



NATIONAL SOCIETY SONS OF COLONIAL NEW ENGLAND 1620 - 1776

Instructions for Completing Application

PLEASE READ THIS DOCUMENT BEFORE PREPARING YOUR APPLICATION.

This application must be typed or printer-generated in black ink. Unfortunately, there can no longer be exceptions made to this requirement.

The qualifying ancestor (Number 1) on our application is a person born in New England, not the immigrant ancestor. The six qualifying colonies are Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

Please provide full names wherever possible. Do not use initials.

All dates should be given in the format *04 Oct 1734*.

If information is unknown or not applicable for a specific blank, please leave the blank empty; do not use designations such as "N/A" or "-0-."

If you are using the same qualifying ancestor for this society as previously used for other colonial societies (such as Colonial Wars, Colonial Governors, Mayflower, etc.), all documentary proofs shown on those society applications must be listed on this application. It is not necessary in that case to include copies of the actual proofs with this application; however, a Record Copy of the referenced application, bearing the signature of the approving Registrar and the applicant's membership number(s), must be supplied. In addition, any such application must reflect the applicant's full lineage to the qualifying ancestor.

In the event you are proving a connection to an ancestor whom you have not used for membership in another colonial society, you must submit one copy of each piece of documentation for every name, date and place submitted on this application. Relevant passages in the document supporting the data on the application must be underlined in red ink or pencil, and the generation number to which the passage applies written in the margin beside the underlined passage(s). Mark all of the generation numbers to which the document applies in red at the top of the document.

Acceptable documentation includes: birth, death and marriage certificates or records, federal and state censuses, Social Security indexes, tombstone transcriptions, photographs of tombstones (with the name and location of cemetery stated on reverse of photograph), Bible records (must be notarized and must include copyright page), and similar documentation.

Family histories that do not cite the original source materials are not acceptable. A copy of the title page from all published sources must be provided.

Upon completion, this application should be sent to the Registrar General with your check, payable to "National Society Sons of Colonial New England," in the amount of \$325.00 (which includes the \$250.00 life membership fee and \$75.00 for the Certificate, record copy, and verification fees). Supplemental applications must meet the same standards and follow the same procedures as for new-member applications, except that the fees total \$60.00 for each such application.

Submit to:

***Paul M. Hays, Registrar General, NSSCNE
147 12th Street S.E.
Washington, DC
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