

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

or

\_\_\_\_\_,  
A Municipal Corporation,

v.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant/Petitioner

No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**PETITION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF GOOD CONDUCT OR TO ENLARGE THE  
RELIEF PREVIOUSLY GRANTED IN A CERTIFICATE OF GOOD CONDUCT**

Pursuant to 730 ILCS 5/5-5.5-5 *et. seq.* the Petitioner petitions the Court to hold a rehabilitation review and to order that  Defendant/Petitioner has qualified for a Certificate of Good Conduct or  the relief previously granted in a Certificate of Good Conduct shall be enlarged, and in support of the Petition states as follows:

1. Petitioner has not been convicted more than twice of a felony, as defined by 730 ILCS 5/5-5.5-5.
2. Petitioner has not been convicted of
  - a. An offense or attempted offense under the Sex Offender Registration Act, 730 ILCS 150/1 *et. seq.*
  - b. An offense or attempted offense under the Arsonist Registration Act, 730 ILCS 148/1 *et. seq.*
  - c. An offense or attempted offense under the Child Murderer and Violent Offender Against Youth Registration Act, 730 ILCS 154/1 *et. seq.*
  - d. An offense or attempted offense of a Class X felony
  - e. An offense or attempted offense of aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol, other drugs or intoxicating compounds
  - f. An offense or attempted offense of aggravated domestic battery
  - g. An offense or attempted offense of forcible felony (first or second degree murder, aggravated arson, arson, aggravated kidnapping, kidnapping, aggravated battery that resulted in great bodily harm or permanent disability and any other felony that involved the use of physical force or violence against any individual that resulted in great bodily harm or permanent disability).
3. Petitioner has conducted him/herself in a manner warranting the issuance of the Certificate for the following time period:
  - a. One year, if the most serious crime was a Misdemeanor, or
  - b. Three years if the most serious crime was a Class 1, 2, 3 or 4 felonyThe minimum period of good conduct shall be measured either from the date of (a) the payment of any fine imposed or (b) release from custody by parole, mandatory supervised release or commutation or termination of sentence.
4. Petitioner understands that, for purposes of this Petition:
  - a. "Felony" means a conviction of a felony in this State or an offense in any other jurisdiction for which a sentence to a term of imprisonment in excess of one year was authorized.
  - b. "Conviction" includes a plea or a verdict of guilty upon which a sentence of probation, conditional discharge or supervision was imposed.
  - c. The following shall be deemed to be only one felony conviction:
    - i. Two or more convictions of felonies charged in separate counts of one indictment or information.
    - ii. Two or more convictions of felonies charged in two or more indictments or information filed in the same court prior to entry of judgment under any of them.

5.  The Petitioner was convicted of a crime not within the State of Illinois and there exist specific facts and circumstances and specific sections of Illinois State law that have no adverse impact on the applicant and warrant the application for relief to be made in Illinois, as follows:

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\_\_\_\_\_

(Attach additional pages and/or supporting documents when necessary.)

6.  The Petitioner is presently under the conditions of parole or mandatory supervised release imposed by the Prisoner Review Board and therefore requests a temporary Certificate of Good Conduct until the time s/he is discharged from the terms of parole or mandatory supervised release, pursuant to 730 ILCS 5/5-5.5-30(e).

7.  The Petitioner was previously granted a Certificate of Good Conduct on \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and seeks enlargement of that Certificate pursuant to 730 ILCS 5/5-5.5-30(d). (Attach a copy of the court order granting the Certificate).

8. The Petitioner states the relief should be granted for the following reasons:

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(Attach additional pages and/or supporting documents when necessary.)

9. The relief to be granted by the Certificate is consistent with the rehabilitation of the Petitioner.

10. The relief to be granted by the Certificate is consistent with the public interest.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner petitions this court to make a specific finding of rehabilitation with the force and effect of a final judgment on the merits, and;

- A.  Issue a Certificate of Good Conduct for the Petitioner or
- B.  Enlarge the relief offered by the Certificate of Good Conduct previously issued to Petitioner.
- C.  Issue a temporary Certificate of Good Conduct.

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Signature of *Pro Se* Petitioner (or Attorney)

**VERIFICATION BY CERTIFICATION**

Under penalties as provided by law pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 735 ILCS 5/1-109, the undersigned certifies that the statements set forth in this instrument are true and correct, except as to matters therein stated to be on information and belief and as to such matters the undersigned certifies as aforesaid that s/he verily believes the same to be true.

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Petitioner

Atty. No.: \_\_\_\_\_ *Pro Se* 99500

Attorney (or *Pro Se* Petitioner):

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