

DRIVER'S APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT

Applicant Name _____ Date of Application _____
 (print)

Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

In compliance with Federal and State equal employment opportunity laws, qualified applicants are considered for all positions without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, marital status, veteran status, non-job related disability, or any other protected group status.

TO BE READ AND SIGNED BY APPLICANT

I understand that information I provide regarding current and/or previous employers may be used, and those employer(s) will be contacted, for the purpose of investigating my safety performance history as required by 49 CFR 391.23(d) and (e). I understand that I have the right to:

- Review information provided by previous employers;
- Have errors in the information corrected by previous employers and for those previous employers to re-send the corrected information to the prospective employer; and
- Have a rebuttal statement attached to the alleged erroneous information, if the previous employer(s) and I cannot agree on the accuracy of the information.

Signature _____ Date _____

FOR COMPANY USE

PROCESS RECORD

APPLICANT HIRED _____ REJECTED _____

DATE EMPLOYED _____ POINT EMPLOYED _____

DEPARTMENT _____ CLASSIFICATION _____
 (IF REJECTED, SUMMARY REPORT OF REASONS SHOULD BE PLACED IN FILE)

SIGNATURE OF INTERVIEWING OFFICER _____

TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT

DATE TERMINATED _____ DEPARTMENT RELEASED FROM _____

DISMISSED _____ VOLUNTARILY QUIT _____ OTHER _____

TERMINATION REPORT PLACED IN FILE _____ SUPERVISOR _____

APPLICANT TO COMPLETE

(answer all questions - please print)

Position(s) Applied for _____

Name _____ Social Security No. _____
Last First Middle

List your addresses of residency for the past 3 years.

Current Address _____
Street City

State Zip Code Phone _____ How Long? _____
yr./mo.

Previous Addresses _____
Street City State & Zip Code How Long? _____
yr./mo.

Street City State & Zip Code How Long? _____
yr./mo.

Street City State & Zip Code How Long? _____
yr./mo.

Do you have the legal right to work in the United States? _____

Date of Birth _____ / _____ / _____ Can you provide proof of age? _____
(Required for Commercial Drivers)

Have you worked for this company before? _____ Where? _____

Dates: From _____ To _____ Position _____

Reason for leaving _____

Who referred you? _____ Rate of pay expected _____

Have you ever been bonded? _____ Name of bonding company _____
(Answer only if a job requirement)

Can you perform, with or without reasonable accommodation, the essential functions of the job [as described in the attached job description]? YES NO

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

All driver applicants to drive in interstate commerce must provide the following information on all employers during the preceding 3 years. List complete mailing address, street number, city, state and zip code.

Applicants to drive a commercial motor vehicle* in intrastate or interstate commerce shall also provide an additional 7 years' information on those employers for whom the applicant operated such vehicle.

(NOTE: List employers in reverse order starting with the most recent. Add another sheet as necessary.)

EMPLOYER	DATE	
	FROM MO. YR.	TO MO. YR.
NAME	POSITION HELD	
ADDRESS	REASON FOR LEAVING	
CITY STATE ZIP		
CONTACT PERSON PHONE NUMBER		
WERE YOU SUBJECT TO THE FMCSRs [†] WHILE EMPLOYED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		
WAS YOUR JOB DESIGNATED AS A SAFETY-SENSITIVE FUNCTION IN ANY DOT-REGULATED MODE SUBJECT TO THE DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING REQUIREMENTS OF 49 CFR PART 40? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY (continued)

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*Includes vehicles having a GVWR of 26,001 lbs. or more, vehicles designed to transport 16 or more passengers (including the driver), or any size vehicle used to transport hazardous materials in a quantity requiring placarding.

†The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSRs) apply to anyone operating a motor vehicle on a highway in interstate commerce to transport passengers or property when the vehicle: (1) weighs or has a GVWR of 10,001 pounds or more, (2) is designed or used to transport more than 8 passengers (including the driver), OR (3) is of any size and is used to transport hazardous materials in a quantity requiring placarding.

