

**WEST VIRGINIA APPLICATION FOR
REGISTRATION OF EMBLEMS, ETC.**

Form EMB-1

Rev.07/2026

FILE ONE ORIGINAL

(Two if you want a filed stamped copy returned to you)

FEE: \$10.00

West Virginia Secretary of State

Business & Licensing Division

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Under WV Code [35A-1](#) et.seq.

Applicant Information

1. Name or organization, etc.: _____
2. Address: _____

3. Chief officer(s) making application: _____

4. Brief description of organization and its activities: _____

5. Brief description of emblem: _____

A facsimile or duplicate of the emblem is attached, marked Attachment 1.

Verification

I, as applicant, hereby certify that: 1) the organization, etc. is the owner of the emblem for which this application is made; 2) the emblem is in use; 3) to my knowledge, no other person has registered, either federally or in this state, or has the right to use this emblem either in the identical form thereof or in such near resemblance to it as to be likely to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive; and 4) the information contained in this application is true, to the best of my knowledge.

Date Signed

Name of Person Signing (Type or Print)

Signature

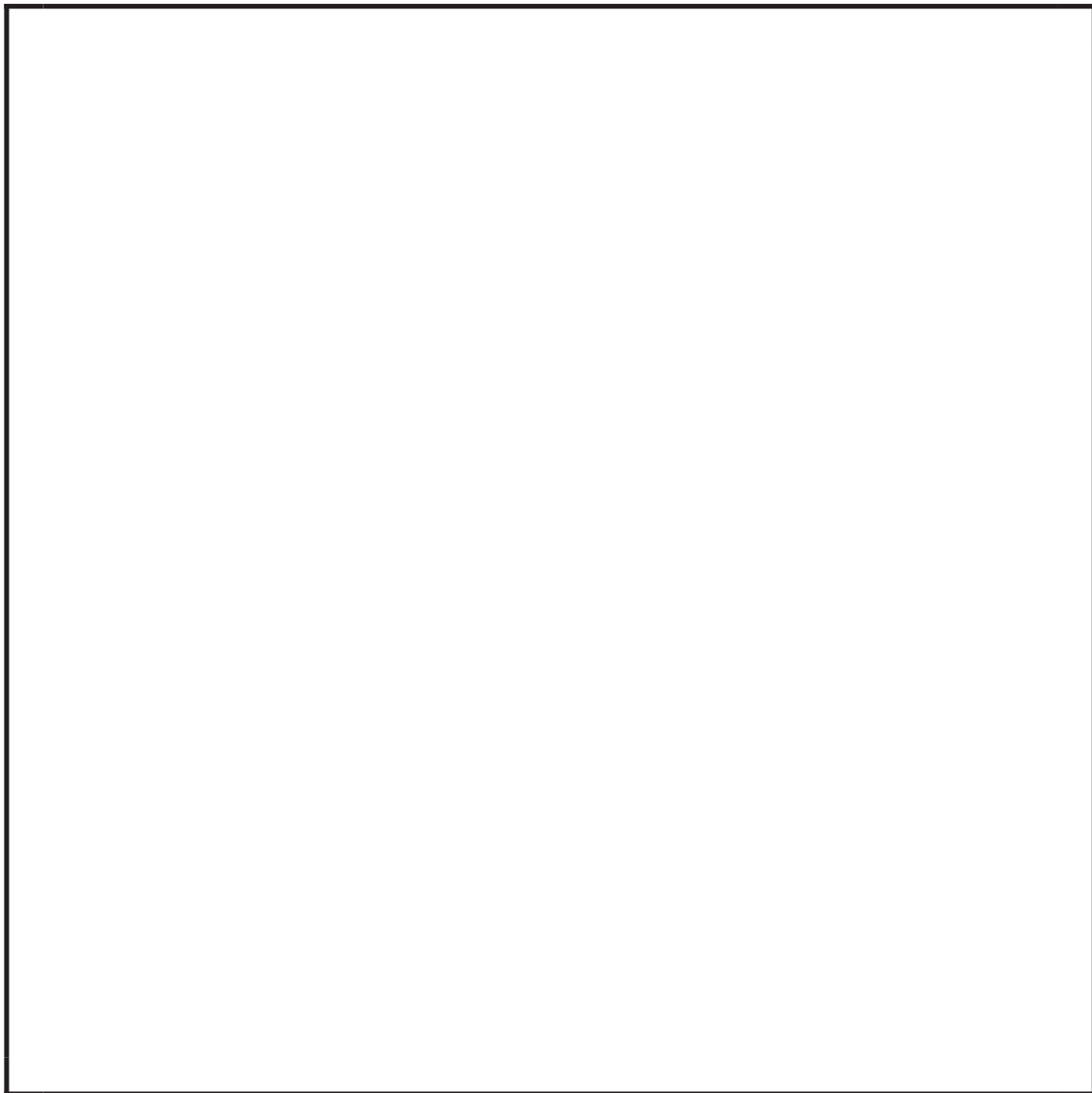
West Virginia Application for Registration of Emblems, etc.

