

**Application By Affidavit for Admission to the Bar of the  
Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee**

[Comity or UBE Transfer Applicants]

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print full legal name)

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Court(s) of last resort in which the Applicant is admitted to practice \_\_\_\_\_

Is the Applicant engaged in the practice of law? \_\_\_\_\_

School and year from which legal degree(s) received \_\_\_\_\_

Board of Professional Responsibility (BPR) Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_

By signing below, Applicant affirms that he/she possesses all qualifications and meets all requirements for admission.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant's Signature)

**AFFIDAVIT**

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

**OATH OF ADMISSION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear or affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Tennessee. In the practice of my profession, I will conduct myself with honesty, fairness, integrity, and civility to the best of my skill and abilities, so help me God.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant's Signature)

Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_. (Clerk's Seal)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Judge or Clerk of Court Authorized to Administer Oaths Pursuant to S. Ct. Rule 6(5)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Judge or Clerk of Court Authorized to Administer Oaths Pursuant to S. Ct. Rule 6(5)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Court)

**STATEMENT OF SPONSORS**

We, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_,  
being members of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee, state that  
\_\_\_\_\_ (*the Applicant*) is personally known to us, that he/she possesses  
all the qualifications required for admission to the Bar of the Supreme Court of the State of  
Tennessee and that we have examined his/her personal statement and believe this person to  
be of good professional and moral character.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Sponsor's Signature)

Sponsor's BPR# \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Business Address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Sponsor's Signature)

Sponsor's BPR# \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Business Address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**To the Applicant:** In order to complete the admissions process, after you obtain your certificate of eligibility to practice law from the Board of Law Examiners, complete your registration with the Board of Professional Responsibility, and pay the required fee invoice (including the new license fee and the interim registration fee), you should be administered the oath by a judicial official set forth in Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 6 and return this completed application/affidavit to the Office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court at the following address:

Supreme Court Clerk  
401 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue North  
Nashville, TN 37219

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR  
COMITY AND UBE TRANSFER APPLICANTS  
TO BE ADMITTED TO THE  
BAR OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE**

- 1. Once you have obtained your certificate of eligibility to practice law from the Board of Law Examiners, you must register with the Board of Professional Responsibility. Registration with the Board must be completed through the Board's attorney portal. You will receive a Welcome Email from the Board of Professional Responsibility with instructions for completion of the registration requirements.**
  
- 2. After completing the on-line registration, you are required to pay your fee invoice to the Board of Professional Responsibility through the Board's attorney portal by credit or debit card. Included on your fee invoice will be a new license fee in the amount of \$250.00, which consists of a \$150.00 fee to the Board of Law Examiners, \$50.00 to the Supreme Court Clerk's Office, and \$50.00 to the Board of Professional Responsibility. In addition to the new license fee, a Comity or UBE Transfer Applicant's fee invoice will also include a prorated interim annual registration amount based upon the attorney's registration date and the date of the attorney's next annual registration requirements (which are due on the first day of the attorney's birth month). This is explained further in the Welcome Email. Should you have questions about the fee invoice, please email [registration@tbpr.org](mailto:registration@tbpr.org). Please be aware that all payments through the Board's attorney portal are charged a convenience fee by the State of Tennessee's credit card processing vendor.**
  
- 3. After you have completed your registration requirements, you should complete the Admission by Affidavit Form, be administered the oath of office by a judicial official set forth in Supreme Court Rule 6, and sign, along with the judicial official, the affidavit portion of the form. After completion of the form and obtaining all signatures, you must then submit the Admission by Affidavit Form to the Supreme Court Clerk's Office at the address set forth in the form.**