



THE TEXAS LOCKSMITHS ASSOCIATION



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

1-877-TLA-INFO

An Affiliate of the Associated Locksmiths of America

APPLICATION FEE \$50.00

(Membership Dues \$35.00 / Legislative Assessment \$15.00 = total \$50.00)

This application is for _____ Regular _____ Provisional _____ Apprentice (see cover for description)

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name First Middle Membership Name & # (ALOA, SAVTA, ALNT etc..)

Mailing Address / P.O. Box City State Zip

/ / /
Date of Birth DPS ID Card # Drivers License Number & State

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Phone Number Email (Please provide to receive Advisor/Newsletter)

Owner / Employee / Student / Partner / Officer / Institutional / Out of State / Military
Please Circle

BUSINESS INFORMATION

Business Name TX DPS LICENSE # (if no license please explain & provide Proof of Employment)

Business Address City State Zip

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Business Phone # Fax # Email

I hereby certify, by my signature below, all information submitted on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. False statement will result in denial of application.

Signature Date

TWO REGULAR MEMBERS in good standing must sponsor ALL Applications for membership.

Member Name Signature TLA Number

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Please submit: \$50.00 & Copy of TX DPS ID Card & Drivers License.
(If no DPS # please explain & provide Proof of employment on separate sheet)

Check/Money Order # Credit Card Type & Number Expiration code on back of card Zip Code

Mail Application to: Texas Locksmiths Association P.O Box 15242 Austin Texas 78761-5242

Date Received Presented to Board Approved /Rejected TLA Membership #

Credit Card Approval & Date Deposited check or money order # TLA

Texas Locksmiths Association Application for Regular, Provisional, Apprentice membership 12/08

CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERSHIP

The Texas Locksmiths Association currently recognizes Regular Membership, Provisional Regular Membership, Apprentice Membership, Associate Members, Honorary and Life.

For Associate, Honorary and Life Membership Form: please contact:

Membership Director

P.O. Box 15242

Austin TX 78761-5242

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REGULAR MEMBER

To qualify for regular membership an individual shall meet all requirements for locksmith registration if required by Texas law and:

1. Be at least eighteen (18) years of age and have at least six (6) months experience in locksmith work or;
2. Be a registered owner or manager of a licensed locksmith shop (business) or;
3. Have received training in this profession either through an accredited school or through on-the job training by an accredited locksmith and be actively engaged as a professional locksmith.
4. TLA members who have retired from the locksmith trade may continue their membership without being registered provided they are not actively engaged as a locksmith.
5. Provisional regular membership may be granted if registration has been applied for but not yet granted by the state. Provisional membership will be reviewed by the board at each quarterly board meeting to determine if state registration has been granted and the provisional membership converted to a regular membership. If the registration has been denied or blocked, the provisional membership will be canceled. Provisional membership may be continued at the discretion of the board if the denial of registration is being appealed. No refund of dues and assessment will be granted in the event a registration is denied.

Annual Fee as of January, 2009 for regular members is \$50.00

PROVISIONAL REGULAR MEMBERSHIP

Provisional regular membership may be granted if registration has been applied for but not yet granted by the state. Provisional membership will be reviewed by the board at each quarterly board meeting to determine if state registration has been granted and the provisional

membership converted to a regular membership. If the registration has been denied or blocked, the provisional membership will be canceled.

Annual Provisional Regular Membership as of January, 2009 is \$50.00.

Upon acceptance the fees will be applied to regular membership.

APPRENTICE MEMBER

To qualify for apprentice membership an individual shall be at least twelve (12) years of age and a dependent of a regular or life TLA member. An apprentice member shall automatically become a regular member upon age eighteen (18) providing that apprentice membership status has been maintained and that member is actively engaged in locksmith work and received locksmith registration if required by Texas Law. Apprentice members may not vote or hold elective office.

Annual Fee as of January, 2009 for apprentice members is \$50.00

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

To qualify for associate membership an individual or business firm shall be approved and pay the fees set by the TLA Board of Directors, herein after referred to as BOD.

Annual Fee as of January, 2009 for Associate members is \$125.00

HONORARY MEMBERS

To qualify for honorary membership an individual member shall provided exemplary contributions and service to TLA; be selected by the BOD.

LIFE

To qualify for life membership a member may be selected by the BOD and have been:

1. A member in good standing for a minimum of ten (10) years and have provided exemplary service to TLA by serving on the BOD, on committees education and/or TLA road show program; instructing; volunteering; being an ambassador and recruiter for TLA; or A member in good standing for a minimum of fifteen (15) years of continuous membership and at least 65 years of age or will reach 65 years of age during the calendar year of selection.

For more information please go to

www.texaslocksmiths.org

or call 1-877-TLA-INFO