2020 Notice for Annual Brookhaven Business License Renewal

Business Name: _____

Business Address: _____

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Brookhaven Business Tax Resolution mandates that all persons, firms or corporations located or engaged in businesses in the city of Brookhaven register their businesses and obtain certificates by paying the required occupational taxes and administrative fees.

Business Occupational Tax Certificates are valid for a calendar year, January 1 through December 31, and must be renewed by April 30th of each year. All certificates shall be assessed a penalty in the amount of ten percent (10%), plus 1% interest per month on the amount owed for each calendar year or portion thereof for taxpayers who fail to file their renewal by April 30th or fail to register and obtain an occupational tax certificate within thirty (30) days of the commencement of business, additional fees may apply.

*****IMPORTANT PLEASE READ***** *****Additional Documentation Required*****

<u>As Required by O.C.G.A ~ 36-60-6(a)</u>: Before any county or municipal corporation issues a business license to any person engaged in a profession or business required to be licensed by the state under Title 43, the person must provide evidence of such licensure to the appropriate agency of the county or municipal corporation that issues business licenses. No business license shall be issued to any person subject to licensure under Title 43 without evidence of such licensure being presented.

If it is determined your occupational license requires board certification, you must submit a copy of that certification along with your renewal. Failure to supply this documentation could result in a delay of the issuance of your certificate.

<u>Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act (O.C.G.A 50-36-1 through 3):</u> All businesses are now required to complete and return the "Affidavit Verifying Status of Benefit Applicant". This form must be completed in full, signed by an officer of the company, notarized and returned along with your completed renewal worksheet and payment in full. As specified on the Affidavit, you must also provide at least one "secure and verifiable" document with the completed Affidavit. Some examples of a secure and verifiable document are a current state issued ID, driver's license or pass port. For a full list of acceptable documents please visit the Avenu website at <u>www.revds.com</u> (Taxpayer \rightarrow Georgia \rightarrow Taxpayer Forms) or the Attorney General of Georgia's website at <u>http://law.ga.gov</u>. This application will NOT be processed without a secure and verifiable document as required by Georgia law.

Immigration Legislation (HB87) Passed on April 14, 2011: Effective July 1, 2013, any private company with more than 10 full-time employees, along with every public employer, regardless of its size, must register with the federal E-Verify program to check the legal status of new hires.

Remittance information: Make your check payable to: Tax Trust Account and mail it to Avenu, Business License Department, PO Box 830900 Birmingham, AL 35283-0900.

No longer conducting business in Brookhaven? If you are no longer operating a business in Brookhaven, please provide the date the business closed and sign where indicated on the Renewal Application.

Has your business relocated? If your business has relocated but is still located in the Brookhaven, please indicate the change of address on the renewal form.

Change in Ownership? If yes, you must complete a new occupational license form. Visit our website for an application.

Questions? All questions regarding the payment of your business occupational tax should be directed to Avenu.

Returned Check Disclaimer: Effective July 1, 2010, each returned item received by Avenu due to insufficient funds will be electronically represented to the presenters' bank no more than two times in an effort to obtain payment. Avenu is not responsible for any additional bank fees that will accrue due to the resubmission of the returned item. Please see the full returned check policy at <u>www.avenuinsights.com</u>.





Toll Free Phone: (800) 556-7274 Toll Free Fax: (844) 528-6529

Email:

businesslicensesupport@avenuinsights.com Website: www.avenuinsights.com

Business License Renewal PO Box 830900 Birmingham, AL 35283-0900

Avenu Account No.: _____



Affidavit Verifying Status of Benefit Applicant

Pursuant to the Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act (O.C.G.A 50-36-1), effective July 1, 2007, every agency in **Brookhaven** providing public benefits through any local program is responsible for determining the immigration status of citizen applicants for said benefits.

By executing this affidavit under oath, as an applicant for benefits, I am stating the following with respect to my application for benefits from Brookhaven:

Select one of the below.

_____I am a United States citizen 18 years of age or older;

_____I am a legal permanent resident 18 years of age or older;

_____ I am a qualified alien or non-immigrant under the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act, Title 8 U.S.C., as amended, 18 years of age or older and lawfully present in the United States. My alien number issued by the U.S.

Department of Homeland Security or other federal immigration agency is _____

The undersigned applicant also hereby verifies that he or she has provided at least one secure and verifiable document, as required by O.C.G.A § 50-36-1(e)(1), with this affidavit.

The secure and verifiable document provided with this affidavit can best be classified as: _

(Please enclose legible copy of document with Affidavit.)

