**HOWARD COUNTY OFFICE OF HUMAN RIGHTS**

**PRE-COMPLAINT QUESTIONNAIRE – HOUSING**

The information requested on this Questionnaire will help us to help you. There is no guarantee that the

information submitted will constitute a basis for filing a formal complaint. If you need assistance in

preparing this form, please call the Office of Human Rights at (410) 313-6430. When completed, mail to

the Office of Human Rights in the enclosed envelope.

**\*\*\*\*PLEASE PRINT\*\*\*\*\***

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Street Apt. # City County State Zip Code

Telephone Number: Work\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Extension\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Home\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I prefer to be contacted by phone at: □work □ home Time \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(Person to contact if you cannot be reached)

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I wish to complain against: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Housing Development: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Housing Representative: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Do you believe you were discriminated against because of (Check those which apply):

Race Religion Marital Status

Color National origin Familial Status

Sex Personal appearance Political Opinion

Age Physical/Mental disability Source of Income

Creed Occupation Sexual Orientation

Gender Identity

1. How do you feel you were discriminated against? (Please check only those which apply)

denied access different treatment other

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(Please specify, i.e., harassment, steering, block busting, etc.)

1. What reasons were given by the representative for the action taken against you?

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1. Date of alleged discrimination\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. What remedy are you seeking through OHR? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Housing data:
   1. Date of initial contact\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ representative\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   2. Date of action against you\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   3. Site of alleged discriminatory act\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   4. Name of management firm\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   5. Was there a fair housing symbol visible in or outside the office? □Yes □No

f. Have you filed a complaint with OHR previously? Yes No If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

g. Have you attempted to resolve your problem by discussing the matter with a

representative of the housing provider? Yes No

1. If yes, name the party contacted\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Was there follow-up by the parties contacted or other agencies that became

involved? Yes No If yes, name the party (ies) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. What happened? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. If you have found housing since the alleged discriminatory act, what is the name and address

of the development? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What information do you have to indicate that you were treated differently because of

discrimination? Describe why you believe you have been discriminated against in the area

of housing.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. List the names, job titles, and telephone numbers (if possible) of witnesses you feel could

provide evidence to support your allegations of discrimination.

Name Title Home Telephone Work Telephone

1. Do you have an attorney? Yes No If yes, provide his/her name address, and telephone number.

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11. Do you have any children? Yes No If yes, how many?\_\_\_\_\_ ages?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

12. Ethnic Group:

African American/Black American Indian Asian-Pacific

Hispanic/Latino  White Other Minority\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(Please specify)

Gender:

Female Male Age: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

13. How did you learn about the Office of Human Rights (OHR)?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Friend/Co-Worker \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Book \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ News Article

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Office Brochure \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ TV/Radio \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Internet

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Directory Assistant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***I affirm that the information I have provided to the Howard County Office of Human Rights in this***

***Pre-complaint Questionnaire, including any attachment, is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.***

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**Date**  **Signature of Complainant**

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**are needed by calling (410) 313-6430, Fax (410) 313-6468, or (410) 313-0220 (voice relay).**

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