

County of Santa Cruz

Sheriff-Coroner

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Employment Disqualification Factors for Civilian Personnel

- 1. Unlawful use or possession of any unlawful drug within two years of application for employment.
- 2. Unlawful sales, distribution, manufacture, transportation of an unlawful drug.
- 3. Use of any unlawful drug during work hours while employed at a job.
- 4. Termination from employment or discharge from the military because of a drug test.
- 5. Conviction or commission of a felony, i.e., 530.5 PC, 459 PC, 368 PC & Sex Crimes. Certain convictions will be considered on a case by case basis.
- 6. Conviction or commission of a misdemeanor within the last two years.
- 7. The conviction or specified misdemeanor within the last ten years per California Penal Code 29805(c).
- 8. Classification as a negligent operator under the Department of Motor Vehicles:
 - a. Four or more points in twelve (12) months.
 - b. Six points in twenty-four (24) months.
 - c. Eight points in thirty-six (36) months.
- 9. An applicant who is the subject of a protective or temporary restraining order related to domestic violence or stalking.
- 10. Conviction of a misdemeanor containing the elements of domestic violence. Certain convictions will be considered on a case by case basis.

- 11. Discharge from the armed services of the United States of America under dishonorable conditions.
- 12. Termination from a sworn position at a law enforcement agency.
- 13. Termination from any employment in the past two years for reasons that would adversely impact the candidate's ability to perform as assigned.
- 14. Any incorrect representation, verbal misrepresentation or deletion of a material fact on an application, interview or background investigation.

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