**§682. Permanent residency; factual determination by assessor**

The assessor shall determine whether an applicant has a permanent residence in this State. In making a determination as to the intent of an individual to establish a permanent residence in this State, the assessor may consider the following: [PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**1. Formal declarations.**  Formal declarations of the applicant or any other individual;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**2. Informal statements.**  Informal statements of the applicant or any other individual;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**3. Place of employment.**  The place of employment of the applicant;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**4. Previous permanent residence.**  The previous permanent residence of the applicant and the date the previous permanent residency was terminated;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**5. Voter registration.**  The place where the applicant is registered to vote;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**6. Driver's license.**  The place of issuance to the applicant of a driver's license and the address listed on the license;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**7. Certificate of motor vehicle registration.**  The place of issuance of a certificate of registration of a motor vehicle owned by the applicant and the address listed on the certificate;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**8. Income tax returns.**  The residence claimed on any income tax return filed by the applicant;

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**9. Motor vehicle excise tax.**  The place of payment of a motor vehicle excise tax by the applicant; or

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

**10. Military residence.**  A declaration by the applicant of permanent residence registered with any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States.

[PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §3 (NEW); PL 1997, c. 643, Pt. HHH, §10 (AFF).]

SECTION HISTORY

PL 1997, c. 643, §HHH3 (NEW). PL 1997, c. 643, §HHH10 (AFF).

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