MISSISSIPPI BLACK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Board of Directors — Member Application

"Growing Businesses, Leaders, and Wealth within our Business Community ."

The Mississippi Black Chamber of Commerce (MSBCC) welcomes individuals, entrepreneurs, and businesses who are committed to economic growth, community development, and expanding opportunities for Mississippi's Black business ecosystem.

Membership dues begin at **$10.00** and increase based on business size. Dues may be paid via check or online at **www.msblackchamber.com**.

SECTION 1 — PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name: Preferred Name / Nickname (if any):

Date of Birth: Gender (optional):

Race / Ethnicity (optional — select all that apply): ☐ Black / African American ☐ White / Caucasian ☐ Hispanic / Latino ☐ Asian / Pacific Islander ☐ Native American / Indigenous ☐ Multiracial ☐ Prefer not to answer ☐ Other: _____

City of Residence: ZIP Code:

Phone Number: Email Address:

SECTION 2 — BUSINESS INFORMATION

Do you own a business? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Business / Employer Name: Your Title / Role:

Industry / Type of Business: ☐ Construction & Contracting ☐ Professional Services (Legal, Accounting, Consulting) ☐ Healthcare & Wellness ☐ Technology & Innovation ☐ Retail & Consumer Goods ☐ Food & Hospitality ☐ Real Estate & Development ☐ Finance & Banking ☐ Education & Training ☐ Marketing & Media ☐ Transportation & Logistics ☐ Nonprofit / Community Organization ☐ Government / Public Sector ☐ Other: _____

Business Size: ☐ Sole Proprietor (1 person) ☐ Micro Business (2–10 employees) ☐ Small Business (11–50 employees) ☐ Medium Business (51–250 employees) ☐ Large Business (250+ employees)

Number of Employees: Years in Business / Current Role:

Business Website: Business Social Media Handle(s):

City / County of Business Operations:

Is your business currently a member of the MSBCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Interested in becoming a member

SECTION 3 — MEMBERSHIP INTEREST

Why do you want to join the Mississippi Black Chamber of Commerce?

How do you hope MSBCC can support your business or professional goals?

What contributions, skills, or engagement do you hope to bring to the MSBCC community?

SECTION 4 — MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership dues begin at **$10.00** and increase based on business size:

- Individual / Non-Business Member — **$10**
- Micro Business (2–10 employees) — **$50**
- Small Business (11–50 employees) — **$250**
- Medium Business (51–250 employees) — **$1500**
- Large/Corporate Business (250+ employees) — **$5000**

Please select your dues category: ☐ Individual ($10) ☐ Micro Business ($50) ☐ Small Business ($250) ☐ Medium Business ($1500) ☐ Large/Corporate Business ($5000)

SECTION 5 — CERTIFICATION & SIGNATURE

"By signing below, I certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that submission of this application does not guarantee acceptance into the MSBCC membership."

Signature: Date:

Printed Name:

Submit to: Mississippi Black Chamber of Commerce | info@msblackchamber.com | www.msblalckchamber.com | (601) 209-9199

The MSBCC is an equal opportunity organization. All are welcome to apply.

J.R. JONES, CHAIRMAN I BISHOP R. CRUDUP VICE-CHAIR I SOCRATES GARRETT, PRESIDENT

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