

## **RESERVE AND ACTIVE DUTY COMMISSIONED OFFICER DECLARATIONS**

*(Applicant **MUST** initial each paragraph, provide SSN, sign and date below)*

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that a Regular Army Appointment into the Judge Advocate General Corps mandates a service obligation in the armed forces for a total initial period of not less than six years nor more than eight years. (10 U.S.C. 651). Any person who resigns the active duty commission prior to completing this initial period must request a reserve commission in the armed forces. I also understand that as a member of a reserve component, I am subject to being ordered to active duty at any time in the event of war or national emergency declared by the Congress, or national emergency declared by the President (10 U.S.C. 12301 - 12304).

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand my present Reserve status, i.e. AGR, IMA, TPU assignment will be vacated, and if on orders will be discharged from current status, to accept this appointment offered within 90 days.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that I am receiving a United States Army Reserves appointment into the US Army Reserve followed by a Regular Army Appointment into the Judge Advocate General Corps. This new date of appointment and subsequent date of rank will be determined by AR 135-100, Chapter 3-12. Constructive credit for service and time in grade will be awarded IAW 135-100 assigning a new date of rank. This awarded credit will supersede any previous date of rank held.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that I must complete Judge Advocate Officer Basic Course within 36 months from the date of appointment as a lieutenant or be subject to discharge per AR 135-175 for failure to complete a basic branch course.

\_\_\_\_\_ In consideration of my being granted an appointment in the Army with duty in the Judge Advocate General's Corps, being detailed to the Judge Advocate General's Corps, or being branch transferred to the Judge Advocate General's Corps, I hereby agree to serve on active duty for four (4) years following entry on active duty as an officer in the Judge Advocate General's Corps unless sooner relieved in accordance with army regulations.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that my appointment as a commissioned officer in the United States Army is being accomplished prior to completion of the required National Agency Check with Local Agency Checks and Credit Checks (NACLCC) and Federal Bureau of Investigation Name Check. I further understand that if as a result of completion of the post-commissioning investigative processes I am determined unacceptable for appointment as a commissioned officer, I will be discharged from the United States Army and I will receive an appropriate discharge Certificate.

\_\_\_\_\_ Department of Defense policy is to accommodate religious practices when accommodation will not have an adverse impact on military readiness, unit cohesion, standards, health, safety or discipline. The Army places a high value on the rights of its members to observe the tenets of their respective religions. Unit Commanders are authorized to initially approve or deny requests for accommodation of religious practices. Conditions of accommodation may change based on military need. Policy guidelines are contained in AR 600-20 and AR 165-20. I understand that the Army cannot guarantee accommodation of religious practices.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that I must comply with the Army uniform wear, personal appearance, and grooming standards contained in Army Regulation 670-1 (Wear and Appearance of Army Uniforms and Insignia). Immunization policy is contained in Army Regulation 40-562 (Immunizations and Chemoprophylaxis for the Prevention of Infectious Diseases).

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(Signature)

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(Social Security Number)

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(Name)