

# **APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONSENT TO SELF INSURE**

Read instructions before completing. All questions must be answered. If not applicable, enter "N/A". Workers' compensation insurance must be maintained until certificate is effective.

#### To the Director of Industrial Relations:

The undersigned private employer hereby applies for a Certificate of Consent to Self-Insure the payment of workers' compensation as provided by California Labor Code Section 3700.

The following information is submitted, under penalty of perjury, for the purpose of procuring a Certificate of Consent to Self Insure, which may be given upon proof, satisfactory to the Director of Industrial Relations, of ability to self insure and to pay compensation that may become due to employees.

# GENERAL INFORMATION ON APPLICANT EMPLOYER

1. APPLICANT EMPLOY	ER:			
Name of Applicant Employer:				
Street Address of Main Headqua	arter:			
City:		State:	Zip +4	
Federal Tax Identification Numb	per of Employer:			
2. TO WHOM DO YOU WA	ANT CORRES	PONDENCE REGARDIN	IG THIS APPLICATION ADD	RESSED?
Name:				
Title:				
Company:				
Mail Address:				
City:		State:	Zip +4	
Phone No.:		Fax No	).: 	
Email:				
3. (a) Does the applicant em	ployer listed in	Question 1 presently hav	e an active Certificate of Conser tion liabilities in California?	it to Self Insure issued by
Yes	No No	If Yes, Enter the Certific	ate No.:	
(b) Is this applicant emplo	oyer applying fo	r self insurance in Californi	a for the first time?	No No

4. Is this application being submitted for the applicant employer named in Question 1 because of any of the following:

Reincorporation	Yes	No			
Merger	Yes	No			
Change in Identity	Yes	No			
Majority Change in Ownership	Yes	No			
Other additions to Self Insurance Program	Yes	No			
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If yes, explain					
If yes, submit a copy of legal documents reg	arding incorporat	ion, merger, change in	n identity or sale w	vith this app	lication.
5. (a) Is the applicant employer named in Ques	tion 1 a subsidiar	v of another company	corporation or pa	artnership?	
Yes No		,	, <u>r</u>		
If yes, Name of Parent:					
Address:					
City, State, ZIP +4					
<ul><li>(b) Is the parent entity named in Question 5</li><li>If yes, parent entity's Certificate Number:</li></ul>	(a) an active self	insurer in the State of	California?	Yes	No No
6. (a) Is the applicant employer named in Ques	tion 1 a CORPOR	RATION?		Yes	No No
If yes: State of Incorporation:	Date	of Incorporation			
			Month	Day	Year
(b) Is the applicant employer named in Quest	tion 1 a PARTNE	RSHIP?		Yes	No
If yes, name all partners and designate wh	nether they are get	neral, special, limited	, etc.:		
Name	Address		De	signation	
(c) Is the applicant employer named in Quest	ion 1 owned by a	single individual?		Yes	No
If yes, Name of Owner:		U U	1	1 00	
Address of Owner:					
City, State, ZIP +4					

Full Legal N	ime		State of Incorporation
) Do any of the listed affiliates of lifornia?	subsidiaries presently	have an active Certificate of C	Consent to Self Insure in
Yes No			
If yes, identify the certificate ho	lder(s) and their Certif	icate Number:	
Legal	Name of Certificate H	older	Certificate Number
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in answer to Question 7 (a) abo			me or under a name other than those sho
Yes No			
Fictitious Name		Legal Name	Operation

8. Attach an original Certificate of Good Standing from the California Secretary of State for the applicant employer named in Question 1.

Attach original certificate of Good Standing dated not older than three months from the date of submission of this application.

