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## STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

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# APPLICATION FOR CLOSING-OUT SALES PROMOTER REGISTRATION

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

The individual applying for registration must complete this form. This application <u>must be accompanied by a check or money order for \$200.00</u>, made payable to: "*Treasurer, State of Connecticut*". Application fees are non-refundable.

"The Federal Privacy Act of 1974 requires that you be notified that disclosure of your Social Security Number is required pursuant to C.G.S. § 17b-137a. If you choose not to disclose your Social Security Number your application cannot be processed."

→ Return your completed application and fee to:

Department of Consumer Protection, License Services Division, 450 Columbus Blvd, Ste. 801, Hartford, CT 06103

Applicants Name (First Name, Middle I	nitial, Last Name)		,	•	•	
Street Address			City or Town	State	Zip Code	
Telephone Number (with area code)		Social	I Security or FEIN Number CT Sales Tax		x Registration	Number
(			Security or FEIN Number CT Sales Tax Registration			
Business Name (if applicable)	1			1		
Business Street Address			City or Town			Zip Code
Has the applicant ever been convicted if YES, please attach a statement provide were decided and a description of the ci	ding the date(s) and dircumstances relating	conviction	h conviction(s).		s	
List the names , home addresses and			ociated in the ownership of the	e business:		Title
Name	ame Address					
Name	Address					Title
Name	Addre	ess				Title
Describe the type of business for which	you plan to act as p	romoter	during the next 12 months (such	n as carpet, furniture, je	welry, etc.)	
n which states have you acted as a pro	moter for businesses	s condu	cting ‰oing out of business+sale	es during the previous f	ive (5) years?	
List the names and home addresses	of all persons in y	our em	ploy. Attach additional sheets	s if necessary.		
Name	Addre	ess				Title
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conditions under which this	s registration is issu	ued, and	ing application are true to the d that no goods, wares or merc ning thereof shall be included	handise other than the		
Signature of Applicant	Signature of Applicant			Date	_	
Subscribed and sworn to be	of2	0				
Notary Public		Commission Expires	_			

## **CLOSING-OUT SALES PROMOTER REGSITRATION**

Under the provisions of Chapter 407a of the Connecticut General Statutes, no person shall act as a %uromoter+for any closing-out sale unless he had first obtained a registration to do so from the Department of Consumer Protection. "Promoter" means any person who performs or offers to perform for a person holding a closing-out sale any service to facilitate or assist in such sale, including but not limited to advertising or sales. "Closing-Out Sale" means all sales advertised, represented or held forth under the designation of %uoing out of business+, %elling out+, liquidation+, %ost our lease+, %orced to vacate+, %noving to a new location+, or any other designation of like meaning.

### To comply with the statutory requirements, the following procedures must be followed:

- 1. Complete the % losing-Out Sale Promoter+registration application and submit to the Department of Consumer Protection at least five (5) days in advance of the date of any closing-out sale you intend to promote, or otherwise assist in conducting. A promoter registration is valid for one year from the date of issue
- 2. The registration fee of \$200.00 must be submitted by check or money order made payable to "Treasurer, State of Connecticut."
- 3. If you, as the promoter, are preparing the inventory to be submitted with the application for a closing-out sale license, you must:
  - a) Compile of detailed, itemized original inventory listing all goods, wares, merchandise on hand at the place where the sale is to be conducted using the enclosed form. Describe all items listed, including manufacturers name, model number, quantity and wholesale cost of each item. A monthly inventory must be filed using the enclosed form for items sold for the duration of the sale. A final inventory of items sold or otherwise disposed of must be filed indicating to whom, specifically, the remaining merchandise dispersed. Inventory forms are provided with the closing-out sale license application and must be used. You must disclose any warehouse locations and submit a separate inventory for warehouse inventory.
- 4. As a promoter, you must enter into a written agreement with the closing-out sale licensee. A copy of your contract **must** be included with the license application for each %dosing-out sale. The contract must be dated and signed by both parties; contain the entire agreement between the promoter and licensee; and contain the name and address of the promoter.
- 5. If you, as the promoter, are preparing the advertising for the closing-out sale, you should be aware that:
  - a) The license number must be included in all advertising; and
  - b) The termination date of the sale **must** be included in all advertising. The closing-out sale license must be **posted** in the store in a conspicuous location at the point of sale.
- 6. Failure to comply with the provisions of Chapter 407a of the Connecticut General Statutes may result in the suspension or revocation of your promoter registration or the imposition of civil penalties.