

APPLICATION FOR LOCAL SCHOOL & LOCAL COUNTY TAX HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION FOR PERSONS 70 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER

NAME: _____ **APPLICANT DOB:** _____ **SOC. SEC.:** _____ **ADDRESS:** _____

To the Tax Commissioner of _____, Georgia

(City) or (County)

In accordance with the provisions of 2007 Law Senate Bill 242 authorizing Local County Tax Homestead Exemption for persons 70 years of age or older, from Chattooga County taxes, I hereby make application for the Exemption, and in support thereof submit the following information:

In accordance with the provisions of 1998 Law H.B. No. 1836 authorizing Local School Tax Homestead Exemption not to exceed \$40,000 for persons 70 years of age or older on a homestead owned and occupied by him as a residence if his gross income from all sources, together with the gross income of the spouse and all members of the family residing within said homestead, from all sources, does not exceed \$20,000 for the immediately preceding taxable year from Chattooga County School System taxes, I hereby make application for the Exemption, and in support thereof submit the following information:

1. The property for which this exemption is claimed is the same property described in my application for Homestead Exemption dated _____. 2. Do you occupy and reside in such homestead? _____

INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES OF SPOUSE AND FAMILY MEMBERS FOR 12 MONTHS FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 20

Any person who willfully falsifies information required pursuant to the Administration of this Act, whether relating to age, income or otherwise, shall be guilty of the crime of false swearing and shall be punished as for the commission of such crime. (1974 Ga. Laws, Page 183). A Listing of the information thereon must be submitted to the State Revenue Department at time of digest submission.

1.	NAME	DATE OF BIRTH / SOC. SEC. NUMBER	GROSS INCOME
1.	_____	_____	\$ _____
2.	_____	_____	\$ _____
3.	_____	_____	\$ _____

6. TOTAL GROSS INCOME

If this application is denied, the applicant may appeal. Such appeal shall be made in the same manner that other property tax appeals are made pursuant to Code Section 48-5-311.

AFFIDAVIT OF CLAIMANT

I, the undersigned claimant, do solemnly swear that the above statements made in support of this application are true and correct, that I am the bona fide owner of the property for which this tax exemption is claimed, that I actually occupied same as my residence on January 1 of the year for which this tax exemption is claimed, that on January 1 of the year for which this tax exemption is claimed, I was 70 years of age or older. To be accepted for the local county exemption my gross income from all sources, together with the gross income of my spouse for the immediately preceding year, is within the guidelines of Senate Bill 242 and that no transaction has been made in collusion with another for the purpose of obtaining this tax exemption contrary to law. To be accepted for local school exemption, my gross income, from all sources, together with the gross income from all sources of my spouse and all members of the family residing within the homestead, for the immediately preceding year, did not exceed \$20,000. And that no transaction has been made in collusion with another for the purpose of obtaining this tax exemption contrary to law.

(DATE)

LOCAL SCHOOL & LOCAL COUNTY TAX HOMESTEAD CLAIMANT

Tax Receiver or Commissioner or Authorized County Official

Approved by: County Board of Property Assessors

*(NOTE: The applicant must submit a regular Homestead Exemption Application if not previously submitted.)