ACCIDENT RECORD FOR PAST 3 YEARS OR MORE (ATTACH SHEET IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED) IF NONE, WRITE NONE

DATES	NATURE OF ACCIDENT (HEAD-ON, REAR-END, UPSET, ETC.)	FATALITIES	INJURIES	HAZARDOUS MATERIAL SPILL
LAST ACCIDENT _____				
NEXT PREVIOUS _____				
NEXT PREVIOUS _____				

TRAFFIC CONVICTIONS AND FORFEITURES FOR THE PAST 3 YEARS (OTHER THAN PARKING VIOLATIONS) IF NONE, WRITE NONE

LOCATION	DATE	CHARGE	PENALTY

(ATTACH SHEET IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED)

EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS – DRIVER

Driver licenses or permits held in the past 3 years	STATE	LICENSE NO.	CLASS	ENDORSEMENT(S)	EXPIRATION DATE

A. Have you ever been denied a license, permit or privilege to operate a motor vehicle? YES _____ NO _____

B. Has any license, permit or privilege ever been suspended or revoked? YES _____ NO _____

IF THE ANSWER TO EITHER A OR B IS YES, GIVE DETAILS _____

DRIVING EXPERIENCE CHECK YES OR NO

CLASS OF EQUIPMENT	CIRCLE TYPE OF EQUIPMENT	DATES		APPROX. NO. OF MILES (TOTAL)
		FROM (M/Y)	TO (M/Y)	
STRAIGHT TRUCK <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	(VAN, TANK, FLAT, DUMP, REFER)			
TRACTOR AND SEMI-TRAILER <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	(VAN, TANK, FLAT, DUMP, REFER)			
TRACTOR - TWO TRAILERS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	(VAN, TANK, FLAT, DUMP, REFER)			
TRACTOR - THREE TRAILERS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	(VAN, TANK, FLAT, DUMP, REFER)			
MOTORCOACH - SCHOOL BUS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <small>More than 8 passengers</small>	—			
MOTORCOACH - SCHOOL BUS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <small>More than 15 passengers</small>	—			
OTHER _____				

LIST STATES OPERATED IN FOR LAST FIVE YEARS: _____

SHOW SPECIAL COURSES OR TRAINING THAT WILL HELP YOU AS A DRIVER: _____

WHICH SAFE DRIVING AWARDS DO YOU HOLD AND FROM WHOM? _____

EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS – OTHER

SHOW ANY TRUCKING, TRANSPORTATION OR OTHER EXPERIENCE THAT MAY HELP IN YOUR WORK FOR THIS COMPANY

LIST COURSES AND TRAINING OTHER THAN SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THIS APPLICATION

LIST SPECIAL EQUIPMENT OR TECHNICAL MATERIALS YOU CAN WORK WITH (OTHER THAN THOSE ALREADY SHOWN)

EDUCATION

CIRCLE HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 HIGH SCHOOL: 1 2 3 4 COLLEGE: 1 2 3 4

LAST SCHOOL ATTENDED (NAME) _____ (CITY, STATE)

TO BE READ AND SIGNED BY APPLICANT

This certifies that this application was completed by me, and that all entries on it and information in it are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

USE THIS SHEET FOR ADDITIONAL EMPLOYMENT HISTORY INFORMATION
(NOTE: LIST EMPLOYERS IN REVERSE ORDER STARTING WITH THE MOST RECENT)

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Combined Energy Services
Credit Inquire Consent Form

Date: _____

Name: _____

DOB: _____

Mailing Address: _____

S.S #: _____

Driver's License #: _____

I hereby consent and give authorization of a consumer credit search by a credit agency of Combined Energy Services choice.