Attachment 1

Print applicant's name on line provided. Leave effective date and serial number blank. Place drawing of photo-coped representation of emblem vertically within the frame. If necessary, enlarge or reduce so that longer dimension is no less than 5" and no more than 6".

Organization's Name: _____

Effective Date: _____



Return to: One-Stop Business Center

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Name: _____

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- ☐ In-Person Same Day -\$25 in addition to filing fee
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- ☐ 1 Hour - \$500 in addition to filing fee

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Names

*Fees apply to each business. Time frame Indicates when the filing will be completed and registered in the Secretary of State database.

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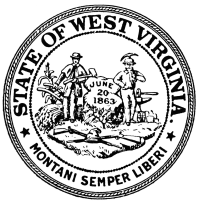
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Next Business Day, 2-Hour, and 1-Hour Expedite Service Guidelines

NEXT BUSINESS DAY EXPEDITE SERVICE

The Secretary of State offers a 24-hour expedite service on most business organization filings processed by this office. If you choose to utilize this service, please enclose with your filing the additional expedite fee. Please note that this expedite fee is in addition to the standard fee charged on each filing and/or order. You must mark the document with your **"24-HOUR EXPEDITE"** request. If using a cover letter, note that you are requesting 24-hour expedited service, and include your telephone number and return information. Each filing will be returned by U.S.P.S. regular mail unless other arrangements are made. This office *does not* fax confirmation of a 24-hour expedite.

The fee for 24-hour handling is \$25.00 in addition to the usual fee for service. Please consult our fee schedules for the appropriate fee. If you require assistance, please contact this office.

Time Constraints: Under most circumstances, each filing submitted receives same day filing date and may be picked up in the office by the end of the same business day. Filings to be mailed the next business day if received by 2:00 pm of receipt date and no later than the 2nd business day if received after 2:00 pm. Expedite period begins when filing or service request is received in this office in acceptable fileable form.

2-HOUR EXPEDITE SERVICE

The Secretary of State offers a 2-hour expedite service on most filings processed by this office. If you choose to utilize the 2-hour expedite service, please enclose with your filing an additional \$250.00 per filing and/or order. Please note that this expedite fee is in addition to the standard fee charged on each filing and/or order. Complete and submit the 2-hour customer order instruction form. If not using our order form, state clearly in your cover letter that you are requesting 2-hour expedited service and include your telephone number and return information. Attach the order form or cover sheet to the *top* of your filing and submit to this office. Each filing will be returned by U.S.P.S. regular mail unless other arrangements are made.

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The Secretary of State offers a 1-hour expedite service on most filings processed by this office. If you choose to utilize the 1-hour expedite service, please enclose with your filing an additional \$500.00 per filing and/or order. Please note that this expedite fee is in addition to the standard fee charged on each filing and/or order. Complete and submit the 1-hour customer order instruction form. If not using our order form, state clearly in your cover letter that you are requesting 1-hour expedited service and include your telephone number and return information. Attach the order form or cover sheet to the *top* of your filing and submit to this office. Each filing will be returned by U.S.P.S. regular mail unless other arrangements are made.

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The Secretary of State reserves the right to extend the expedite period in times of extreme volume, staff shortages or equipment malfunction. These extensions are few and will rarely extend more than a few hours.