

# APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP

(See Special Instructions on other side)

Applicant must hold an official receipt for dues for the current year, issued by a regular Chapter in Tennessee or one chartered by a Grand Chapter which is recognized by the Grand Chapter of Tennessee, before this application may be accepted. BE SURE THE APPLICANT SIGNS BOTH APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER AND REQUEST FOR DEMIT.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_  
to the Worthy Matron, Officers and Members of \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ Order of Eastern Star in Tennessee:  
The undersigned, at present a member in good standing of \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ located at \_\_\_\_\_  
against whom no charges are pending, desires to transfer \_\_\_\_\_ membership from said Chapter to your Chapter, and hereby makes application for  
membership in same, pledging \_\_\_\_\_, if elected, to a cheerful and faithful obedience to the by-laws of your Chapter.

initiated \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
state of \_\_\_\_\_

## RECOMMENDED BY

Sign all given names in full

Address of Applicant (Also sign application for demit below)

Note to Secretary of Chapter receiving this application:

Complete the lower portion of this form, AFTER YOUR CHAPTER HAS ELECTED THE APPLICANT, detach and mail it to the Secretary of the Chapter from which transfer is sought. If action of your Chapter is unfavorable, or for any reason the applicant is not elected, no notice should be sent the other Chapter. EFFECTIVE DATE OF MEMBERSHIP IN YOUR CHAPTER IS THE DATE ON THE DEMIT, NOT the date of the applicant's election by your Chapter.

## NOTICE OF ELECTION AND REQUEST FOR DEMIT

to the Worthy Matron, Officers and Members of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_  
Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ held at \_\_\_\_\_

Herewith the application for a Demit, of \_\_\_\_\_ a member of your Chapter, who has been elected to membership by affiliation in  
Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ held at \_\_\_\_\_, TN, conditioned to and effective upon issuance of a demit by your Chapter,  
which \_\_\_\_\_ requests that you mail direct to me, the secretary of said Chapter.

Fraternally yours,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sect.

(Secretary's address)

SEAL

\_\_\_\_\_, TN

The undersigned, a member in good standing of the above Chapter, respectfully requests that a Demit be issued and mailed directly to the above named Secretary.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant's signature—full name)

Note to Demitting Secretary.

Please mail Demit promptly or advise why it cannot be granted. Use regular Demit form, or the bottom section of this form may be detached and used.

## DEMIT

(CERTIFICATE OF TRANSFER)

Know ye that \_\_\_\_\_ having applied in writing for a demit terminating membership, and being in good standing, and having  
all sums regularly charged against member, was demitted at a regular stated meeting of this Chapter, held on the date shown below.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and caused the seal of this Chapter

To be affixed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

(This date is important as the applicant's membership ceases in your Chapter and becomes effective in the new Chapter thereon.)

SEAL

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chapter No. \_\_\_\_\_ (Location)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary

\_\_\_\_\_  
Worthy Matron

1 officers should sign if possible, however Tennessee law permits acceptance with Secretary's signature and seal.)

Date Initiated .....

In.....Chapter No .....

held at .....  
(Town and State)

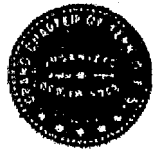
Date Affiliated.....

From.....Chapter No .....

held at .....  
(Town and State)

**GRAND CHAPTER ORDER OF EASTERN STAR  
IN TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE, TN**

This is to certify that the Chapter named on the reverse side hereof is a regularly constituted Chapter working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter in Tennessee.



**Lawanna Johnson  
Grand Secretary**

**NOTE TO DEMITTING SECRETARIES**

Demits can be granted ONLY at stated meetings and the date of the Demit must be the date of the stated meeting of your Chapter at which it was granted. The petitioner's membership ceases in your Chapter and becomes effective in the new Chapter on that date.

**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Be sure that applicant holds an official receipt for dues for the current year, issued by a regular Chapter chartered by the Grand Chapter of Tennessee.

2. This application should be handled exactly like a petition for the Degrees. Unanimous ballot is required for election.

3. Send no notice or inquiry to the other Chapter until AFTER the ballot is spread. If elected, complete the NOTICE OF ELECTION AND REQUEST FOR DEMIT, detach the lower half of the form and mail to the Secretary of the other Chapter. Addresses of Tennessee Chapter Secretaries will be found in the Proceedings, If address of out of state Secretary cannot be ascertained from applicant, mail to the Grand Secretary, and she will forward to the proper address. If the petition is rejected notify the applicant but do NOT NOTIFY THE OTHER CHAPTER, as.....membership remains therein. Do not return the petition to applicant; file it with your records.

4. IMPORTANT. Do not enroll the applicant as a member of your Chapter, until..... Demit is received, then ENROLL MEMBER AS OF THE DATE APPEARING ON THE DEMIT, NOT THE DATE MEMBER WAS ELECTED BY YOUR CHAPTER.

THIS FORM CAN BE HANDLED DIRECT WITH CHAPTER SECRETARIES IN THIS OR ANY OTHER GRAND JURISDICTION.

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.....Chapter No. ....

**ORDER OF EASTERN STAR**

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**PETITION OF**

**FOR AFFILIATION BY TRANSFER**

Presented.....20.....

Referred to

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**Committee**

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The undersigned Committee, to whom was referred to within petition, would .....

Recommend his/her admission.

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Elected ..... 20.....

Rejected ..... 20 .....

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