## CHECKLIST: FOR EXPUNCTION PURSUANT TO T.C.A. § 40-32-107(a)

If the conviction was for an offense committed <u>on or after</u> November 1, 1989, the conviction must be for a felony included in the inclusion lists attached or for a misdemeanor that is NOT included on the exclusion list attached.
If the conviction was for an offense committed <u>prior</u> to November 1, 1989, the conviction must meet the additional requirements below.
You understand that the District Attorney is not giving legal advice, but is performing an administrative function pursuant to T.C.A. § 40-32-107(a).
If the Court grants this petition to expunge, it will not alter voting rights or any citizenship rights. Further action would be required to have those rights restored.
You understand that filing a petition to expunge a conviction under T.C.A. § 40-32-107(a) does not guarantee that the petition will be granted by the Court.

## **ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

You would not be eligible if you were convicted of an offense involving the manufacture, delivery, sale, or possession of a controlled substance and at the time of the offense you held:

- A commercial driver license, as defined in § 55-50-102, and the offense was committed within a motor vehicle, as defined in § 55-50-102; or
- Any driver license and the offense was committed within a commercial motor vehicle, as defined in § 55-50-102.

## OFFENSE COMMITTED BEFORE NOVEMBER 1, 1989

If the conviction is for an offense committed before November 1, 1989, the below criteria must be met.

- 1. The person has never had a previous conviction expunged as the result of the successful completion of a diversion program pursuant to §§ 40-15-102--40-15-106 or § 40-35-313;
- 2. The convicted offense did not have as an element the use, attempted use, or threatened use of physical force against the person of another;
- 3. The convicted offense did not involve, by its nature, a substantial risk that physical force against the person of another would be used in the course of committing the offense;
- 4. The convicted offense did not involve the use or possession of a deadly weapon;
- 5. The convicted offense was not a sexual offense for which the offender is required to register as a sexual offender or violent sexual offender under title 40, chapter 39 part 2; or any sexual offense involving a minor;
- 6. The convicted offense did not result in the death, serious bodily injury, or bodily injury of a person;
- 7. The convicted offense did not involve the use of alcohol or drugs and a motor vehicle;
- 8. The convicted offense did not involve the sale or distribution of a Schedule I controlled substance or a Schedule II controlled substance in an amount listed in § 39-17-417(i);
- 9. The convicted offense did not involve a minor as the victim of the offense;
- 10. The convicted offense did not result in causing the victim or victims to sustain a loss of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) or more.