NOTE: Certificates of Good Standing are available upon request and payment of a fee from:

California Secretary of State 1. Corporate Filing and Services Section 1500 11th Street Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 653-6814

2. Limited Partnerships Section: (916) 653-3365

3. Limited Liability Companies: (916) 653-3794

(a)	What was the date of com	mencement or is	the proposed date of co	mmencement of business of California?	
(b)	Question 12	t North America	-	n System (NAICS) for the applicant employer name	d in
(a)	Number of California emp	loyees to be cov	vered by the proposed se	f insurance plan:	
(b)	List by address the locat by this application for self		fornia operations of th	e applicant employer (named in Question 1) to	be cove
	Will the number of Califor the next 12 months?	nia employees c	overed under the propos	ed self insurance plan be materially increased or dec	creased
			Yes	No No	
	If yes, by how many:		Increase or	Decrease	
				ding pending or threatened, the result of which migl	ht
	substantially adversely affe □ Yes □	ct the financial	condition, business or op	erations of the applicant or any of its subsidiaries?	

14. (a) Is this company's annual financial report prepared in the name of the applicant employer named in Question 1?

 $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No If no, name of company for which annual report is prepared:

(b) Date of last full year annual financial report:

(c) Indicate net profit or loss after taxes for the last five years for applicant employer from applicable annual report (If applicant employer does not have its own published financial report, then provide information for parent company.)

Applicant Employer Name:

Year	Profit After Taxes or Loss
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$

15. Provide the following financial information from the applicant employer's (or parent company's) financial statement named in Question 14 (a) for the past 3 full years:

	Current	Or Qtr.	1st Full Year	2nd Full Year	3rd Full Year
Balance Sheet Items:					
Liquid Assets					
Inventory					
Other Current Assets					
Total Assets					
Fixed Net (Net)					
Other Assets					
Total Assets					
Current Liabilities					
Long-Term Debt					
Other Liabilities					
Total Liabilities					
Contributed Capital					
Shareholder's Equity					
MISCELLANEOUS: Working Capital					
Gross Revenue					
Net Income (Before Fixed Charges*)					
Net Income (After fixed charges)					

\*Fixed Charges=Taxed/Interest and Rental Charges

Note: Attach your certified and independently audited financial report complete with all notes and schedules for the past 3 full years, and quarterly financial reports for current year up through the most recent quarter.

# WORKERS' COMPENSATION EXPERIENCE IN CALIFORNIA

16.(a) Complete the following if the applicant employer's (named in Question 1) workers' compensation liabilities	es are
insured in California under a workers' compensation policy(ies):	

Name of Cu	rrent Carrier:				
Policy Num	ber:				
Current Poli	cy Termination Da	ate:			
Most recent	t three years exp	erience by policy period:			
Year mm/dd/yyyy	Payroll	Premium Before Dividend	Experience Modification	Losses Incurred	Loss Ratio
(b) Complet California:	e the following i	nformation if the applican	t employer (named in	Question 1) is currently s	elf insured in
Certificate 1	No.:				
Name of Ce	ertificate Holder:				
	kers' compensati	mpensation policy coverin on liability other than exco			tion 1)
		re and scope of this covera	nge?		
18. State wheth		lication for workers' comp	pensation insurance ha	s ever been rejected or a p	policy cancelled.
Yes		No			
If yes, on w	hat date?				
Name of Ca	urrier?				
Why?					

#### SECURITY DEPOSIT

19.(a) If the application is approved, it is proposed that the security deposit will be in the form of a:

Surety Bond

Letter of Credit

Approved Securities

Cash

Combination of Above:

(b) Check here if you wish information to be sent to you on the deposit selected in Questions 19(a).

# INJURY AND ILLNESS PREVENTION PROGRAM

20. (a) Name of individual responsible for injury and illness prevention program for applicant employer (named in Question 1):

Name:	Title:
Address:	
City, State, Zip +4	
Phone:	

(b) What percentage of this individual's time is spent in injury and illness prevention?

If more than one individual is responsible for injury and illness prevention, attach a list to this application giving the information requested in Items 20 (a) and (b) above.