(Signature)

Para informacion en espanol, visite www.ftc.gov/credit o escribe a la FTC Consumer Response Center, Room 130-A 600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

A Summary of Your Rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act

The federal Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA) promotes the accuracy, fairness, and privacy of information in the files of consumer reporting agencies. There are many types of consumer reporting agencies, including credit bureaus and specialty agencies (such as agencies that sell information about check writing histories, medical records, and rental history records). Here is a summary of your major rights under the FCRA. **For more information, including information about additional rights, go to www.ftc.gov/credit or write to: Consumer Response Center, Room 130-A, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.**

- **You must be told if information in your file has been used against you.** Anyone who uses a credit report or another type of consumer report to deny your application for credit, insurance, or employment – or to take another adverse action against you – must tell you, and must give you the name, address, and phone number of the agency that provided the information.
- **You have the right to know what is in your file.** You may request and obtain all the information about you in the files of a consumer reporting agency (your “file disclosure”). You will be required to provide proper identification, which may include your Social Security number. In many cases, the disclosure will be free. You are entitled to a free file disclosure if:
 - a person has taken adverse action against you because of information in your credit report;
 - you are the victim of identity theft and place a fraud alert in your file;
 - your file contains inaccurate information as a result of fraud;
 - you are on public assistance;
 - you are unemployed but expect to apply for employment within 60 days.All consumers are entitled to one free disclosure every 12 months upon request from each nationwide credit bureau and from nationwide specialty consumer reporting agencies. See www.ftc.gov/credit for additional information.
- **You have the right to ask for a credit score.** Credit scores are numerical summaries of your credit-worthiness based on information from credit bureaus. You may request a credit score from consumer reporting agencies that create scores or distribute scores used in residential real property loans, but you will have to pay for it. In some mortgage transactions, you will receive credit score information for free from the mortgage lender.
- **You have the right to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information.** If you identify information in your file that is incomplete or inaccurate, and report it to the consumer reporting agency, the agency must investigate unless your dispute is frivolous. See www.ftc.gov/credit for an explanation of dispute procedures.
- **Consumer reporting agencies must correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information.** Inaccurate, incomplete or unverifiable information must be removed or corrected, usually within 30 days. However, a consumer reporting agency may continue to report information it has verified as accurate.
- **Consumer reporting agencies may not report outdated negative information.** In most cases, a consumer reporting agency may not report negative information that is more than seven years old, or bankruptcies that are more than 10 years old.

- **Access to your file is limited.** A consumer reporting agency may provide information about you only to people with a valid need -- usually to consider an application with a creditor, insurer, employer, landlord, or other business. The FCRA specifies those with a valid need for access.
- **You must give your consent for reports to be provided to employers.** A consumer reporting agency may not give out information about you to your employer, or a potential employer, without your written consent given to the employer. Written consent generally is not required in the trucking industry. For more information, go to www.ftc.gov/credit.
- **You may limit "prescreened" offers of credit and insurance you get based on information in your credit report.** Unsolicited "prescreened" offers for credit and insurance must include a toll-free phone number you can call if you choose to remove your name and address from the lists these offers are based on. You may opt-out with the nationwide credit bureaus at 1 888 5OPTOUT (1 888 567 8688).
- **You may seek damages from violators.** If a consumer reporting agency, or, in some cases, a user of consumer reports or a furnisher of information to a consumer reporting agency violates the FCRA, you may be able to sue in state or federal court.
- **Identity theft victims and active duty military personnel have additional rights.** For more information, visit www.ftc.gov/credit.

States may enforce the FCRA, and many states have their own consumer reporting laws. In some cases, you may have more rights under state law. For more information, contact your state or local consumer protection agency or your state Attorney General. Federal enforcers are:

