- I hereby officially apply to the Imperial Court of Nebraska Board of Directors for consideration and approval to campaign for Emperor/Empress of the Imperial Court of Nebraska
- I hereby certify that all information provided herein to be true and correct. I agree to submit to the direction of the Board of Directors, to conform to and abide by all the By-Laws and SOPs of the Imperial Court of Nebraska and the rules and regulations governing the campaign and position for which I am seeking
- I hereby understand and agree that the financial obligation of my campaign for the position for which I am seeking are the sole responsibility of me and my campaign staff, and that no obligation may be made in the name of the Imperial Court of Nebraska
- I hereby understand that any campaign material presented by myself and/or my campaign staff, whether written or verbal, is my responsibility
- I understand that The Imperial Court of Nebraska reserves the right to modify any portion of this application without prior notice to any applicant

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CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION

Position applying for: ___ Emperor ___Empress

Name

Stage Name

Address

City, State, Zip Code

E-Mail Address DOB Phone

Campaign Manager Name (optional)

E-Mail Address

Phone

Signature

____/___ Date

Mail completed applications to:

Imperial Court of Nebraska PO Box 3772 Omaha, NE 68103



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Qualifications:

Applicants must meet the following qualifications:

- 1) Legal drinking age in the State of Nebraska
- 2) Meet requirements for General Membership per the ICON SOPs
- Shall be employed or established in the GLBTQ+ community
- 4) Shall meet at least two of the following:
 - a) Successfully served as a member of the BOD for one year
 - b) Successfully served as a Royal Family member for one complete reign on a previous family of ICON or a recognized court
 - c) Visited six regular BOD meetings within the past 12 months

Requirements:

Applicants shall meet the following requirements:

- 1) Agree to abide by the ICON By-Laws and SOPs
- 2) Agree to sign the ICON Code of conduct
- Shall maintain a style of dress appropriate to the functions designated when attending any functions sponsored and/or sanctioned by ICON and whenever acting as a representative of ICON
- Costumes for stage performances shall be in good taste and in keeping with ICON's purpose and goals

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Interview:

- 1) All applicants shall be interviewed by the BOD
- Each interview will consist of, but may not be limited to, a standard list of questions
- Applications may be approved or denied based on the interview, regardless of any other qualifications
- 4) Approval or denial will be determined the date of the interview

Application Requirements:

All applications shall include the following:

- 1) A completed application form
- 2) A letter of intent and statement of goals
- 3) A letter of recommendation from two members of the College of Monarchs
- A request for a Leave of Absence if applicant is a current member of the ICON BOD as outlined in Article V, Section C, sub-Section c of the ICON SOPs
- 5) \$200 non-refundable application fee

Approval:

Once approved, candidates shall:

- Receive a candidate sash that day. A \$50 refundable deposit will be due upon receipt of said sash and refunded once returned to ICON
- 2) Attend all functions as outlined in the Candidate Calendar of Events

Important Dates:

- 1) Monday, April 29, 2024 Deadline for Applications
- 2) Monday, May 6, 2024 at 7pm Interview Location: The Max
- 3) Friday, May 24, 2024 at Noon Candidacy begins
- 4) Monday, May 27, 2024 Memorial Day Picnic
- 5) Saturday, June 29,2024 7pm Monarch Stepdown Show Location: The Max
- 6) Saturday, June 29, 2024 at midnight Campaigning Ends
- 7) Sunday, June 30, 2024 Voting
- 8) Friday, July 12, 2024 at 6pm Out-of-Town Show/Bus Tour Marriott Hotel
- 9) Saturday, July 13, 2024 at 5pm Coronation Marriott Hotel

A copy of the ICON SOPs and By-Laws can be found at

www.imperialcourtofnebraska.org

Questions regarding this Application or candidacy, please reach out to

Candidate Chair candidatechair@imperialcourtofnebraska.org

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