(c) Name of independent licensed California engineer, certified safety professional, or certified industrial hygienist who will be conducting an evaluation of applicant employer's injury prevention program pursuant to Labor Code Section 6401.7:

Name:	Title:	
Address:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
City, State	tte, Zip +4	
Phone:		
	by of Evaluation Report of Injury and Illness Prevention Program is attached te of Report:	d.
Evalu	luation and Report have been requested and will be forwarded upon comple	etion.

(Attach Injury and Illness Prevention Report here.)

# PROPOSED ADMINISTRATION OF SELF INSURANCE PROGRAM

- 21. (a) Proposed administration of workers' compensation self insurance claims will be by:
  - Third Party Administrator
  - Insurance Carrier Claims Department
  - Self Administered by Applicant Employer
  - (b) Name of proposed administrator(s)/administrating agency(ies) who will be responsible for day-to-day administration of the workers' compensation self insurance program for applicant employer:

Name:		Title:
Name of Agency	/Carrier/ Company:	
Address:		
City, State, Zip +		
Administrative A	gency's Certificate No.:	
Has the individ Administrator's		d above in Questions 21 (b) demonstrated competence by passing the Self Insurated
Yes	No	If yes, date:
If no, name of c Examination: and date passed	· ,.	will adjust claims and who passed the Self Insurance Administrator's
Jame of Administrat		cy who will prepare the Self Insurers' Annual Report (normally your administrato
Name:		Title:
Name of Agency/Carr	rier/ Company:	
Address:		
City, State, Zip +4		
Phone:		

23. Will ALL applicant employer's employee claims be administered at the adjusting location named in Question 21 (b)?

Yes No If no, complete the following information for ea	ch proposed adjusting location:
(a) Name of Person:	Administrative Agency's
Name of Agency/Carrier/ Company:	Certificate No.
Address:	or Exempt Carrier
City, State, Zip +4	or Self Administered
Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:	_
(b) Name of Person:	Administrative Agency's
Name of Agency/Carrier/ Company:	Certificate No.
	or Exempt Carrier
Address:	or Self Administered
City, State, Zip +4	_
Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:	
(c) Name of Person:	Administrative Agency's
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Name of Agency/Carrier/ Company:	Certificate No.
Address:	- or Exempt Carrier
Address: City, State, Zip +4	
Address:	- or Exempt Carrier
Address: City, State, Zip +4 Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:	- or Exempt Carrier
Address:         City, State, Zip +4         Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:         (d) Name of Person:	or Exempt Carrier or Self Administered
Address:         City, State, Zip +4         Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:         (d) Name of Person:         Name of Agency/Carrier/ Company:	or Exempt Carrier or Self Administered
Address:         City, State, Zip +4         Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:         (d) Name of Person:         Name of Agency/Carrier/ Company:         Address:	or Exempt Carrier     or Self Administered      Administrative Agency's      Certificate No.
Address:         City, State, Zip +4         Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:         (d) Name of Person:         Name of Agency/Carrier/ Company:         Address:         City, State, Zip +4	or Exempt Carrier     or Self Administered      Administrative Agency's      Certificate No.
Address:         City, State, Zip +4         Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:         (d) Name of Person:         Name of Agency/Carrier/ Company:         Address:         City, State, Zip +4         Date Person Passed Administrator's Examination:	or Exempt Carrier     or Self Administered      Administrative Agency's      Certificate No.

Attach here your check payable to the Department of Industrial Relations-Self Insurance Plans for payment of filing fee. **Filing Fee:** Each private employer making application for a Certificate, shall, at the time of filing the application, pay a non-refundable filing fee on the following basis:

(1) A filing fee shall be \$500.00.

(2) For each application submitted to replace an Interim Certificate that has previously been issued to the applicant and is in effect at the time the application is submitted, the filing fee shall be \$400.

(3) There shall be a \$100 filing fee for each Request for an Interim Certificate submitted pursuant to Section 15205 of these regulations.

