



Vermont Criminal Justice Council

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I hereby authorize _____ (Hiring Agency) and its authorized representatives bearing this release, or a copy thereof, to obtain any information from my current or former agencies regarding my current or prior performance as an employee of that agency. I permit my current or past agency to disclose information including but not limited to an analysis of my performance as a law enforcement officer and the reason that I am no longer employed with that agency, if applicable.

I hereby direct you to release such information upon request of the bearer of this release. This release is executed with the full knowledge and understanding that the requested information is for official use only.

I understand that the Hiring Agency has a duty to contact my current and/or former agency pursuant to 20 V.S.A. § 2362a. I also understand that any information released by my current or former agency to the Hiring Agency will be kept confidential. 20 V.S.A. 2362a(c).

I hereby release you, as the holder of my employment information, and your officers, employees, or related personnel, both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may result to me, my heirs, family or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information or attempt to comply with it.

Should there be any question as to the validity of this release, you may contact me as indicated below:

Applicant's name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Applicant's Notarized Signature: _____

Sworn to and signed before me, on this ____ day of _____, 20__, in _____ county, in the State of _____.

Signature of Notary Public: _____

Printed Name of Notary Public: _____ Expiration Date: _____