

STATE OF NEVADA

PROCEDURE FOR GRANTING INDIGENT STATUS FOR A DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY



Secretary of State Barbara K. Cegavske

Pursuant to an Attorney General's Opinion dated July 18, 1974, a person applying for indigent status to run for political office may do so by completing an "Affidavit in Support of Indigent's Declaration of Candidacy." This form is designed to determine whether the candidate filing fee may be waived for those who do not have the means to pay. Pursuant to NRS 293.247, the Secretary of State prescribes the following criteria to determine whether indigent status is to be granted to a person who completes the affidavit;

The applicant's request for waiving the candidate filing fee shall be granted if:

- 1 The applicant is currently employed but earns monthly wages/income less than the amount of the filing fee; or
- 1 The applicant is not currently employed; or
- 1 Income from a business, profession or other form of self-employment, or in the form of rent payments, interest, dividends, or other income such as welfare, unemployment, disability, pensions, etc., within the past twelve (12) months is less than the amount of the filing fee; or
- 1 The total value of cash, checking, or savings accounts owned is less than the amount of the filing fee; or
- 1 The total value of real estate, stocks, bonds, notes, automobiles, or other valuable property (excluding ordinary household furnishings and clothing) is less than the amount of the filing fee; or

The applicant's request for waiving the candidate filing fee shall NOT be granted if:

- 1 The applicant is currently employed and earns monthly wages/income more than the amount of the filing fee; or
- or
- 1 Income from a business, profession or other form of self-employment, or in the form of rent payments, interest, dividends, or other income such as welfare, unemployment, disability, pensions, etc., within the past twelve (12) months is more than the amount of the filing fee; or
- 1 The total value of cash, checking, or savings accounts owned is more than the amount of the filing fee; or
- 1 The total value of real estate, stocks, bonds, notes, automobiles, or other valuable property (excluding ordinary household furnishings and clothing) is more than the amount of the filing fee.

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AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF INDIGENT'S
DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY**



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AFFIDAVIT

I, _____ (print name), being first duly sworn, depose and say that: I have filed a Declaration of Candidacy for the office of _____ ; That in support of filing said Declaration of Candidacy without paying the filing fees required by NRS 293.193, I state that because of my poverty I am unable to pay said filing fees.

I further swear that the responses which I have made to the questions and instructions below relating to my ability to pay the filing fees required by law are true.

1. Are you presently employed? Yes No

If the answer is "Yes," state the amount of your salary or wages per month and give the name and address of your employer. If the answer is "No," state the date of your last employment and the amount of the salary and wages per month which you received. _____

2. Have you received within the past twelve (12) months any income from a business, profession or other form of self-employment, or in the form of rent payment, interest, dividends, or other sources? Yes No

If the answer is "Yes," describe each source of income, and state the amount received from each during the past twelve (12) months.

3. Do you own any cash, checking or savings accounts? Yes No

If the answer is "Yes," state the total value of the items owned.

4. Do you own any real state, stocks, bonds, notes, automobiles or other valuable property (excluding ordinary household furnishings and clothing)? Yes No

If the answer is "Yes," state the total value of the items owned.

List the persons who are dependent upon you for support and state your relationship to those persons.

I understand that a false statement or answer to any question in the Affidavit will subject me to penalties for perjury.

State of Nevada
County of _____

Subscribed and sworn or affirmed to before me this _____
day of the month of _____ of the year 20 _____.

Signature of Candidate

Name of Candidate

Notary Public or other person authorized to administer an oath