

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF DUTY TO REGISTER, RE-REGISTER
AND VERIFY ADDRESS**

NAME: _____ **SBI#:** _____ **DOB:** _____
INTENDED ADDRESS: _____

In accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 2C:7-1 et seq (Megan’s Law) you are required to personally register, re-register and verify your address with your local or state police in the municipality where you reside. Failure to do so is a crime, and subjects you to up to 5 years in prison pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2C:7-2.

(INITIALS)

1. _____ I understand that I must **verify** my address with the police department where I live **every year**, or if my municipality does not have a local police department, with the State Police, or **every 90 days** with the local police department, or if my municipality does not have a local police department, with the State Police, if I am found to be a repetitive and compulsive sex offender.

2. _____ I understand that this verification must be in person and I must provide proof of that address, such as a letter or a bill. I understand that the verification is due on the anniversary of my initial registration, or most recent re-registration resulting from a change of address. I understand that I may be charged with failure to verify my address, a fourth degree offense, if I fail to comply.

3. _____ I understand that if I **move**, I must notify the local police department where I am registered, and the police department where I intend to live, at least **10 days** before I move. I must then **re-register** in my new town. Verification of that address is due the year after the re-registration date. I understand that if I move out of New Jersey and then move back to New Jersey, I must re-register within **10 days** of returning to this State with the local law enforcement agency in the town where I live. I understand that if I **move** to another State, I will be subject to any and all laws governing sex offender registration procedures in that State.

4. _____ I understand that if I **work** or **attend school** in another State, but remain a New Jersey resident, I must still register in the State I am employed or attend school. This out of state registration is in addition to the registration in my home town, and does not change my obligation to register where I live in New Jersey.

5. _____ I understand that if I **enroll** or **work** at any public or private educational institution in New Jersey, on a part or full time basis, I must register within **10 days** of commencement of such attendance or employment with the law enforcement unit of the educational institution, or if no law enforcement unit exists, with the police department having primary jurisdiction over the campus.

6. _____ I understand that I must notify the police department with which I am registered **in person** of any change of employment or school enrollment status within **5 days** of such change.

7. _____ I understand that I must register with the chief law enforcement officer of the municipality in which I intend to reside within **48 hours** of my release from this institution. I understand that I may be charged with failure to register or re-register, a 3rd degree offense, as required by law.

8. _____ I understand that if I remain offense free for **15 years** from the date of conviction or release from prison, whichever is later, I may apply to the Superior Court to be relieved of my obligation to register, **unless I have more than one sex offense or if any of the offenses were Aggravated Sexual Assault or Sexual Assault.**

I, _____, **have read the above eight (8) paragraphs to**
(Officer’s Name)

_____ **and provided him/her a copy of this Acknowledgment.**
(Registrant’s Name)

Date: _____ **Officer’s Signature:**

Date: _____ **Registrant’s Name:** _____
(Please Print)

_____ **Registrant’s Signature:**