



**MOST WORSHIPFUL PRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE
of
FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS of the STATE of SOUTH CAROLINA**



**Order of the Knights of Pythagoras
Background Check Form**

*Submit **this form** along with a **background check** from www.sentrylink.com to rwgrandsecretary@gmail.com, so that it may be reviewed by the Grand Lodge Background Check Committee. After it has been approved by the background check committee, it will then be forwarded to the South Carolina Order of the Knights of Pythagoras (KOP) for processing and procedures for membership.*

I, _____ hereby authorize the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of South Carolina (MWPHGLSC), permission to transmit my criminal background check for the purpose of participation in the Order of the Knights of Pythagoras. I understand that criminal background checks may disclose any local, state, or federal files, including those maintained by both public and private organizations. I understand that the information will be reviewed and used as material for my qualifications for participation. I understand that a telephone facsimile (fax), xerographic copy (paper), or digital copy (email) of the criminal background check and this consent form, shall be considered as valid as the original. I understand that any false or altered criminal background check will be sufficient for rejection of my participation.

I hereby consent to the MWPHGLSC permission to transmit my criminal background check and this consent form via fax, paper copy, or email. I hereby agree to release all liability to the MWPHGLSC, including its members, from any actions that otherwise might arise from supplying the criminal background check.

To Be Completed by Interested Master Mason

Master Mason Name (Print): _____

Master Mason Signature: _____

Date: _____

To Be Completed by the Worshipful Master of Master Mason's Lodge

I _____, Worshipful Master of _____ Lodge # _____, am **aware** that the said Brother above is interested in participating with the Order of the Knights of Pythagoras. I verify that he is in good standing, and I have no reservations about his participation.

Worshipful Master Signature: _____

Date: _____

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