officer employment, including any and all files otherwise deemed confidential or privileged, including any and all materials that have been sealed by agreement, court order, or otherwise, including, but not limited to, disciplinary matters. I acknowledge and understand that when my prior employers, or other persons, provide information to my prospective employer in order for my prospective employer to determine suitability for peace officer employment, that the disclosure of information by my prior employer or other persons to my prospective employer is protected, by, among other things, the privilege found in California Civil Code §47, subsections (b) and (c), and California Government Code §1031.1.	
Pursuant to Penal Code section 832.12, I further understand that peace officers, when seeking employment with another department or agency employing peace officers in this state, are required to give written permission to the hiring department or agency to review his or her general personnel file and any other separate file designated by his or her agency, including investigations of misconduct.	
I hereby acknowledge and understand that certain records or information contained in any of the files, materials or information that may be disclosed to my prospective employer pursuant to this release may be considered confidential under California Penal Code §832.7 and other applicable law, and therefore potentially otherwise subject to discovery or disclosure only pursuant to a noticed motion under California Evidence Code §1043. By signing this authorization, I hereby voluntarily and irrevocably waive any and all rights to have any record or records or information contained therein discovered or disclosed only by a noticed motion pursuant to California Evidence Code §1043, and instead hereby freely and voluntarily authorize the disclosure of all such records, including those records to which, as an employee, the undersigned would have or did have access. I agree that if I am hired, I may choose to have information gathered during the background investigation remain confidential and not become part of my general personnel file for purposes of the Public Safety Officers Procedural Bill of Rights Act, Gov't Code §§ 3300 et seq.	
I hereby release, discharge, and exonerate the agency and/or any person furnishing information pursuant to this release, including their agents and representatives, from liability or damages of any kind arising out of the furnishing and/or inspection of records in compliance with this authorization and request to release information. I hereby waive any and all right and/or opportunity to review, inspect and/or obtain the background investigation report and/or any information provided during the background investigation.	
It is further understood, acknowledged, and agreed to, that any information secured pursuant to this statutorily required background investigation, which would negatively reflect on my fitness for duty, may be furnished to my current law enforcement employer or other third parties as may be deemed necessary in the course of fulfilling its official responsibilities.	
This release shall be binding on my legal representatives, heirs, and assigns.	
If further information regarding this request is needed, please call the Background Investigation Division, Personnel Department, at (213) 473-0100.	
Candidate Signature Date Las	t 4 of SS#
The authorization to release records is valid for 365 DAYS from the date of sign	ature.
A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached and not the truthfulness accuracy or validity of that document.	
State of California County of	
Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) before me on this day of, 20 by, proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who appeared before me.	
Notary Public Signature Notary Public Signature Notary Public Signature	