

GEORGIA AUCTIONEER COMMISSION

237 Coliseum Dr.
Macon, GA 31217
478.207.2440
www.sos.ga.gov/plb/auctioneer

Application for Auction Company License

I am applying for (select one):

Initial Auction Company License - Fees: \$200 non-refundable fee payable to Auctioneer Commission
PLUS mandatory separate \$150 fee payable to Recover Fund

Reinstatement of License # _____ - Fee: \$400 non-refundable reinstatement fee payable to Auctioneer Commission

Trade Name/DBA Name: _____ Fed. Emp. ID #: _____

Email Address: (required for notifications from the Commission): _____

Mailing Address:

Street / PO Box

City, State, Zip County Business Telephone

Physical Location Address (will appear on license and on SOS website):

Address (cannot use PO Box for this address)

City, State, Zip County

Applicant's Name: _____ Position with Company: _____

First, Middle, Last, Suffix

Social Security No.* _____ - _____ - _____ Date of Birth** : ____/____/____ Place of Birth: _____

*this information is authorized to be obtained & disclosed to State and Federal Agencies pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 20-3-295, 42 U.S.C.A. § 551 & 20 U.S.C.A. § 1001 **applicant must be at least 18 years old to qualify for licensure City, State, Country

Gender: ____ Male ____ Female Georgia Resident: ____Yes ____No

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Ownership / Relationship Information

SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP

Owner Name: _____

Residence Address: _____
STREET(NOT A P.O. BOX), CITY, STATE, ZIP TELEPHONE

CORPORATIONS & LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES

Date Registered with Georgia Secretary of State: _____

Legal Business Name: _____

Principal Officers:

Name: _____ Title/Position: _____

Residence Address: _____
STREET(NOT A P.O. BOX), CITY, STATE, ZIP TELEPHONE

Name: _____ Title/Position: _____

Residence Address: _____
STREET(NOT A P.O. BOX), CITY, STATE, ZIP TELEPHONE

PARTNERSHIPS

Partners:

Name: _____ Title/Position: _____

Residence Address: _____
STREET(NOT A P.O. BOX), CITY, STATE, ZIP TELEPHONE

Name: _____ Title/Position: _____

Residence Address: _____
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(attach additional pages if needed)

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THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED BY THE APPLICANT FOR THE COMPANY:

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| <p>1. <u>Arrest, conviction, sentence</u>: Have you ever been arrested, convicted, or sentenced for any felony, misdemeanor, DWI, DUI, or any other offense? If so, attach a complete list of all convictions detailing dates and locations where such convictions occurred, including certified court dispositions. <u>Failure to provide complete and true information as requested allows the board to refuse to grant a license (o.c.g.a. § 43-1-19(a)(2)) and if license has already been granted, allows the board to immediately suspend that license(o.c.g.a. § 43-6-18(9)).</u></p> | YES | NO |
| <p>2. <u>Pleas and First Offender</u>: Have you ever pled guilty or nolo contendere, or received first offender treatment for any felony, misdemeanor, DWI, DUI, or any other? If so, attach a complete list of all nolo contendere pleas, or crimes for which you have received first offender treatment, detailing dates and locations where such nolo pleas, or first offender treatments occurred, including certified court dispositions. <u>Failure to provide complete and true information as requested allows the board to refuse to grant a license (o.c.g.a. § 43-1-19(a)(2)) and if license has already been granted, allows the board to immediately suspend that license(o.c.g.a. § 43-6-18(9)).</u></p> | YES | NO |
| <p>3. <u>License revocation, suspension, sanction</u>: Have you ever had a license revoked, suspended, or otherwise sanctioned by any board or agency, or have you ever been denied issuance of or, pursuant to disciplinary proceedings, refused renewal of a license by any board or agency in any state, including Georgia? If so, attach explanation and certified copies of all disciplinary documents.</p> | YES | NO |

ESCROW / TRUST ACCOUNT INFORMATION

O.C.G.A § 43-6-11.1(D) requires that an Auction Company maintain at all times an active trust account and must register such account with the Georgia Auctioneer Commission.

Complete the following authorization permitting a duly authorized representative of the Auctioneer Commission to examine the escrow or trustee account, when so directed by the Commission.