In making the above representation under oath, I understand that any person who knowingly and willfully makes a false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or representation in an affidavit shall be guilty of a violation of O.C.G.A. 16-10-20.

| Executed in(o | city), | (state) on | (date) |
|--|---------------------|------------|--------------|
| Signature of Applicant | Printed Name | | Notary Stamp |
| Subscribed and sworn before me on this the | DAY OF | | |
| My | Commission Expires: | | |

FORM REQUIRED* This form must be completed in full and returned with your Occupational Tax Renewal and payment. Failure to return the completed Affidavit Verifying Status of Benefit Applicant, Verifiable and Secure Document, and the Private Employer Affidavit with your renewal and payment will delay the issuance of your occupational certificate.



Private Employer Affidavit

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned private employer verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 36-60-6(d), stating

affirmatively that ______ (name of individual, firm, or corporation) employs as follows:

Section 1. Select an option below and then complete the additional required sections as indicated.

A. _____On January 1st of the below signed year the individual, firm, or corporation employed ten (10) or more employees. (Complete sections 2 and 3)

B._____On January 1st of the below signed year the individual, firm, or corporation employed fewer than ten (10) employees. (Complete section 3)

Section 2. If employer selected (A) please fill out the below.

The employer has registered with and utilizes the federal work authorization program in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. § 36-60- 6(a). The undersigned private employer also attests that its federal work authorization user identification number and date of authorization are as listed below:

Federal Work Authorization User Identification Number Date of Authorization Name of Private Employer

Section 3: Required for all employers.

In making the above representation under oath, I understand that any person who knowingly and willfully makes a false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or representation in an affidavit shall be guilty of a violation of O.C.G.A. § 16-10-20, and face criminal penalties allowed by such statute.

| Executed in(c | ity), | (state) on | (date) |
|--|---------------------|------------|----------------|
| Signature of Applicant | Printed Name | | - Notary Stamp |
| Subscribed and sworn before me on this the _ | DAY OF | ,20 | |
| My | Commission Expires: | | |

FORM REQUIRED* This form must be completed in full and returned with your Occupational Tax Renewal and payment. Failure to return the completed Affidavit Verifying Status of Benefit Applicant, Verifiable and Secure Document, and the Private Employer Affidavit with your renewal and payment will delay the issuance of your occupational certificate.

