



THE MOST PUISSANT GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY



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Grand Council Amnesty Program

Restorations are a critical part of the membership equation. The result of an NPD is a loss of our Companions' energy, ideas and contribution to the Cryptic Rite. Therefore, I am instituting a temporary amnesty program solely for Calendar Year 2025, relieving a suspended Companion of multiple year's burden, and reinstatement under the following conditions:

1. Program is open to any applicant who has previously been a Member of Good Standing within a Council of Royal and Select Masters in New Jersey, and has lost status due to non-payment of dues.
2. There is no restriction in regards to the date of NPD Suspension.
3. Applicant must be a member in good standing within, or a **Petitioner* of reinstatement to a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons in the State of New Jersey.
4. The reverse side (Page 2) of this document to be completed in full, signed by Petitioner along with Two (2) Recommenders and submitted to the Council from which petitioner was previously suspended.

**Petitioner referenced in case reinstatement is occurring within the Royal Arch Chapter.*

PLEASE do not wait to submit this Amnesty Request

In Cryptic Service,

Daryll Slimmer

M.I.C. Daryll Slimmer, Most Illustrious Companion Grand Master

PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

TO THE THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTER, OFFICERS AND COMPANIONS OF

_____ COUNCIL No. _____, ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS.

I, the undersigned, a Royal Arch Mason in good standing (or a Petitioner for Reinstatement in Royal Arch Masonry), request Amnesty and Reinstatement for membership in your Council, thereby passing the Circle of Perfection in Ancient Craft Masonry. Should I be found worthy and elected, I promise – as a condition of my reinstatement - to attend the Royal and Select Master Degrees in the year 2025, in addition to a strict compliance with the Constitution, By-Laws and Edicts of the Most Puissant Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of the State of New Jersey, along with the By-Laws of this Council, the Ancient Usages, Regulations and Customs of the Order.

I am at the present time a member in good standing of: _____ Lodge No. _____,

F.&A.M., located at _____ under the jurisdiction of the Grand

Lodge of _____ and a (Circle 1) member in good standing of or a petitioner for reinstatement

to _____ Chapter No. _____, R.A.M., located at _____

under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of _____. I was previously a (Circle 1)

Dual or Affiliated member of: _____ Council No. _____, R. & S.M., if applicable.

CONTACT INFORMATION Print Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Place of Birth: _____ Email: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Occupation: _____ DOB: _____

I have personally read the foregoing Petition for Reinstatement and, in testimony of my full understanding thereof, have signed my full name hereto:

Signature (No initials): _____ Date: _____

Recommender (Print): _____ Council: _____

Recommender (Sign): _____ Date: _____

Avoucher (Print): _____ Council: _____

Avoucher (Sign): _____ Date: _____

THE BELOW IS FOR COUNCIL USE ONLY

PETITION OF COMPANION

Presented Date: _____ (CHECK 1) Elected _____ Rejected _____

Recorder (Print & Sign): _____