

Name of Form:

Request for Temporary Exemption to Photo Identification Requirement (Temporary)

Section Reference:

Sections 63.001(b), 63.0101, and 65.054, Texas Election Code

Purpose:

To request a temporary exemption in a county from the requirement to present identification other than the voter registration certificate at the time of voting. This form is used to cure a provisional ballot cast by a voter who does not have an acceptable form of identification due to religious objections or certain natural disasters.

Number of Copies Required:

One each time the person casts a provisional ballot in the county in which the person is registered to vote

Completed by:

Voter having cast a provisional ballot in an election and seeking a temporary exemption from showing an acceptable form of photo identification

Filing Date:

The form may be only be filed during the cure period for provisional ballots cast during the election in which the person voted.

Filed with:

The Local County Voter Registrar in the county in which the person is registered to vote.

Comments:

A temporary exemption may only be requested by individuals not having an acceptable form of identification because the voter has a religious objections to being photographed for governmental purposes or is not in possession of a form of acceptable identification due to its destruction or inability to access them as a result of a natural disaster declared by the U.S. President or Texas Governor. The natural disaster cannot have occurred earlier than 45 days before the day on which the individual voted.

Current form is 08/13.

Request for Temporary Exemption to Photo Identification Requirement for Local County Voter Registration Office

Pursuant to Section 65.054 of the Texas Election Code, I hereby submit to the voter registrar my request for an exemption from the requirement to present at the time of voting one of the following forms of identification provided in Section 63.0101 of the Texas Election Code: **Driver's license, election identification certificate, personal identification card or concealed handgun license issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety; United States Military identification card containing the person's photograph; United States citizenship certificate containing the person's photograph; United States passport,** and with the exception of the United States Citizenship certificate, the identification presented for voter qualification at the polling place must be current or have expired no more than 60 days before it is presented.

Below I have provided my reason for requesting an exemption. I understand that I will have to make this request for each election for which I fail to present one of the acceptable forms of identification listed in Section 63.0101 of the Texas Election Code, if applicable.

| Instructions |
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| Step 1. Please provide your Name, Residence Address, VUID Number, and County of Residence. |
| Step 2. Please provide your type of exemption. |
| Step 3. Please sign and date the request form. |

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| Step 1: Identify Person Requesting Exemption | Name _____ | | |
| | Residence Address (number and street) _____ | | |
| | City, State, Zip Code _____ | | |
| | <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="border: none; width: 50%;">VUID Number _____</td> <td style="border: none; width: 50%;">County of Residence _____</td> </tr> </table> | VUID Number _____ | County of Residence _____ |
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| Step 2: Type of Exemption Requested | Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Religious Objection (Temporary exemption) I hereby swear that I have a religious objection to being photographed and have consistently refused to be photographed for any governmental purpose from the time for which I have held this belief. <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Disaster (Temporary exemption) I hereby swear that I do not have any of the forms of identification listed in Section 63.0101 of the Texas Election Code either due to the destruction of or inability to access them as a result of a natural disaster that was declared by the U.S. President or the Texas Governor and that occurred not earlier than 45 days before the day on which I voted. | | |
| Step 3: Sign and Date | Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information in this document and any information attached are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Sign Here ► _____ Date ► _____ | | |
| For Office Use Only | VUID # _____ Voter Reg. Dept. Signature _____ Date _____ Comments: _____ | | |

If you make a false statement on this form, you could be found guilty of a Class A misdemeanor or a state jail felony under Texas Penal Code Section 37.02.

Solicitud para Exención Temporal al Requisito de Identificación con Foto para la Oficina Local del Registrador de Votantes

Conforme a la Fracción 65.054 del Código Electoral de Texas, por la presente solicito una exención del requisito de presentar, en el momento de votar, una de las formas de identificación especificadas en la Fracción 63.0101 del Código Electoral de Texas. Las formas de identificación autorizadas son: **Licencia de Conducir, cédula electoral, tarjeta de identificación personal o licencia para portar una arma de fuego oculta emitida por el Departamento de Seguridad Pública de Texas; cédula de identidad militar de los Estados Unidos con fotografía de la persona; certificado de ciudadanía estadounidense con fotografía de la persona; o pasaporte de los Estados Unidos**, y con la excepción del Certificado de Ciudadanía Estadounidense, la identificación presentada para calificar como votante en el centro electoral deberá estar vigente o no estar vencida más de 60 días al presentarla.

A continuación doy mi razón por tal petición de exención. Comprendo que tendré que pedir esto de nuevo para cada elección en la cual no cumpla con presentar una de las formas de identificación aceptable que se especifican en la Fracción 63.0101 del Código Electoral de Texas, si se aplica.

| Instrucciones |
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| Paso 1. Por favor proporcione su nombre, dirección de residencia, Número VUID y Condado de residencia. Paso 2. Por favor proporcione el tipo de exención que pide. Paso 3. Por favor firme y anote la fecha en la solicitud. |

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| Paso 1: Identificar Persona que solicita exención | <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td colspan="2" style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Nombre</td></tr> <tr><td colspan="2" style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Dirección de residencia (número y calle)</td></tr> <tr><td colspan="2" style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Ciudad, Estado, Código postal</td></tr> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Número VUID</td> <td style="width: 50%; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Condado de residencia</td> </tr> </table> | Nombre | | Dirección de residencia (número y calle) | | Ciudad, Estado, Código postal | | Número VUID | Condado de residencia |
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| Ciudad, Estado, Código postal | | | | | | | | | |
| Número VUID | Condado de residencia | | | | | | | | |
| Paso 2: Tipo de exención solicitada | Marcar todas que le conciernen: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Objeción religiosa (Exención temporal) Por la presente juro que tengo una objeción religiosa hacia tomarme fotos y constantemente he rehusado tomarme foto para todo propósito gubernamental desde el momento en que sostengo esta creencia. <input type="checkbox"/> Catástrofe natural (Exención temporal) Por la presente juro que no tengo ningunas de las formas de identificación especificadas en la Fracción 63.0101 del Código Electoral de Texas bien sea debido a la destrucción de o el no poder acceder a tales como resultado de catástrofe natural tal cual lo declaró el Presidente de los EE.UU. o el Gobernador de Texas y que ocurrió no más de 45 días antes del día en que voté. | | | | | | | | |
| Paso 3: Firmar y poner fecha | Bajo pena de perjurio, certifico que la información en este documento y cualquier información adjunta son fidedignas y correctas a mi leal saber y entender. Firme aquí ► _____ Fecha ► _____ | | | | | | | | |
| For Office Use Only | VUID # _____ Voter Reg. Dept. Signature _____ Date _____ Comments: _____ | | | | | | | | |

Si hace una declaración falsa en este formulario, se le podría acusar culpable de un delito menor Clase A o un delito grave que amerite encarcelamiento bajo la Fracción 37.02 del Código Penal de Texas.