TYPE OF BUSINESS:	CONTACT:
Consumer reporting agencies, creditors and others not listed below	Federal Trade Commission: Consumer Response Center - FCRA Washington, DC 20580 1 877 382 4357
National banks, federal branches/agencies of foreign banks (word "National" or initials "N.A." appear in or after bank's name)	Office of the Comptroller of the Currency Compliance Management, Mail Stop 6-6 Washington, DC 20219 1 800 613 6743
Federal Reserve System member banks (except national banks, and federal branches/agencies of foreign banks)	Federal Reserve Board Division of Consumer & Community Affairs Washington, DC 20551 1 202 452 3693
Savings associations and federally chartered savings banks (word "Federal" or initials "F.S.B." appear in federal institution's name)	Office of Thrift Supervision Consumer Complaints Washington, DC 20552 1 800 842 6929
Federal credit unions (words "Federal Credit Union" appear in institution's name)	National Credit Union Administration 1775 Duke Street Alexandria, VA 22314 1 703 519 4600
State-chartered banks that are not members of the Federal Reserve System	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Consumer Response Center, 2345 Grand Avenue, Suite 100 Kansas City, Missouri 64108-2638 1 877 275 3342
Air, surface, or rail common carriers regulated by former Civil Aeronautics Board or Interstate Commerce Commission	Department of Transportation, Office of Financial Management Washington, DC 20590 1 202 366 1306
Activities subject to the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921	Department of Agriculture Office of Deputy Administrator - GIPSA Washington, DC 20250 1 202 720 7051



GENERAL CONSENT FOR RELEASE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION

Background

The federal Driver's Privacy Protection Act (DPPA) designates certain information in motor vehicle records as *Personal Information*. Personal information includes a motorist's photograph, social security number, date of birth, driver license number, non-driver ID number, name, address (except for 5-digit zip code), telephone number, and medical or disability information. Public information includes reportable accidents, driving convictions, driver status and vehicle information. Most motor vehicle records contain personal and public information. Please note, if we are authorized to release personal information, we will not release social security number, phone number, photograph, medical or disability information.

The DPPA also limits the reasons (*permissible uses*) for which the Department of Motor Vehicles may release records containing personal information. A copy of the DPPA, and the permissible uses in New York State, are printed on form MV-15DPPA.

Some requesters may request a copy of a record only if they have permission from the person named in the record. This form provides evidence (*signed authorization*) of that permission.

Instructions for Motorists

The motorist is the person named in a motor vehicle record. The record requester is the person requesting information about the motorist. To complete this form, print your name in the blank marked *Motorist*. Print the record requester's name in the blank marked *Record Requester*. Then visit a notary public. In the presence of the notary, sign on the line marked *Motorist's Signature*, then give this form to the notary to notarize.

After it is notarized, give this form to the record requester.

Instructions for Record Requesters

You may request someone else's motor vehicle record containing personal information only if you have a permissible use as defined in the DPPA. You may face criminal penalties and civil liabilities if you request a record for which you do not have a permissible use. Having the motorist's permission is a permissible use. This form, properly completed and notarized, is evidence of the motorist's permission.

Keep a copy of this form for five years after you receive the record you requested.

I, _____, authorize the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles
(Motorist)
to disclose or otherwise make available to _____ personal information about
(Record Requester)
me obtained by the Department in connection with a motor vehicle record.



Motorist's Signature

STATE OF _____

ss:

COUNTY OF _____

On this _____ day of _____, _____ before me personally appeared
(month) (year)

_____, to me known and who by me being duly sworn, acknowledged
(Motorist)

to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing consent and who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purpose therein stated.

Notary Public

APPLICANT DISCLOSURE AND AUTHORIZATION FORM

Combined Energy may obtain information about you from a consumer reporting agency for employment purposes. Thus, you may be the subject of a "consumer report" and/or an "investigative consumer report" which may include information about your character, general reputation, personal characteristics, and/or mode of living, which can involve personal interviews with sources such as your neighbors, friends, or associates. These reports may contain information regarding your credit history, criminal history, social security verification, motor vehicle records "driving records", verification of your education or employment history, workers compensation injuries, employment and/or education history, or other background checks. Please be advised that the nature and scope of this notice and authorization is all-encompassing to include Partners In Safety, Inc. 800 Route 17M, Middletown, NY; 845-341-0515 or another outside organization. By signing this notice and authorization you are allowing **Combined Energy** to obtain from any outside organization all manners of consumer reports and investigative reports now and throughout the course of your employment to the extent permitted by law. As a result, you should carefully consider whether to exercise your right to request disclosure of the nature and scope of any investigative consumer reports.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION

I acknowledge receipt of the DISCLOSURE REGARDING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION and A SUMMARY OF YOUR RIGHTS UNDER THE FAIR CREDIT REPORTING ACT and certify that I have read and understand both of those documents. I hereby authorize the obtaining of "consumer reports" and/or "investigative consumer reports" by **Combined Energy** at any time after receipt of this authorization and throughout my employment, if applicable. To this end, I hereby authorize, without reservation, any law enforcement agency, administrator, state or federal agency, institution, school or university (public or private), information service bureau, employer, or insurance to furnish any and all background information requested by Partners In Safety, Inc. 800 Route 17M, Middletown, NY 10940; 845-341-0515 another outside organization acting on behalf **Combined Energy** itself. I agree that facsimile (fax), electronic or photographic copy of this Authorization shall be as valid as the original.

New York applicants or employees only: You have the right to inspect and receive a copy of any investigative consumer report requested by Partners In Safety, Inc. by contacting the consumer reporting agency identified above directly.

Maine, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Jersey and Oklahoma applicants or employees only: Please initial if you would like to receive a copy of a consumer report if one is obtained by Partners In Safety, Inc. _____

California applicants or employees only: By signing below, you also acknowledge receipt of the NOTICE REGARDING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA LAW. Please initial here if you would like to receive a copy of an investigative consumer report or consumer credit report at no charge if one is obtained by National Background Investigations, Inc. whenever you have the right to receive such a copy under California law. _____

SIGNATURE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION

By my signature below, I certify that the information provided on the attached forms is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Please print name (last, first, middle) _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Partners In Safety, Inc.

TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT (all information will be used for background screening purposes only)

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
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Other Known Names Or Other Names Used

Other First Name	Other Last Name
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Current Address

City	State	Zip
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From (mm/yy)	To (mm/yy)
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Primary Telephone Number	Email
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Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

Social Security No.

Driver's License No.	State
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Previous Address of Residence (past seven years)

1. Address

City	State	Zip
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From (mm/yy)	To (mm/yy)
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2. Address

City	State	Zip
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From (mm/yy)	To (mm/yy)
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3. Address

City	State	Zip
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From (mm/yy)	To (mm/yy)
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4. Address

City	State	Zip
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From (mm/yy)	To (mm/yy)
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NEW YORK CORRECTION LAW
ARTICLE 23-A

A COPY OF THIS LAW IS BEING PROVIDED TO YOU IN CONJUNCTION WITH OUR
ORDERING BACKGROUND REPORTS ON YOU.

New York Bus Code §380-c (b) (2) and 380-g (d)

§750. Definitions. For the purposes of this article, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(1) "Public agency" means the state or any local subdivision thereof, or any state or local department, agency, board or commission.

(2) "Private employer" means any person, company, corporation, labor organization or association which employs ten or more persons.

(3) "Direct relationship" means that the nature of criminal conduct for which the person was convicted has a direct bearing on his fitness or ability to perform one or more of the duties or responsibilities necessarily related to the license, opportunity, or job in question.

(4) "License" means any certificate, license, permit or grant of permission required by the laws of this state, its political subdivisions or instrumentalities as a condition for the lawful practice of any occupation, employment, trade, vocation, business, or profession. Provided, however, that "license" shall not, for the purposes of this article, include any license or permit to own, possess, carry, or fire any explosive, pistol, handgun, rifle, shotgun, or other firearm.

(5) "Employment" means any occupation, vocation or employment, or any form of vocational or educational training. Provided, however, that "employment" shall not, for the purposes of this article, include membership in any law enforcement agency.