#### **RESOLUTION TO BECOME SELF INSURED**

The following page is a Model Corporate Resolution to be adopted and executed by the Board of Directors of the applicant employer named in Question 1. Self Insurance Plans recommends identifying the responsible positions by title (such as President, any Vice President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Risk Manager, or other appropriate title in your corporation), rather than the name of the individual person. Documents in the future will require signature by an authorized person and titles are much less subject to change than individual names.

If the applicant employer is a partnership or sole proprietorship, a different resolution must be used. Please contact Self Insurance Plans in Sacramento for the appropriate resolution if the applicant is not a corporation.

The resolution must be an original "wet" signature of the Secretary, and the corporate seal affixed where indicated on the page.

Make two 2-sided originals of the resolution. Return one original and keep the remaining one for your files.

# CORPORATE RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION TO THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS, STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONSENT TO SELF INSURE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LIABILITIES

	(enter name of corporation)	
a corporation organized a	and existing under the laws of the State of $\_$	
held on the	day of	20 ,
a quorum being present,	the following Resolution was adopted:	
RESOI VED the	at the	
be and they are	(enter titles of authorized corpo hereby severally authorized and empowered	ed to make application for a Certificate of Consent
be and they are to Self Insure to documents requ	(enter titles of authorized corpor hereby severally authorized and empowered to the Department of Industrial Relations of t ired for such application, including the Instr	
be and they are to Self Insure to documents require I,	(enter titles of authorized corpor hereby severally authorized and empowered to the Department of Industrial Relations of t ired for such application, including the Instr said	ed to make application for a Certificate of Consent the State of California, and to execute any and all rument of Undertaking in furnishing security.

Secretary

(SEAL)

### AGREEMENT

This application is filed with the understanding and the agreement of the application herein that a Certificate of Consent to Self Insure, if granted, will be accepted subject to the authority of the Director of Industrial Relations to prescribe the regulations upon which said Certificate of Consent to Self Insure shall be granted or continued and subject to the full right and authority of the said Director of Industrial Relations to prescribe new and additional regulations. It is further agreed that, following revocation or invalidation of said certificate, the applicant will pay fees and expenses as provided in the regulations.

(Insert person's name)

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(Insert person's title)

certify under penalty of perjury, that I am acquainted with the affairs of said applicant employer to which the representations and statements set forth in the foregoing application, attachments, exhibits and addenda relate; that I have read said applications, attachments, exhibits and addenda, know the contents thereof, and that said representations and statements therein contained are true to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Subscribed and sealed		,
	(City)	(State)
this	day of	, 20
Attest:		(Signature)
(Apply Corporate Seal of Applicant In this Box)		(Title)
		(Signature of Secretary)
		(Type name and title of Secretary)

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## AGREEMENT OF ASSUMPTION AND GUARANTEE

Attach Here

NOTE:

If the applicant employer named in Question 1 is a subsidiary of another company, corporation or partnership [see answer in Question 5(a)], the parent is required to execute an agreement of assumption and guarantee for the applicant employer. Complete the separate agreement and attach it to this page.

On the assumption agreement itself, insert the words "In the matter of the Certificate of" the name of the applicant employer named in Question 1; the term "Self Insurer' in the agreement refers to the name of the applicant employer named in Question 1; and the term "Undersigned" refers to the parent company, parent corporation or parent partnership.

Self Insurance Plans will insert the appropriate Certificate Number.

Signature and title of the person signing the agreement must be one of the positions authorized by the resolution to be attached on page 14 executed by the parent company, parent corporation or parent partnership. (A model resolution for this purpose is included on the two pages following page 14.) The Secretary cannot attest his/her own signature and the corporate seal must be affixed on the words "Corporate Seal."

Make two 2-sided originals of the agreement. Return one original and keep the remaining one for your files.



# STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS SELF-INSURANCE PLANS

Certificate No.:

In the Matter of the Certificate of

AGREEMENT OF ASSUMPTION AND GUARANTEE OF WORKER'S COMPENSATION LIABILITIES

Employer,

WHEREAS, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter called the Undersigned), has good and sufficient reason for executing this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter called Self-Insurer), is, or has made application to be, a self-insurer pursuant to Sections 3700 through 3705 inclusive of the Labor Code of California;

NOW, THEREFORE, It is understood and agreed that:

1. In consideration of the Director of Industrial Relations of the State of California issuing a Certificate of Consent to Self-Insure to said Self-Insurer, the Undersigned agrees to assume and guarantee to pay, or otherwise discharge promptly, all the liabilities and obligations which said Self-Insurer may incur as a self-insurer of its California workers' compensation liabilities.

2. This Agreement shall cover and extend to all potential liability for workers' compensation benefits as required by law of said Self-Insurer; as a self-insurer of its California workers' compensation liabilities arising on or after the effective date hereof.

3. This Agreement shall not cover or extend to any workers' compensation liabilities of said Self-Insurer which are expressly insured by a carrier duly authorized to write California workers' compensation insurance.

4. This Agreement shall remain in full force and effect unless terminated in the manner hereinafter provided.

5. This Agreement may be terminated at any time by the Undersigned upon giving thirty (30) days written notice by registered or certified mail to the Manager, Self-Insurance Plans. In this event the liability of the Undersigned, shall, at the expiration of thirty (30) days from receipt of said notice by said Manager cease and determine, except as to such liability of the Self-Insurer on account of any injury suffered by any of its employees prior to the expiration of said thirty (30) days; it being expressly understood and agreed that the Undersigned shall be liable for default of said Self-Insurer in fully discharging all existing and potential liability of said Self-Insurer as a self-insurer as of the date of said termination.

6. A change in the proprietorship or the sale of said Self-Insurer does not terminate this Agreement.

7. In the event said Self-Insurer shall fail to pay compensation, as compensation is defined in Section 3207, Labor Code of California, when due, the Undersigned will pay the same, and the payment may be enforced against the Undersigned to the same extent as if said payment was the liability of it.

8. The Undersigned is held and firmly bound for the payment of all legal costs incurred by the State of California in any actions taken to enforce this Agreement.

9. If the Undersigned has not filed with the California Secretary of State to the extent required to entitle it to transact intrastate business in California and/or if the Undersigned is a foreign entity (an entity organized and existing under the laws of a country outside the United States of America) it hereby agrees to become subject to the jurisdiction of the Department of Industrial Relations, the Division of Workers' Compensation, all other administrative agencies, and become controlled by California law including all regulations promulgated by the Director of Industrial Relations for the administration of self-insurance for the purpose of enforcing the liabilities and obligations, and the resolution of any dispute arising from this Agreement.

10. If the Undersigned has not filed with the California Secretary of State to the extent required to entitle it to transact intrastate business in California it hereby agrees that service of process may be effected on the Undersigned by sending notice to

by registered mail, return-receipt requested. Pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure Section 415.40, service of notice by this form of mail will be deemed complete on the tenth day after such mailing.

11. This Agreement shall be binding upon the Undersigned, its successors, and assigns.

## IF A CORPORATION:

Subscribed and sealed at

this day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

Attest:

Corporate Seal

Company

Signature

Secretary

Title

#### **RESOLUTION OF AGREEMENT OF PARENTAL ASSUMPTION AND GUARANTEE**

Attach executed resolution (model resolution follows) from parent corporation/parent company/parent partnership

Make two 2-sided originals. Return one original and keep the remaining one for your files.

