STATE OF MISSOURI AFFIDAVIT OF ABSENT APPLICANT AND APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE (Rev 7-14-15)

[NOTE: THIS AFFIDAVIT MUST BE DATED SIX MONTHS OR LESS PRIOR TO THE PRESENTATION OF THE COMPLETED APPLICATION TO THE RECORDER OF DEEDS.]

STATE OF __________________________
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COUNTY OF _______________________
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__________________________________________ (Absent Applicant),

first being duly sworn on this ___ day of __________________________, 20___, on his/her oath states:

(Please print all information)

Name (First, Middle, Last) ____________________________________________________________

Social Security No: _____________________________ (If do not have a Social Security Number, check here ________)

Please check one: ___ Male ___ Female

State birth name if different: __________________________________________________________

Age Last Birthday___ Date of Birth (Month, Day, Year): _____________________________

(Note: You must be eighteen years of age in order to submit this Affidavit.)

Birthplace (State or Country) _______________________________________________________

Residence (City, Town or Location) ________________________________________________

County __________________ State ___________________ Zip __________

Number of this Marriage: ______

If previously married, last marriage ended by ___ Death; ___ Dissolution; ___ Annulment

Date last marriage ended: Month ___________________ Year __________

Race: ___ White; ___ Black; ___ American Indian; ___ Other (Specify) ______________________

Education (Specify highest grade completed) K-12 _____ College (No. of years completed) __________________

I affirm I am over the age of 18 years of age, am legally competent to make an affidavit and do so on the basis of personal knowledge, and have capacity to enter into a marriage contract.

I affirm this proposed marriage is NOT a marriage between parent and child, between grandparent and grandchild of any degree, between brother and sister of the half or the whole blood, between uncle and niece, between aunt and nephew or between first cousins.

I also affirm that I have not been adjudged incapacitated.
I have attached a copy of one or more government issued identifications, which contain my photo. (If no photo is available/attached, check here □ □ □)

I affirm I am making this Affidavit and Application for Marriage License to marry the following person:

Name (First, Middle, Last):

I am unable to appear in the presence of a Recorder of Deeds in the State of Missouri, for the reason selected below, which is confirmed by the Verification attached to this affidavit:

(Select one that applies)

□ I am currently incarcerated at _______________________________; or
□ I am currently on active military duty at _______________________________; or
□ I have been diagnosed with a significant disability subject to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

I, _____________________________________________ (Absent Applicant) solemnly swear (or Affirm) that the information I have given in this Affidavit of Absent Applicant and completed Application for Marriage License to obtain a marriage license for the State of Missouri is true and correct.

Signature of Absent Applicant _____________________________________________

(Print Name) __________________________________________________________________________

State of ________________________________ )

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County of ____________________________________________

Subscribed and sworn to before me by ____________________________________________, who personally appeared before me and is known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing Affidavit of Absent Applicant and Application for Marriage License and acknowledged that the facts set forth herein are true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge and information and that he/she executed the Affidavit of Absent Applicant and Applicant for Marriage License as his/her free act and deed.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on this ________ day of

___________________________________________________________________________ 20___

(Seal) _______________________________________________________________________

Signature ___________________________________________________________________

(Print name) ___________________________________________________________________

Title _________________________________________________________________________ My

Commission expires: ___________________________________________________________
VERIFICATION OF PERSON ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY

I ________________________________ (Commanding Officer or Designee)

hereby certify that I am the Commanding Officer (or the commander’s designee) of ____________________________

__________________________________ (Name of Military Person/Applicant) who is located at:

__________________________________ [military unit designation and location], am currently over the age of 18 years of age; am legally competent to make an affidavit; and do so on the basis of personal knowledge.

I certify that ________________________________ (Name of Absent Applicant) is the person who executed this Affidavit of Absent Applicant and Application for Marriage License and is currently stationed at ____________________________ and is unable to appear before the Recorder of Deeds or the Recorder’s deputy for ____________________________ County, Missouri.

I also certify that the social security number listed by ____________________________ (Name of Absent Applicant) on the Affidavit of Absent Applicant and Application for Marriage License is consistent with the records maintained by the foregoing military.

Signature ____________________________

(Print name beneath signature)

Title/Rank or Grade ____________________________

Date ____________________________