Name as it Appears on the Account	
Name of Bank	Account #
Bank Address (street, city, state, zip)	

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AFFIDAVIT OF THE APPLICANT

I hereby swear and affirm that all information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further swear and affirm that I have read and understand the current state laws and rules and regulations of the Georgia Auctioneers Commission, and I agree to abide by these laws and rules, as amended from time to time. I hereby authorize the Georgia Auctioneer Commission and/or authorized representative of the Georgia Auctioneer Commission to examine any information concerning the escrow/trust account noted in this application.

By signing this application, electronically or otherwise, I hereby swear and affirm one of the following to be true and accurate pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 50-36-1:

1) _____ I am a United States citizen 18 years of age or older. **Please submit a copy of your current Secure and Verifiable Document(s) such as driver’s license, passport, or other document referenced on our website, www.sos.ga.gov/plb, under QuickLinks.**

2) _____ I am not a United States citizen, but I am a legal permanent resident of the United States 18 years of age or older, or I am a qualified alien or non-immigrant under the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act 18 years of age or older with an alien number issued by the Department of Homeland Security or other federal immigration agency. **Please submit a copy of your current immigration document(s) which includes either your Alien number or your I-94 number and, if needed, SEVIS number.**

In making the above attestation, I understand that any failure to make full and accurate disclosures may result in disciplinary action by the Georgia Auctioneers Commission and/or criminal prosecution.

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT FOR THE COMPANY

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME
THIS ___ DAY OF _____, _____

PRINT NAME

NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

DATE

GEORGIA AUCTIONEER COMMISSION

NON-RESIDENT AUCTION COMPANY APPLICANTS ONLY

DESIGNATION OF AGENT
FOR THE SERVICE OF PROCESS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

The undersigned _____ being an applicant for licensure as a non-resident Auction Company in the State of Georgia, does hereby irrevocably designate and appoint the Division Director, Professional Licensing Division, State of Georgia, as its agent for the purpose of accepting service of any and all process issued by any court located within the State of Georgia, as well as service of all pleadings and other papers, relating in any way to any action, suit or legal proceeding arising out of or pertaining to its duties or responsibilities as an Auction Company in the State of Georgia. The undersigned further consents, stipulates and agrees that any lawful process served upon the aforesaid agent shall have the same legal force and validity as if served upon the undersigned personally within the State of Georgia and that the authority contained here shall continue in force and effect so long as any liability against the undersigned remains outstanding in the State of Georgia.

This ____ day of _____, _____.

Signature of Applicant for Company

Printed Name of Applicant for Company

State of _____, County of _____

The above-named personally appeared before the undersigned Notary Public in and for the above-named County and State, the day and date above-named, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of such applicant for the purposes therein set forth.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS

_____ DAY OF _____, _____

SEAL

NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: _____

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FEE SCHEDULE

(Application fees are non-refundable.)

AUCTIONEER LICENSE	
Penalty Fee for Unlicensed Practice (acting as auctioneer prior to licensure)	\$250.00
Initial Application Fee	\$200.00
Auctioneer Recovery Fund Fee (required with initial application, payable to "Recovery Fund")	\$150.00
Renewal Fee – Received by February 28 of Renewal Year (even numbered years)	\$150.00
Late Renewal Fee – Received Between February 28 and May 31 of Renewal Year (renewal fee + \$100 late fee)	\$250.00
Reinstatement Fee, new application required – for licensure after May 31 of renewal year – reinstatement is not guaranteed but is at the Commission's discretion.	\$400.00
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AUCTIONEER SCHOOL	
Initial Application Fee	\$195.00
Renewal Fee - received by February 28 of the Renewal Year (even numbered years)	\$100.00
OTHER FEES	
License Verification Letter	\$ 25.00
Duplicate License (Pocket Card) Fee	\$ 25.00
Decorative Wall Certificate	\$ 50.00
Examination Fee (Contact PSI for exam information)	

Checks or money orders should be made payable to Georgia Auctioneers Commission, unless otherwise noted. Application fees are non-refundable. Checks returned for insufficient funds will be assessed a service charge pursuant to O.C.G.A. §16-9-20.