JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION 716 Richard Arrington Jr. Blvd North Room 500-A Birmingham, Alabama 35203 205-325-5566

VEHICLE PROTEST APPLICATION

VEHICLE YEAR		VEHICLE MAKE			VEHICLE MODEL	
VIN#			TAG #			

VEHICLE OWNER	
AGENT (IF APPLICABLE):	
MAILING ADDRESS:	
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	

NATURE OF COMPLAINT	
EVIDENCE SUBMITTED	

Answer all of the following:

•	Do you own or	lease this vehicle?	
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- Total Purchase Price: \$_____
 Year Purchased ______
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- Was the vehicle purchased from a family member? •

- Has the vehicle been in an accident? •
- Current Mileage •
- Owner's opinion of value on 10/01/20____ \$_____ •

You must submit a copy of your tag receipt or renewal notice with this application.

Signature of Owner/Agent

NOTE:

- 1. The tag must be in your name to protest.
- 2. You will be notified of your hearing date and time either by USPS mail, email or telephone. You must attend a hearing with the Board before any reductions are granted. If a reduction is granted, take the Result Letter from your hearing along with your original receipt to the Revenue Department if a refund is due.

Date

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Instructions

A valuation on a motor vehicle may be protested before the County Board of Equalization. The Objection must be submitted in writing upon receipt of the notice. You must purchase the tag before having a hearing.

A copy of your tag receipt must accompany your application.

The <u>Assessed value</u> of private automobiles is 15% of the book value. The <u>Assessed</u> value of commercial vehicles, RV's, motorcycles & trailers is 20% of the book value.

The Board of Equalization deals only with protests to the value on the Vehicle & not with the tax or tag fee amount.

If vehicle owner wishes to protest the *value* of his/her automobile,

- 1) The owner must place the vehicle in his/her/entity name before a protest can be processed.
- 2) The protest must be filed within 30 calendar days of the tag renewal purchase date.

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE VEHICLE OWNER TO PROVE HIS/HER VALUE IS INCORRECT

All vehicle protests will be set for an oral hearing, in the Birmingham office.

Please direct all written protests to:

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