

12. Have you passed a backflow prevention examination?
 No
 Yes Examination date: _____
13. Which of the following requirements have you met in order to qualify for the backflow prevention device worker certification? Check only **one**.
 Four years of practical experience in water distribution systems and 40 hours of formal vocational training in a school approved by the Board for Contractors.
 Seven or more years of practical experience in the trade and 16 hours of formal vocational training in a school approved by the Board for Contractors.
 Current license or certificate holder in another state or jurisdiction. Please attach a copy of your current certificate to your completed application.
14. Have you been subject to disciplinary action imposed by any (including Virginia) local, state or national regulatory body?
 No
 Yes If yes, please provide a certified copy of the final order, decree or case decision by a court or regulatory agency with lawful authority to issue such order, decree or case decision.
15. A. Have you ever been convicted in any jurisdiction of **any felony**? *Any guilty plea or plea of nolo contendere must be disclosed on this application. Do not disclose violations that were adjudicated as a minor in the juvenile court system.*
 No
 Yes If yes, please provide the information requested in #14.C.
- B. Have you ever been convicted in any jurisdiction of **any misdemeanor**? *Any guilty plea or plea of nolo contendere must be disclosed on this application. Do not disclose violations that were adjudicated as a minor in the juvenile court system.*
 No
 Yes If yes, please provide the information requested in #14.C.

C. **Please read the following instructions carefully!**

If you answered "yes" to either question #14.A. or #14.B., list the felony and/or misdemeanor conviction(s). Attach your original criminal history record; a certified copy of the final order, decree or case decision by a court or regulatory agency with lawful authority to issue such order, decree or case decision; **and** any other information you wish to have considered with this application (i.e., information on the status of incarceration, parole or probation; reference letters; documentation of rehabilitation; etc.). If necessary, you may attach a separate sheet of paper.

Original criminal history records may be obtained by contacting the state police in the jurisdiction in which you were convicted. Virginia residents must complete a criminal history record request form in the presence of a notary public and mail it to the Department of State Police, Central Criminal Records Exchange, Post Office Box 27472, Midlothian, Virginia 23261-7472. Certified copies of court records may be obtained by writing to the Clerk of the Court in the jurisdiction in which you were convicted. The address is available from your local police department.

Note: If you have submitted the required documentation to the Virginia Board for Contractors with a previous application, which resulted in the issuance of a Tradesman or Contractors License, and you do not have any additional felony and misdemeanor convictions, you do not have to submit the information listed above. Instead, you must submit a document with your application package which includes 1) Tradesman or Contractor License Number(s) which were issued following the Board's review of the same criminal conviction documents, 2) a statement that you have not been convicted of any additional felonies and misdemeanors, 3) the date, and 4) your signature.

By signing this application, you acknowledge that if you are not a Virginia resident, or move outside of Virginia while you hold a valid state-issued Virginia Tradesman License, you understand that this application serves as a written power of attorney, whereby you appoint the Director of the Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation, and his/her successors in office, to be your true and lawful agency and attorney-in-fact, in your stead, upon whom all legal process against and notice to you may be served and who is hereby authorized to enter an appearance in your behalf in any case or proceedings arising out of the trade or profession practiced; and that by submitting this application, you hereby agree that any lawful process against you which is duly served on said agent and attorney-in-fact shall be of the same legal force and validity as if served upon you.

§ 18-VAC-50-30-30.7 of the *Board for Contractors Individual License and Certification Regulations* states, "Each non-resident applicant for a tradesman license or certificate shall file and maintain with the department an irrevocable consent for the department to serve as service agent for all actions filed in any court in this Commonwealth. In those instances where service is required, the director of the department will mail the court document to the individual at the address of record."

15. I, the undersigned, certify that the foregoing statements and answers are true, and I have not suppressed any information that might affect the Board's decision to approve this application. I will notify the Department if I am subject to any disciplinary action; or convicted of any felony or misdemeanor charges (in any jurisdiction) prior to receiving the requested certification. I also certify that I understand, and have complied with, all the laws of Virginia related to contractors licensure under the provisions of Title 54.1, Chapter 11 of the *Code of Virginia*, and the *Board for Contractors Individual License and Certification Regulations*.

Signature _____ Title _____ Date _____

* State law requires every applicant for a license, certificate, registration, or other authorization to engage in a business, trade, profession, or occupation issued by the Commonwealth to provide a social security number or a control number issued by the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles.