



**INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURNISHING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS**

1. A background investigative report must be completed for each individual as indicated in the instructions in the application package. The background investigative report must be conducted using the same affidavit submitted to the Florida Office of Insurance Regulation ("Office") for each individual as part of the application.
2. For specific information regarding background investigation vendors, please refer to the NAIC website, "Third Party Vendors for Background Reports" at: [http://www.naic.org/industry\\_ucaa.htm](http://www.naic.org/industry_ucaa.htm)
3. The applicant is responsible for paying for the reports and for handling billing arrangements with the selected vendor.
4. Applicants are required to ensure that the selected vendor will submit investigative reports electronically to the Office to this e-mail address:

[bkgrnd-inv@flor.com](mailto:bkgrnd-inv@flor.com)

Submissions should be in Microsoft Word format, with appropriate reference to the applicant in the subject of each transmittal e-mail. Reports should be submitted prior to, or contemporaneously with, the submission of each application filing, with the exception of acquisition filings.

6. Applicants must include evidence indicating that background reports have been ordered, including proof of payment, as a component in the online submission via iApply.
7. Questions regarding this process may be directed to [pcappcoord@flor.com](mailto:pcappcoord@flor.com) (Property and Casualty applicants) or to [lhappcoord@flor.com](mailto:lhappcoord@flor.com) (Life and Health applicants).