

## PETITION FOR THE DEGREES OF SYMBOLIC MASONRY

To the officers and members of **THE MASONIC HIGH COUNCIL, REGULAR GRAND LODGE OF ENGLAND**, meeting at **London, England**.

1. I, *(Full Names)* \_\_\_\_\_, respectfully petition for the Masonic Degree of **Entered Apprentice**.
2. I have resided in **The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland** continuously since *(Date)* \_\_\_\_\_
3. Private Residential Address *(Including Postcode)*: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. Business Address *(Including Postcode)*: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. Please mail all Lodge correspondence to my Private/Business Address \* *delete as applicable*
6. Private Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Business Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Mobile Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
9. e/mail address: \_\_\_\_\_
10. I am a Citizen of: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Do you profess a belief in a Supreme Being? Yes/No \* *delete as applicable*
13. Have you previously applied for membership of a Masonic Lodge?  
Yes/No \* *delete as applicable*
14. If the answer to 13. above is "Yes", please supply the following details:  
Lodge Name and Number \_\_\_\_\_ located at \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Application \_\_\_\_\_ Result of Application \_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Month, Year) \_\_\_\_\_
15. Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes/No \* *delete as applicable*

16. If the answer to 15. above is "Yes", it is most important that you complete the following:  
I was charged with \_\_\_\_\_ and convicted at  
\_\_\_\_\_ Court, on  
(Date) \_\_\_\_\_

*If you prefer, append full details of any and all charges and dates of convictions on a separate sheet and attach it to this form. Some minor offences may not necessarily disbar an application from progressing.*

17. Current occupation and employer:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

18. Name of Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

19. Names and ages of minor children and/or any other dependents:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

20. Has it been made clear to you that Freemasonry is not an insurance or benefit organization?  
Yes/No \* delete as applicable

21. Please provide 3 (three) references (*none of whom need be members of the Masonic Fraternity*)  
Name/Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Name/Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Name/Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

22. Fee enclose: (*Cheques made payable to "The Masonic High Council"*) \_\_\_\_\_

23. Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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The undersigned members of Lodge \_\_\_\_\_ recommend the applicant as a fit and proper person for the Mysteries of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masonry.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Print: \_\_\_\_\_ Print: \_\_\_\_\_