



PEACE OFFICER CODE OF CONDUCT
PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING BOARD
PFN14 (03/18)

Peace Officer License Number or Social Security Number	Name (Last, First, Middle)
Agency Name	

109-02-05-01 Peace Officer code of conduct

1. This section applies to every peace officer licensed by the board and every applicant for a peace officer license, including applicants for limited and part time license. This section applies to on duty and off duty officers.
2. All applicants for a peace officer license including a part time license and limited license shall sign a code of conduct on a form provided by the board and shall submit the code of conduct with the application. In the absence of a signed code of conduct a license may not be issued.
3. All applicants for renewal of a peace officer license shall sign a code of conduct on a form provided by the board and shall submit the code of conduct with the application for renewal. In the absence of a signed code of conduct no license will be issued.
4. It is a violation of this section:
 - a. To possess or consume alcoholic beverages on duty or while in uniform on duty or off duty except as authorized or required for the lawful performance of peace officer's duties.
 - b. To possess, sell, consume, use or assist in the use of any illegal or unauthorized controlled substance or medications whether on duty or off duty.
 - c. To engage in conduct that is in violation of the criminal laws of the state or federal government or ordinance of a political subdivision of the state of North Dakota.
 - d. To engage in acts of corruption or bribery or to condone acts of corruption or bribery by other peace officers.
 - e. To willfully lie, provide false testimony, provide misleading information or falsify written or verbal communications in reports when the information may be relied upon by the courts, state's attorneys, or other law enforcement officials.
 - f. To willfully provide false testimony, evidence or misleading information in a application for a search warrant, arrest warrant, or criminal complaint.
 - g. To engage in illegal harassment or intimidation of another individual, or to condone acts of illegal harassment or intimidation by other peace officers.
 - h. To willfully fail to report the violation of a criminal law or NDCC chapter 12-63 by a peace officer.

Peace Officer's Signature	Date
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Please retain a copy of this form and forward the original to the POST Board at:

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