

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO CONDUCT RAFFLES

INTERNAL USE ONLY:	LICENSE NUMBER: R-_____
	PAID AMOUNT: _____
	TYPES-CASH/CHECK/CARD: _____
	DATE: _____
	DATE ISSUED: _____

Licence Fee for 1 year \$25.00

1. Name of Organization: _____

2. Address: _____ In Knox County? Yes ____ No ____

3. Phone: _____

4. Email: _____

5. Type of Organization: Please read the definitions in Appendix A. (Attach documentary evidence, such as copy of Charter, articles of incorporation, IRS/Illinois tax exemption letter, etc.) Charitable ____ Religious ____ Fraternal ____ Labor ____

Education ____ Veterans ____ Business ____

Not-profit Fund-raising Organization ____

6. Address of Place of Raffle Drawing(s):

7. Raffle Manager:

(Name)

(Residence Address, City, State, Zip Code)

SIGNATURE:

By signing you are agreeing to Appendix B Attestations.

APPENDIX A: DEFINITIONS

Business organization means a voluntary organization composed of individuals and businesses who have joined together to advance the commercial, financial, industrial and civic interests of a community.

Charitable organization is an organization or institution organized and operated to benefit an indefinite number of the public. The service rendered to those eligible for benefits must also confer some benefit upon the public.

Educational organization is an organization or institution organized and operated to provide systematic instruction in useful branches of learning by methods common to schools and institutions of learning which compare favorably in their scope and intensity with the course of study presented in tax-supported schools.

Fraternal organization is an organization of persons having a common interest, the primary interest of which is to both promote the welfare of its members and to provide assistance to the general public in such a way as to lessen the burdens of government by caring for those who otherwise would be cared for by the government.

Labor organization is an organization composed of workers organized with the objective of the betterment of the conditions of those engaged in such pursuit and the development of a higher degree of efficiency in their respective occupations.

Nonprofit fund-raising organization is an organization organized for the sole purpose of providing financial assistance to an identified individual or group of individuals suffering extreme financial hardship as the result of illness, disability, accident or disaster.

Religious organization is any church, congregation, society or organization founded for the purpose of religious worship.

Veterans organization is an organization or association comprised of members of which substantially all are individuals who are veterans or spouses, widows or widowers of veterans, the primary purpose of which is to promote the welfare of its members and to provide assistance to the general public in such a way so to confer a public benefit.

APPENDIX B ATTESTATIONS

Attestation A: (For charitable, religious, fraternal, labor, education, veterans and business organizations that have been in existence for at least five years)

“The undersigned attest that the above-named organization is organized as a not-for-profit under the law of the State of Illinois and has been in existence continuously for a period of five (5) years immediately preceding the date of this application, and that during said five (5) years’ period, it has maintained a bona fide membership actively engaged in carrying out its objectives. The undersigned do hereby state under penalties of perjury that all statements in the foregoing application are true and correct; that officers, operators, and workers of the games are bona fide members of the sponsoring organization and are all of good moral character, have not been convicted of a felony, and have never been professional gamblers or gambling promoters; that if a license is granted hereunder, the undersigned will be responsible for the conduct of the games in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois and Knox County governing the conduct of such games.”

Attestation B: (For nonprofit fundraising organizations which have been organized for the sole purpose of providing financial assistance to an identified individual or group of individuals suffering extreme financial hardship as the result of illness, disability, accident or disaster.)

“The undersigned attest that the above-named organization is a nonprofit fundraising organization which has been organized for the sole purpose of providing financial assistance to an identified individual or group of individuals suffering extreme financial hardship as the result of illness, disability, accident or disaster. The undersigned do hereby state under penalties of perjury that all statements in the foregoing application are true and correct; that officers, operators, and workers of the games are bona fide members of the sponsoring organization and are all of good moral character, have not been convicted of a felony, and have never been professional gamblers or gambling promoters; that if a license is granted hereunder, the undersigned will be responsible for the conduct of the games in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois and Knox County governing the conduct of such games.”