§751. Applicability. The provisions of this article shall apply to any application by any person for a license or employment at any public or private employer, who has previously been convicted of one or more criminal offenses in this state or in any other jurisdiction, and to any license or employment held by any person whose conviction of one or more criminal offenses in this state or in any other jurisdiction preceded such employment or granting of a license, except where a mandatory forfeiture, disability or bar to employment is imposed by law, and has not been removed by an executive pardon, certificate of relief from disabilities or certificate of good conduct. Nothing in this article shall be construed to affect any right an employer may have with respect to an intentional misrepresentation in connection with an application for employment made by a prospective employee or previously made by a current employee.

§752. Unfair discrimination against persons previously convicted of one or more criminal offenses prohibited. No application for any license or employment, and no employment or license held by an individual, to which the provisions of this article are applicable, shall be denied or acted upon adversely by reason of the individuals having been previously convicted of one or more criminal offenses, or by reason of a finding of lack of 'good moral character' when such finding is based upon the fact that the individual has previously been convicted of one or more criminal offenses, unless:

(1) There is a direct relationship between one or more of the previous criminal offenses and the specific license or employment sought or held by the individual; or

(2) The issuance or continuation of the license or the granting or continuation of the employment would involve an unreasonable risk to property or to the safety or welfare of specific individuals or the general public.

§753. Factors to be considered concerning a previous criminal conviction; presumption.

1. In making a determination pursuant to section seven hundred fifty—two of this chapter, the public agency or private employer shall consider the following factors:

(a) The public policy of this state, as expressed in this act, to encourage the licensure and employment of persons previously convicted of one or more criminal offenses.

(b) The specific duties and responsibilities necessarily related to the license or employment sought or held by the person.

(c) The bearing, if any, the criminal offense or offenses for which the person was previously convicted will have on his fitness or ability to perform one or more such duties or responsibilities.

(d) The time which has elapsed since the occurrence of the criminal offense or offenses.

(e) The age of the person at the time of occurrence of the criminal offense or offenses.

(f) The seriousness of the offense or offenses.

(g) Any information produced by the person, or produced on his behalf, in regard to his rehabilitation and good conduct.

(h) The legitimate interest of the public agency or private employer in protecting property, and the safety and welfare of specific individuals or the general public.

2. In making a determination pursuant to section seven hundred fifty—two of this chapter, the public agency or private employer shall also give consideration to a certificate of relief from disabilities or a certificate of good conduct issued to the applicant, which certificate shall create a presumption of rehabilitation in regard to the offense or offenses specified therein.

§754. Written statement upon denial of license or employment. At the request of any person previously convicted of one or more criminal offenses who has been denied a license or employment, a public agency or private employer shall provide, within thirty days of a request, a written statement setting forth the reasons for such denial.

§755. Enforcement.

1. In relation to actions by public agencies, the provisions of this article shall be enforceable by a proceeding brought pursuant to article seventy—eight of the civil practice law and rules.

2. In relation to actions by private employers, the provisions of this article shall be enforceable by the division of human rights pursuant to the powers and procedures set forth in article fifteen of the executive law, and, concurrently, by the New York city commission on human rights.

**THE BELOW DISCLOSURE AND AUTHORIZATION LANGUAGE IS FOR MANDATORY USE BY ALL
ACCOUNT HOLDERS**

IMPORTANT DISCLOSURE

REGARDING BACKGROUND REPORTS FROM THE *PSP Online Service*

In connection with your application for employment with COMBINED ENERGY SERVICES ("Prospective Employer"), Prospective Employer, its employees, agents or contractors may obtain one or more reports regarding your driving, and safety inspection history from the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA).

When the application for employment is submitted in person, if the Prospective Employer uses any information it obtains from FMCSA in a decision to not hire you or to make any other adverse employment decision regarding you, the Prospective Employer will provide you with a copy of the report upon which its decision was based and a written summary of your rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act before taking any final adverse action. If any final adverse action is taken against you based upon your driving history or safety report, the Prospective Employer will notify you that the action has been taken and that the action was based in part or in whole on this report.

