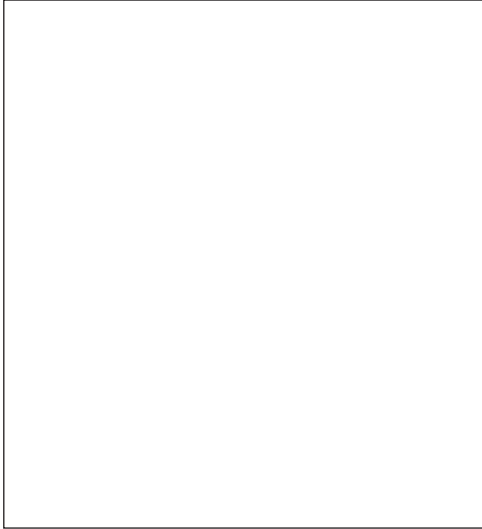


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XIX. PHOTOGRAPH

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All Applicants - For identification, attach an unmounted full-face photograph of yourself, no larger than 2 3/4 x 2 1/2 inches. Print your name plainly on the back of the photograph. The photograph must be taken no more than 3 months prior to the date of this application. Please note that this photograph, as well as other materials that you submit, will become the property of the FBI and will not be returned.

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ATTENTION - THIS STATEMENT MUST BE SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT

I understand that I will be required to submit to a pre-employment polygraph examination to assist the Federal Bureau of Investigation in determining my qualifications for a Top Secret Security Clearance and suitability for employment.

I understand that all appointments are probationary for a period of one year, except for Special Agents and Forensic Examiners which have a probationary period of two years, during which time I must demonstrate my fitness for continued employment with the Federal Bureau of Investigation. I understand that, in many parts of the FBI, it has been necessary to establish regular night and midnight shifts, as well as weekend duty, and that I may be required to work such schedules as needs arise. I further understand that any appointment offered to me will be contingent on the results of a complete character and fitness investigation, and I am aware notwithstanding a State Expungement Order concerning criminal history that willfully withholding information or making false statements on this application will be grounds for dismissal from the Federal Bureau of Investigation and constitutes a violation of Section 1001, Title 18 of the U.S. Criminal Code. I agree to these conditions and hereby certify that all of my statements on this application are, to the best of my knowledge, true and complete.

Finally, I understand that as an applicant for employment with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, I have been notified that if I believe I have been discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, age (must be at least 40 years old) or disability (mental or physical or both), or as a reprisal for previous involvement in the EEO process, I must contact an EEO Counselor at any FBI field office or at FBI Headquarters **within 45 calendar days** of an alleged discriminatory action. I also understand that if I fail to contact a counselor within 45 days, it is likely that I may forfeit my right to pursue a claim of discrimination.

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Printed Name

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Signature (as usually written, without nicknames)

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Date