| Avenu Account NO:Business Name: | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| NAIC No.: | Fee Class: | Gross Rate: | Emp | loyee Rate: | _Sta | te Sales Tax ID# |
| | | | I | | 1- | Please provide Sales Tax ID #. |
| Mailing Address (Changed? Please provide correction belo | | low) | Physical Addres | s (C | hanged? Please provide correction below) | |
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| | | | | | | |
| | BROOKHAVEN (* | 1561) BUSINES | SS TA) | (DIVISION REN | EW | AL WORKSHEET |
| | ition, Affidavits, Certificati | ons as needed, and | d Fees B | By April 30 ^m of Each Y | ear \ | Vill Result in Penalties, Interest and Additional neould be positive or negative |
| Fees as Applicable. | | | Note | | | |
| TABLE 1: PREVIOUS Y A. Actual Gross Receipts | | | | | | Complete the below as needed |
| (If \$20,000 or less, put) | | | \$ | | | Required: Is your business an adult |
| Less Allowable Deductio | | | | | | entertainment establishment (sexually oriented business) as defined by the Municipal |
| 1. Sales, Use or | | | \$ | | | Code, or does it offer any form of adult |
| 2. Inter-organizat | | | \$ | | | entertainment? |
| 0 | Sub-Contractors or Indepe | endent Agents** | \$ | | | |
| 4. Out of State S | | <u> </u> | \$ | | | Are you a professional practitioner electing |
| | and Allowances | | \$ | | | to pay a flat fee of \$400 per practitioner? |
| | ions (add 1 through 5) | | \$ | | | Only Professional practitioners described in O.C.G.A. |
| | rom Actual Gross Receip | ts (Line A – Line 6) | • | | | § 48-13-9(c)(1-18) can opt to pay the \$400 flat fee. |
| (Total cannot be less th | han \$20,000.00) | , | \$ | | | # of Practitioners x \$400.00 |
| C. Estimated Gross Rec | | | \$ | | | Total Due: \$ |
| D. Gross Receipts Adjus | | (+ or -) | \$ | | | |
| E. Tax Adjustment = Lin | | (+ or -) | _ | | | **Payment to sub-contractors or Independent Agents - Individuals or Companies who contribute |
| F. Actual Employees (A | | | _ | | | to the gross receipts of the business. Examples: |
| G. Estimated Employees | | | - | | | Salon/Barber Business, Construction Business, |
| H. Employee Adjustment | i = Line F – Line G | (+ or -) | - | | | etc. |
| I. Employee Fee Adjustm | nent = Line H x Rate(+) | or -) | | | | Provide name, address, phone and dollar amount on a separate sheet of paper. |
| J. Total Adjustment = Lir | ne E + Line I | (+ or -) | | | | |
| TABLE 2: UPCOMING | YEAR ESTIMATES | | | | | Business Closed or Moved? Complete Table |
| K. Estimated Gross Rec | eipts | | \$ | | | 1 to ensure no additional amount is due. |
| (If \$20,000.00 or less, p | | | φ | | | Provide date business closed, sign and return |
| Less Allowable Deductio | n: | | | | | with any additional amount owed. |
| 7. Sales, Use or | | | \$ | | | Date Closed/Moved: |
| 8. Inter-organizat | | | \$ | | | |
| , | Sub-Contractors or Indepe | endent Agents** | \$ | | | |
| 10. Out of State Sa | | | \$ | | | Address Change: |
| 11. Sales Returns | | | \$ | | | |
| 12. Total Deducti | ons (add 7 through 11) | | \$ | | | |
| | rom Est. Gross Receipts | (Line K – Line 12) | \$ | | - | |
| (Total cannot be less than M. Standard Deduction | \$20,000.00) | | \$ | 20,000.00 | | If the primary business activity has changed, |
| N. Subtract Line M from | Line L (use 0 if amo | unt negative) | \$ | 20,000.00 | | enter the new business description below: |
| O. Multiply Line N x RAT | • | unt negative) | Ψ | | | |
| P. Est. Number of Emplo | | (At least one) | | | | |
| Q. Flat Fee | | (At least one) | | \$0.00 | | Return Completed Application with Check or |
| R. Administrative Fee | | | | \$125.00 | | Money Order Made Payable To: |
| S. Previous Year Adjustr | ment (Table 1 Line J) | (+ or -) | \$ | ÷.10.00 | | Tax Trust Account. |
| T. Balance from previou | | () | \$ | | | Mail To: Avenu • BL Dept |
| U. Subtotal – (Add Lines | , , ,, , | | \$ | | | PO Box 830900 |
| , | T) (If Paid After April 30 | th) | \$ | | | Birmingham, Alabama 35283-0900. |
| | Γ - Per Month) (If Paid Af | , | \$ | | | For assistance call (800) 556-7274, or email us |
| | | | - | | | at <u>businesslicensesupport@avenuinsights.com</u> |
| | (add Lines U + Line V + | • | \$ | | | |
| or misleading statement | is made herein to obtain a | a business occupati | ion tax c | ertificate. I understan | d tha | knowledge, training, and ability, and that no false t if I provide false or misleading information in s occupational tax certificate issued as a result o |

this application report(s) required prior to issuance of a business occupation tax certificate. All tax certificates expire December 31 and must be renewed annually.

| Printed Name | Date | | Email Address |
|---------------|------|-------|---------------|
| Signature | | Title | |
| Business Name | | FEIN | |

Business Name

Failure to return all documentation including board certification and the affidavits can result in a delay of the issuance of the license.



| INDUSTRY TITLE | NAICS CODE (First 2 Digits) | TAX CLASS | GROSS RECEIPT RATE | EMPLOYEE RATE | |
|---|--------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting | 11 | 3 | 0.00063 | \$ | 8.00 |
| Mining | 21 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Utilities | 22 | 2 | 0.00045 | \$ | 6.00 |
| Construction | 23 | 3 | 0.00063 | \$ | 8.00 |
| Manufacturing | 31-33 | 4 | 0.00081 | \$ | 10.00 |
| Wholesale and Trade | 42-45 | 3 | 0.00063 | \$ | 8.00 |
| Transportation and Warehousing | 48-49 | 3 | 0.00063 | \$ | 8.00 |
| Information | 51 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Finance and Insurance | 52 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Real Estate Rental and Leasing | 53 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services | 54 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Management of Companies and Enterprises | 55 | 5 | 0.00099 | \$ | 12.00 |
| Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services | 56 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Educational Services | 61 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Health Care and Social Assistance | 62 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |
| Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation | 71 | 5 | 0.00099 | \$ | 12.00 |
| Accommodation, Food Services, and Drinking Places | 72 | 3 | 0.00063 | \$ | 8.00 |
| Other Services | 81 | 6 | 0.00117 | \$ | 14.00 |

CITY OF BROOKHAVEN OCCUPATIONAL TAX RATE TABLE

Tax classes are determined by the business's NAICS Code. The NAICS Code can be found on the Federal Tax return or online at www.naics.com/search or https://www.census.gov/eos/www/naics/.