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# **SURETY BOND - SAMPLE FORM**

# OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION 1915 N. STILES AVENUE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73105

# SURETY BOND OF SELF-INSURER OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION

IN THE MATTER OF THE PERMIT OF )	SURETY BOND NO.
,	EFFECTIVE DATE:
Employer, Self-Insurance )	
Permit No.:)	
KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS	S:
THAT	(name of employer) whose
address is	
as Principal, and	(name of Surety), a
corporation organized under the laws of	
and authorized to transact a general sur	ety business in the State of Oklahoma, as Surety, whose
address is	
are held and firmly bound to the State of	Oklahoma in the penal sum of
Dollars (\$	) for which payment we bind
ourselves, our heirs, executors, administr	rators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly
by these presents.	
Sealed with our seal and dated this	sday of
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WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of Section 38 of Title 85A of the Oklahoma Statutes, the Principal elected to self-insure, and made application for, and received from the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission, a Self-Insurance Permit, upon a furnishing of proof satisfactory to the Commission of the ability to self-insure and to compensate any or all employees of said Principal for injury or disability, and their dependents for death incurred or sustained by said employees, pursuant to the terms, provisions and limitations of the Oklahoma Administrative Workers' Compensation Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, the conditions of this bond or obligations are such that if the Principal shall pay and furnish compensation pursuant to the terms, provisions and limitations of said Administrative Workers' Compensation Act to its employees for injury or disability, and to dependents of its employees for death incurred or sustained by said employees, then this bond or obligation shall be null and void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

### FURTHERMORE, it is understood and agreed that:

- (1) The Surety does, by these presents, undertake and agree that the obligation of this bond shall cover and extend to all past, present, existing and potential liability of said Principal, as a self-insurer, to the extent of the penal sum herein named, without regard to specific injuries, date or dates of injuries, happenings or events.
- (2) The aggregate liability of the Surety hereunder on all claims whatsoever shall not exceed the penal sum of this bond in any event.
- (3) This bond may be terminated at any time by the Surety upon giving thirty (30) days' written notice by certified mail to the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission, which notice shall be deemed to have been given when received by said Commission. The liability of the Surety shall cease at the expiration of the thirty days, save and except as to all past, present, existing and potential liability of the principal incurred as to self-insurer prior to the expiration of the thirty days. This bond shall also terminate upon the revocation of the Self-Insurance Permit, save and except as to all past, present, existing and potential liability of the Principal, incurred as a self-insurer prior to such revocation; and the Principal and the Surety, herein named, shall be notified in writing, by the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission, in the event of such revocation.
- (4) Where the Principal posts with the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission a replacement security deposit in the form of a surety bond, irrevocable letter of credit, cash, securities or any combination thereof in the full amount as may be required by the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission to secure all incurred liabilities for the payment of compensation of said Principal under the Oklahoma Administrative Workers' Compensation Act, the Surety is released from the obligations under this surety bond upon the date of acceptance by the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission or said replacement security deposit.

- (5) If the said Principal shall suspend payment of workers' compensation benefits or shall become insolvent or a receiver shall be appointed for its business, the undersigned Surety will become liable for the workers' compensation obligations of the Principal on the date benefits are suspended and the Surety shall pay the full amount of the bond to the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission within fifteen (15) days after receipt of written notification by the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission to begin payment under the terms of this bond.
- (6) If the surety and the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission agree, the surety shall pay benefits when due and such payments will be a credit against the penal sum of the bond. Administrative and legal costs incurred by the Surety in discharging its obligations shall also be a charge against the penal sum of the bond.
- (7) When the Surety exercises its obligation to pay claims, it shall pay benefits due to the Principals, injured workers without a formal award of the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission and such payment will be a credit against the penal sum of the bond. Administrative and legal costs incurred by the Surety in discharging its obligations shall also be a charge against the penal sum of the bond.
- (8) If any part or provision of this bond shall be declared unenforceable or held to be invalid by a court of proper jurisdiction, such determination shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the other provisions or parts of this bond.

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signature of its		, and its corporate seal
attached thereto, attested by its _		, and the
Surety has likewise caused these pro	esents to be executed by the signa	ture of its
	, and its corporate seal att	ached hereto, attested by its
	·	
(SEAL)		
Attest as to Seal:	Principal	
	By	
(Title)	(Title)	
(SEAL) Attest as to Seal:		
	Bv	
(Title)	(Title)	
Countersigned		
(Resident Re	presentative of Oklahoma)	
(If executed by other than a corpor	ration)	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we habove written.	nave hereunto set our hands and s	eals on the day and date first
Witness:	Ву	
	(Title)	
	 Surety	

(If executed by the Surety under a power	-of-attorney.
THIS bond is executed under a po	wer-of-attorney.*
I certify (or declare) under penalty the foregoing is true and correct.	of perjury under the laws of the State of Oklahoma that
	Signature of Attorney-In-Fact
	Printed or Typed Name of Attorney-In-Fact
Countersigned	tation of Oblahama)
(Kesident Represer	ntative of Oklahoma)

\* (A copy of the power-of-attorney, entitling or authorizing the person who executed the bond to do so for and in behalf of the Surety, must be filed with the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission.)