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OFFICE OF REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana

I am a citizen of the United States and of the State of Louisiana.

My name is Mr.-Mrs.-Miss ____________________________ I was born in the State (or country) of ____________________________ in the year _____________.
Parish (or county) of ____________________________ on the ________ day of _____________.

I am now ________ years, ________ months and ________ days of age. I have resided in this State since _____________________________.

in Ward No. ________, in this Parish since _____________________________ and in Precinct No. ________ in Ward No. ________, of this Parish continuously since _________________. I am not disfranchised by any provisions of the Constitution of this State. The name of the householder at my present address is _____________________________.

My occupation is _____________________________. My color is _________. My sex is _________. I am not now registered as a voter in any other Ward or Precinct of this State, except _____________________________. My last registration was in Ward ________, Precinct ________, Parish ________,. I am now affiliated with the _____________________________.

In each of the following items the applicant shall mark through the word "have" or the words "have not" so that each item will show a true statement about the applicant:

I have (have not) been convicted of a felony without receiving a full pardon and restoration of franchise.

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TURN CARD OVER
I have (have not) given birth to an illegitimate child within five years before the date of making this application for registration as an elector. (The provisions hereof shall not apply to the birth of any illegitimate child conceived as a consequence of rape or forced carnal knowledge.)

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Signature ____________________________________________

Sworn to and subscribed before me: ____________________________________________

(Deputy) Registrar

CHANGE OF ADDRESS


CHANGE OF NAME

I am now Mr.—Mrs.—Miss ____________________________________________ Date of change. 

Nature of change ____________________________________________

REMARKS

________________________________________ ____________________________________________

The following information forms no part of the application but is for use of the registration records:

Parish of ____________________________, State of Louisiana. Date ____________________________, 19__.

Address ____________________________________________ Color of eyes ____________________________.

Mother's first or maiden name ____________________________ Name of employer ____________________________

Property owner ________ Tenaint ________ Boarder ________
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We, the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America. (Article VIII, 1 (c) (7) La. Constitution)

CITIZEN TEST FOR REGISTRATION
Circle letter indicating your answers to the four numbered questions you have chosen.

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2 - a b c 4 - a b c 6 - a b c

(The above qualification test and a registration application form provided for by Act 63 of 1962, (Form LR-1), were received by me from the
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Date: __________________________ 196 ____________________

Applicant for Registration

Address __________________________

SAMPLE AFFIDAVIT

Form No. 11

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Applicant's Signature

(Deputy Registrar)

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   a. the national courts.
   b. the States.
   c. the people.

5. United States judges obtain their offices through ---
   a. election by the people of their districts.
   b. appointment by the President without the approval of the Senate.
   c. appointment by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate.

6. A tax on the money a person receives in payment for his labor, of earnings from his property is ---
   a. an income tax.
   b. a poll tax.
   c. a sales tax.
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3. All Bills of revenue (tax) must begin in --
   a. the Senate.
   b. the Supreme Court.
   c. The House of Representatives.

4. Most States have a lawmaking body made up --
   a. of two houses.
   b. of one house.
   c. of the governor and the department heads.

5. The members of the House of Representatives are called --
   b. Congressmen.
   c. Senators.

6. The (U. S.) Supreme Court is made up of --
   a. 9 Justices.
   b. 6 Justices.
   c. 5 Justices.
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1. Limits are placed on the right to vote by the --
   b. States.
   c. courts.

2. The name of our first President was --
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3. The judges of the national courts hold office --
   a. for five years.
   b. for life if they obey the laws.
   c. for twenty years.

4. The tax we pay on our property is --
   a. a business tax.
   b. a property tax.
   c. an inheritance tax.

5. The chief work of the Congress is to --
   a. make the laws for the Nation.
   b. explain the laws.
   c. make treaties.

6. The system of courts in a State is called --
   a. the executive branch of the government.
   b. the State judiciary.
   c. the Senate.