

**FORM L: VERIFICATION OF USB FLASH DRIVES**

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Business License Applicant Name

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License Type

**Verification**

The undersigned hereby understands and verifies all of the following:

- That enclosed with this certification form are two (2) USB flash drives – one labeled as “ORIGINAL” and the other labeled as “REDACTED”.
- That both the “ORIGINAL” and the “REDACTED” USB flash drives contain a copy (in PDF format) of the Application Form, all applicable exhibits, and all applicable forms.
- That all files on the USB flash drives are labeled according to the labeling requirements set forth in Section 1.8 of the Application Instructions.
- That all information in the application and exhibits shall remain confidential (as defined by Rule 538-x-1-.04) until the Commission has voted to formally deem applications submitted, unless otherwise ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction (*See* Rule 538-x-3-.13).
- That any and all redactions by the Applicant are made on the files contained within the “REDACTED” USB flash drive, and that such files are prominently and conspicuously labeled as “Redacted Copy”.
- That any and all redactions by the Applicant are made in accordance with the redaction instructions set forth in Section 1.8 of the Application Instructions and, as such, the Applicant has stated the grounds and statutory authority for each redaction.
- That the Commission is not obligated to agree with the applicant’s grounds or statutory authority cited in support of any redaction and, as such, the applicant, by submitting redactions, agrees to defend its claim that any or some portion of its application and/or exhibits is exempt from inspection and copying under the Alabama Public Records Law (§ 36-12-40, et seq., Code of Alabama 1975 (as amended)).
- That the applicant, by submitting redactions, agrees to protect, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Commission, and its agents, for any and all claims and litigation (including litigation initiated by the Commission), including attorney’s fees and costs, arising from or in any way relating to the applicant’s assertion that the redacted portions of its application and/or exhibits are exempt from public disclosure under the Alabama Public Records Law.
- That the applicant’s failure to provide a redacted version of the application and/or exhibits in accordance with the instructions and deadline set forth in Section 1.8 of the Application Guide will result in the entire application, including all exhibits and attachments, being considered a public record.

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Printed Name of Verifying Individual

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Title of Verifying Individual

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Signature of Verifying Individual

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Verification Date