Form No. 10-Y Prescribed by Secretary of State (08-17)

Declaration of Intent to Change Political Party Affiliation

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R.C. 3513.05, 3513.191(C)

To be used by current holders of elective offices for which candidates are nominated in a party primary election, who voted in a primary election within the preceding two calendar years, and who desire to seek nomination to elected office in a different political party's primary election.

No person filing this form shall be, during the calendar year in which this form is filed or the during the next calendar year, a candidate in a primary election of a party other than the party specified herein.

No person filing this form shall file another such declaration for a period of 10 (ten) years after this declaration is filed.

To be filed with the Secretary of State or County Board of Elections, wherever the declaration of candidacy is filed, not later than 4 p.m. of the 30th day before the deadline for filing a declaration of candidacy.

Exception: Candidates for party nomination of a newly formed political party are exempted from the requirements of R.C. 3513.191 for a period of four calendar years after the date of the party formation. R.C. 3517.013.

I, _____ the undersigned, hereby declare that my voting residence is
(Printed Name of Office Holder)

_____
(Street and Number, if any, or Rural Route and Number)

_____ , Ohio , _____ .
(City, Village) (State) (Zip Code)

I hold the office of _____ , for which candidates are nominated in a primary election. I hereby
(Current Office)

declare that I desire to be a candidate for nomination to the office of _____
(Office Sought)

as a member of the _____ Party at the next primary election.
(Political Party)

Dated this _____ day of _____ , _____ .
(Day) (Month) (Year)

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(Signature of Candidate)