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**Areas of Deficiency Identified by IBFES Assessors**

Area of Assessment	Pass or Fail
Submitted Case Reports (peer review)	
Ethics Examination (written)	
Technical Examination (written)	
Oral Assessment (mock trial cross examination)	
Background check (verification of credentials)	

**Provide an Explanation of Why the IBFES Assessment is Unjustified**

Each area of deficiency should be dealt with in a new section (below). Any supporting documents should be appended as exhibits, and clearly referenced in the appropriate section of this appeal.

This section will form the basis of your appeal and should be completed as thoroughly as possible, focusing on the areas of deficiency, as identified and communicated by IBFES. If you are unclear on specifics of your perceived deficiency you should contact IBFES VP of Membership for clarification prior to submitting this appeal.

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In making this appeal I agree to hold the INTERNATIONAL BOARD OF FORENSIC ENGINEERING SCIENCES, its officers, examiners, and agents free from any claim, damage, or liability by reason of action, they, or any of them, or any agent acting on their behalf, may take in respect to this appeal including, but not limited to, the INTERNATIONAL BOARD OF FORENSIC ENGINEERING SCIENCES choosing not to uphold my appeal. All costs in such an action shall be paid by the plaintiff.

**I hereby authorize IBFES or any of its Officers or Board of Directors to verify the accuracy of any of the information provided in, or as part of, this appeal, or the original application. This authorization includes my consent to obtain academic or other records held by any organization or individual.**

It is understood that this appeal and any associated documentation may be audited by the **Forensic Specialties Accreditation Board (FSAB)** at some future time. The FSAB assures absolute confidentiality on all matters regarding individuals.

I hereby agree to adhere to the Code of Ethics and Conduct of IBFES.

And in further support of this appeal, I certify, under oath or affirmation, that all statements made herein, or associated herewith, are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and are made in good faith and, in addition, I agree to comply with the requirements for appeal.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Appellant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_

Notary signature & seal

Notary Public in \_\_\_\_\_ County in the State of \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_