

**Pageant Year 2010**  
**State Contract to Compete in the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant**  
**Form A**

Contestant: \_\_\_\_\_

State Title: Miss Ohio High

1. **Residence.** I understand that in order to compete in the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant, I must reside in the State that I intend to represent in the National Finals.
2. **Gender.** I am, and I have always been a female.
3. **Marital Status.** I am not now, and I have never been married, nor have I had a marriage annulled.
4. **Parental Status.** I am not now, and I have never been pregnant.
5. **Good Character.** I am of good moral character, and I have not been involved at any time in any act of moral turpitude.
6. **Criminal Record.** I have never been convicted of any criminal offense, and there are no criminal charges presently pending against me.
7. **Health.** I am in good health and can, to the best of my knowledge, participate fully and without limitation in any Program activities.
8. **Current Medication.** Other than as specified in the attached Medical Information Release Form C, I am not presently being treated or medicated for any medical condition or disability, and I do not have any reason to believe that I will be treated or medicated for any medical condition or disability during the State competition or, if being selected as Miss Ohio High School America, during my Year of Service.
9. **Conduct of the Competition.** I understand and agree that the Miss Ohio School America Pageant shall determine the manner and method of conducting the competition in its sole discretion. I further understand and agree that the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant shall also determine the time, method and manner of judging the competition and the awarding and supervision of all scholarships designated in its sole discretion. The decision of the persons designated by the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant to judge the various events in any and all matters pertaining to the selection of the winners shall be final in all respects.
10. **Permanent License of Publication Rights.** I hereby authorize the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant and anyone dully licensed or authorized by the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant to: (1) televise, photograph, broadcast and / or make radio, television, video, and audio tapes or motion picture recordings of me individually or in a group; (2) use or re-use such photographs, recordings, video tapes, audio tapes and /or motion films in all media throughout the world in perpetuity, and; (3) use my name, likeness and / or physical depiction for any purpose in perpetuity, in an unedited or edited manner or fashion as the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant, in its sole discretion, shall determine. This authorization shall also include the use of all such photographs, recordings, videotapes, audiotapes and / or motion picture films made during my Year of Service.

11. **Change in Circumstances.** I understand that if, at any time between the date of this Application and Contract and the completion of the competition, and facts concerning my eligibility to participate in the completion should change, including without limitation to citizenship, marital or parental status, good character and reputation, the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to determine that I am not eligible to participate in the competition.
12. **Change in Circumstances.** I understand that if, at any time between the date of which I am selected as Miss Ohio High School America and the completion of my Year of Service, any facts concerning my eligibility to participate in the Program should change, including and without limitation to citizenship, marital or parental status, good character and reputation, the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to determine that I am not eligible to continue to serve as Miss Ohio High School America. In the event, the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant may at its option, forfeit my title and all prizes, awards and perquisites of the position of Miss Ohio High School America.
13. **Use of the Miss Ohio High School America Titles, Words, and Symbols after Year of Service.** At the conclusion of my Year in Service, I am advised by the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant that, in its sole and exclusive judgment, that if my use of any of the titles, words or symbols associated with the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant and the Program is reasonably likely to or has caused harm to the Miss Ohio High School Pageant, I agree to discontinue use immediately. I understand and agree that the judgment of the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant on this question shall be final and binding.
14. Any contestant or family member or guest showing less than sportsmanlike behavior will lead to the disqualification of the contestant.
- I have had sufficient opportunity to review this application and contract and its attachments.
- I have had the opportunity to consult with an attorney of my own choosing to give me legal advice with regard to this application and contract.
- I have decided that I do not need to consult with an attorney.  
(Check applicable choice)

**I understand that this application and contract is a legal document and that if I sign and submit it to the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant and it is accepted, it will create legal obligations that are binding to me. I agree to be bound by this application and contract and its attachments.**

Signature of Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give my child permission to enter the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant and agree to abide by all rules and regulations for this competition. I have read the rules and regulations listed in this application and contract, and I understand that violating any of these will result in disqualification from this competition, and no fees will be refunded. I agree to hold the Miss Ohio School America Pageant and its affiliates harmless from any and all claims for damages / loss or injury, directly or indirectly, from participation in this competition or any event during the competition.

Signature of the Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Based on all of these statements and agreements, I request the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant to accept my application to participate as a contestant in the Miss Ohio High School America 2010 Pageant Competition. If the Miss Ohio High School America Pageant accepts this application, I agree to comply with all of the terms and conditions of this application and contract, together with its attachments.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Contestant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

State of \_\_\_\_\_:

**Affidavit of Truthfulness**

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County of \_\_\_\_\_:

\_\_\_\_\_, the Contestant or Parent of Contestant making this application, of full age and according to the law, upon her oath deposes and says:

**I do hereby swear that the statements made in this application and contract and its attachments are true. I am aware that if any of the statements are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.**

Sworn and subscribed to before me  
This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.

Notary Public of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(For National Executive Director)

**The Miss Ohio High School America Pageant hereby APPROVES this application and contract and accepts appointments as the agent of the Contestant on the terms provided in this application and contract. This Contestant may compete in the competition pursuant to the terms of the application and contract and its attachments.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Executive Director of Miss Ohio High School America Pageant