When the application for employment is submitted by mail, telephone, computer, or other similar means, if the Prospective Employer uses any information it obtains from FMCSA in a decision to not hire you or to make any other adverse employment decision regarding you, the Prospective Employer must provide you within three business days of taking adverse action oral, written or electronic notification; that adverse action has been taken based in whole or in part on information obtained from FMCSA; the name, address, and the toll free telephone number of FMCSA; that the FMCSA did not make the decision to take the adverse action and is unable to provide you the specific reasons why the adverse action was taken; and that you may, upon providing proper identification, request a free copy of the report and may dispute with the FMCSA the accuracy or completeness of any information or report. If you request a copy of a driver record from the Prospective Employer who procured the report, then, within 3 business days of receiving your request, together with proper identification, the Prospective Employer must send or provide to you a copy of your report and a summary of your rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act.

Neither the Prospective Employer nor the FMCSA contractor supplying the crash and safety information has the capability to correct any safety data that appears to be incorrect. You may challenge the accuracy of the data by submitting a request to <https://dataqs.fmcsa.dot.gov>. If you challenge crash or inspection information reported by a State, FMCSA cannot change or correct this data. Your request will be forwarded by the DataQs system to the appropriate State for adjudication.

Any crash or inspection in which you were involved will display on your PSP report. Since the PSP report does not report, or assign, or imply fault, it will include all Commercial Motor Vehicle (CMV) crashes where you were a driver or co-driver and where those crashes were reported to FMCSA, regardless of fault. Similarly, all inspections, with or without violations, appear on the PSP report. State citations associated with Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations (FMCSR) violations that have been adjudicated by a court of law will also appear, and remain, on a PSP report.

The Prospective Employer cannot obtain background reports from FMCSA without your authorization.

AUTHORIZATION

If you agree that the Prospective Employer may obtain such background reports, please read the following and sign below:

I authorize COMBINED ENERGY SERVICES ("Prospective Employer") to access the FMCSA Pre-Employment Screening Program (PSP) system to seek information regarding my commercial driving safety record and information regarding my safety inspection history. I understand that I am authorizing the release of safety performance information including crash data from the previous five (5) years and inspection history from the previous three (3) years. I understand and acknowledge that this release of information may assist the Prospective Employer to make a determination regarding my suitability as an employee.

I further understand that neither the Prospective Employer nor the FMCSA contractor supplying the crash and safety information has the capability to correct any safety data that appears to be incorrect. I understand I may challenge the accuracy of the data by submitting a request to <https://dataqs.fmcsa.dot.gov>. If I challenge crash or inspection information reported by a State, FMCSA cannot change or correct this data. I understand my request will be forwarded by the DataQs system to the appropriate State for adjudication.

I understand that any crash or inspection in which I was involved will display on my PSP report. Since the PSP report does not report, or assign, or imply fault, I acknowledge it will include all CMV crashes where I was a driver or co-driver and where those crashes were reported to FMCSA, regardless of fault. Similarly, I understand all inspections, with or without violations, will appear on my PSP report, and State citations associated with FMCSR violations that have been adjudicated by a court of law will also appear, and remain, on my PSP report.

I have read the above Disclosure Regarding Background Reports provided to me by Prospective Employer and I understand that if I sign this Disclosure and Authorization, Prospective Employer may obtain a report of my crash and inspection history. I hereby authorize Prospective Employer and its employees, authorized agents, and/or affiliates to obtain the information authorized above.

Date: _____

Signature

Name (Please Print)

NOTICE: This form is made available to monthly account holders by NIC on behalf of the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA). Account holders are required by federal law to obtain an Applicant's written or electronic consent prior to accessing the Applicant's PSP report. Further, account holders are required by FMCSA to use the language contained in this Disclosure and Authorization form to obtain an Applicant's consent. The language must be used in whole, exactly as provided. Further, the language on this form must exist as one stand-alone document. The language may NOT be included with other consent forms or any other language.

NOTICE: The prospective employment concept referenced in this form contemplates the definition of "employee" contained at 49 C.F.R. 383.5.

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