# RESOLUTION OF AGREEMENT OF PARENTAL ASSUMPTION AND GUARANTEE

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of	
(name of holding corporation)	
a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of	
held on the day of 20	
a quorum being present, the following Resolution was adopted:	,
RESOLVED that	
(name of holding corporation)	
organized under the laws of the State of	
authorizes that its legally controlled subsidiary(ies) or affiliate(s)	
seek a Certificate of Consent to Self Insure workers' in the State of California; and,	
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that	
(name of holding corporation)	a
will guarantee the payment of all workers' compensation liabilities incurred by any self-insured subsidiarie affiliate named above, resulting from operations in California as permissibly self insured; and	s or
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President, any Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary of the	
(name of holding corporation)	
are severally authorized to sign the State of California form entitled Agreement of Assumption and guara	ntee of
Workers' Compensation Liabilities on behalf of the subsidiary(ies) or affiliate(s) and be bound by all terr	
conditions therein, including, but not limited to, terms specifying assumption of all subsidiary(ies) and affi	liate(s)
liability; and	
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that	
(name of holding corporation)	
will guarantee the payment of all workers' compensation liabilities incurred by any additional self-in subsidiary or affiliate, not named above, that in the future should be granted a Certificate of Consent to	
Insure workers' compensation liabilities in the State of California, and the Secretary of	5011-

is authorized to add the subsidiary or affiliate name as an attachment to this resolution and said Secretary shall re execute the resolution with said attachment and provide it to the Department of Industrial Relations (or its successor).

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned Secretary of the

(name of holding corporation) , a corporation, hereby certify

that I am the said Secretary of said corporation, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the resolution duly passed by the Board of Directors thereof at a meeting of said Board held on the day and at the place therein specified, and that said resolution has never been revoked, rescinded, or set aside, and is now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF: I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND THE CORPORATE SEAL OF SAID CORPORATION THIS \_\_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

(SEAL)

Secretary

NOTE: The officers authorized by job title in this model resolution are examples. The board of the holding corporation can choose any officer by designated job title to act on its behalf with respect to the Self Insurance Plans' program of the subsidiary(ies).

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

#### Attach Here

Copies of the applicant's certified and independently audited financial statements, complete with all schedules and notes, and such other supporting financial information for the prior three (3) full years and quarterly unaudited reports up to the most current quarter of the current year. Financial information is considered confidential.

If the report of the financial condition is dated more than twelve (12) months prior to the date of this application, the Director may require interim financial statements (balance sheet and profit and loss statement) certified by the appropriate finance officers and dated not less than three (3) months from the date of this application.



Application Number:

In the Matter of the Application of

AGREEMENT AND UNDERTAKING FOR SECURITY DEPOSIT

Employer, for a Certificate of Consent to Self Insure

The undersigned employer, if it elects to self insure in accordance with the provisions of Sections 3700-3705 of the Labor Code of California, and having made application for or received from the Director of Industrial Relations of the State of California a Certificate of Consent to self Insure, upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the Director of Industrial Relations of ability to Self insure and to compensate any or all of its employees for injury or disability, and their dependents for death incurred or sustained by said employees, pursuant to the terms, provisions and limitations of said Labor Code, does hereby undertake and agree, as a condition to issuance of such Certificate of Consent to Self Insure and in consideration of the issuance thereof by the Director of Industrial Relations, as follows:

- 1. The employer will make a security deposit with the State of California, to secure incurred liability for the payment of compensation as provided in said Labor Code such security deposit as may, by the order of the Director of Industrial Relations, be required to be filed.
- 2. Said security deposit shall be held by the State of California to the order of said Director of Industrial Relations, in trust, with power to the said Director to collect or order the collection of the principal or the interest, or both, as the same becomes or become due; to sell or order the sale of such security deposit and for which application of the proceeds or the interest, or both, to the payment of any compensation for which application of the proceeds or the interest, or both, to the payment of any compensation for which said employer may become liable under said Labor Code, in the payment of which said employer may be in default. The interest upon security deposit posted hereunder shall be remitted to the employer, upon request, by the State of California as it matures in the absence of default of said employer in the payment of any compensation for which said employer may become liable under said Labor Code.

Signed at \_\_\_\_\_

this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_ .

Corporate Seal