

ELIGIBLE DISABLED PERSON ELECTION FORM

SEE INSTRUCTION SHEET ON NEXT PAGE BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM

For use in New York City which is subject to GBL Section 352-eeee, and for use in municipalities in Nassau, Rockland and Westchester Counties which have adopted GBL Section 352-eee, and to use in municipalities in the State of New York which have adopted GBL Section 352-e(2-a).

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

I elect not to purchase my apartment under the offering plan for conversion of the building to a cooperative or condominium.

I certify that:

1. I am a tenant of the apartment listed above.
2. I have an impairment which results from anatomical, physiological or psychological conditions (other than an addiction to alcohol, gambling, or any controlled substance) which (1) is demonstrable by medically acceptable clinical and laboratory diagnostic techniques, (2) is expected to be permanent, and (3) prevents me from engaging in any substantial gainful employment.

I understand that this disabled person election does not preclude me from purchasing my apartment at a later date.

The above statements are true to the best of my knowledge and understanding.

SIGNED: _____

Sworn to before me this

_____ day of _____, 20_____.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Receipt acknowledged, and copy given to tenant.

SPONSOR/AGENT: _____ DATE: _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING ELIGIBLE DISABLED PERSON ELECTION FORM

State law provides that tenants who are “eligible disabled persons” cannot be evicted because they did not purchase their apartments.

How to Qualify as an “Eligible Disabled Person”

To qualify as an “eligible disabled person,” you must:

1. Be a tenant; and
2. Have a disability as defined on the reverse side of this form; and
3. Complete the form and return it to the sponsor within 60 days of first receiving the offering plan or first becoming disabled (see below for more information).

Who Is Considered a Tenant?

A tenant for purposes of this form is a person who has signed a lease or the spouse of a person who has signed a lease.

Return This Form to the Sponsor

If you were disabled when you first received the offering plan, you must complete and return this form to the sponsor not more than 60 days after first receiving the offering plan.

However, if your disability first occurred after you received the offering plan, then you may elect to become an “eligible disabled person” up to 60 days after the disability first occurred (unless after the first 60 days but before your election the sponsor has accepted a written agreement to purchase your apartment from a “bona fide” purchaser).

Return the form either by delivering it to the sponsor or the sponsor’s selling agent at the location specified in the plan, or by mailing it by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, to the sponsor or selling agent at the address specified in the plan. **Be sure to sign the form before a Notary Public.**

WARNING!

FAILURE TO RETURN THIS FORM WITHIN 60 DAYS COULD ULTIMATELY RESULT IN YOUR BEING EVICTED!

The Sponsor May Dispute Your Eligibility

The law allows the sponsor to dispute your eligibility as an “eligible disabled person.” In order to do so, the sponsor must apply to the Department of Law for an eligibility determination within 30 days after the sponsor receives your election form. In case of a dispute, the Department of Law has 30 days to determine your eligibility. If your eligibility is disputed, you will be notified by the Department of Law and given the opportunity to defend your eligibility.