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Sections 141.031, 142.004, 142.005, 142.007, Chapter 202, Texas Election Code  
08/2025

**Name of Form:**

Application for a Place on the General Election Ballot for a Federal Independent Candidate

**Section Reference:**

Sections 141.031, 142.004, 142.005, 142.007, Chapter 202, Texas Election Code

**Purpose:**

To apply for a place on the ballot for the General Election for State and County Officers as a candidate for a federal office.

**Number of Copies Required:**

One

**Completed by:**

Candidate, officer administering oath and the representative of the filing authority.

**Filing Deadline:**

5:00 p.m. of 30th day after the Primary Runoff Election Day except as provided by Section 202.007. The application is considered filed at time of receipt.

**Filed With:**

Secretary of State for statewide and district offices; County Judge for county and precinct offices.

**Comments:**

Application must be accompanied by a nominating petition with the appropriate number of signatures as set forth by Section 142.007, Texas Election Code.

**Version:**

Current form is dated 8/2025.

\*Candidates may use the current version of this application or the application dated 4/2024.