# **State Citizenship Questionnaire NORTH-CAROLINA AMERICAN REPUBLIC**

Dear Applicant,

Please answer all of the following questions to the best of your ability. Please record your answers on a separate sheet next to the corresponding number of each question.

You may consult any historical, legal or other sources, as well as any NCAR educational material at your disposal (i.e. treat it as an 'open book test'). Owing to that fact, and in furtherance of the ultimate goal of this endeavor – your expanding education and maturing of worldview – we provide that many (though likely not all) of the answers can be found in a thorough search of our State's website, <a href="http://www.ncrepublic.org">http://www.ncrepublic.org</a>, and the Facebook page and website of the NC Republic's independent educational outreach sister-venture, America's Remedy, at <a href="facebook.com/americasremedy">Facebook.com/americasremedy</a> and <a href="www.americasremedy.com">www.americasremedy.com</a>, respectively. In any case, we request that your answers be honest and complete, and genuinely reflect your current level of knowledge and understanding of the topics covered.

This questionnaire is for informational purposes. Your responses to the questions in this questionnaire will not disqualify you from eligibility for state Citizenship. State Citizenship, however, is not something to be undertaken lightly, since it inherently entails legal and judicial conflict with the de facto government of the 'Reconstructed' State. Furthermore, the personal character and integrity of state Citizens reflect directly on our State and affect our success in advancing our educational mission, growing our body politic, and increasing popular recognition of our State. With this questionnaire we strive, therefore, to ensure that applicants fully comprehend the gravity of their decision and recognize the consequences of it before taking an Oath of Allegiance to this State, and once you have formally claimed state Citizenship status, we ask that you conduct yourself at all times in the most respectable and honorable manner, for you are always in the public eye.

Cordially & Sincerely, Citizens & Officers of the Great State of North-Carolina

\* Note that some questions refer to either the *de jure* or *de facto* government or state. These are common Latin legal terms for which complete definitions may be found in either Black's or Bouvier's Law Dictionary; however, for the purposes of this Questionnaire, it is sufficient to regard *de jure* as meaning "of the law" (i.e. that which is lawful), and *de facto* as meaning "of fact" (i.e. that which exercises power or enjoys popular recognition as a matter of practical fact).

- 1. What does the statement "There currently exist two 'States of North Carolina'" mean to you? Please include in your answer your understanding of what is a "state."
- 2. Please name two (2) United States Supreme Court cases which affirmed that an unconstitutional Act does not constitute binding law, but is, in fact, a nullity.
- 3. What was "Reconstruction?" Does Reconstruction still affect us today, and if so, how?
- 4. For what central purpose (as a means to what end) was Reconstruction imposed by Congress in 1867?
- 5. How many states did Reconstruction directly affect, and in what way? What was one notable exception to those states affected by Reconstruction?
- 6. In what ways did the proposal <u>and</u> ratification of the 14<sup>th</sup> amendment *not* conform to the provisions and requirements of the federal Constitution?
- 7. What effect did the first clause of the first section of the 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment have on the political composition of all of the states then comprising the American union?

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8. Beside each of the following common 'patriot' methodologies and schools of thought with which you are familiar, indicate your favorability toward each on a scale ranging from "Strongly Disagree" to "Strongly Agree". Or if you're not familiar, simply select "Not Familiar" at the far right. Lastly, please briefly **explain** your views on **all that are marked** (on a separate sheet):

## Common 'Patriot' Concepts and Schools of Thought:

Name	Strong Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strong Agree	Not Familiar
UCC						
Strawman						
U.S. as a Corporation						
Sovereign Citizen						
Name in all CAPS						
Copyrighted Name						
Common Law Grand Jury						
Birth Certificate, SSN						
Republic of the USA (RUSA)						
Private Attorney General						
Admiralty/Maritime Law						
Redemption / "AFV"						
Original 13 <sup>th</sup> Amendment						
National(s) of the State(s)						
Right to Travel						

- 9. In your own words, why do you wish to become a Citizen of the de jure re-established State of North-Carolina?
- 10. Do you understand voting to be a right or a privilege? Please elaborate as needed.
- In a phrase, what is the single most fundamental defining relationship between a government and its people? (Hint: the relationship is described by two reciprocal obligations, and may be found verbatim in the Preamble of the original North-Carolina State constitution of December 18, 1776.)

- 12. How do you understand the following statement: "We live today under the occupation of a governing power foreign to the original intent of the framers of the Constitution." Please explain your answer.
- Do you have any outstanding/pending criminal charges or civil litigation within the courts, or any past convictions on your record, with any state or with the United States government? Please list all and explain.

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(NOTE: Answering "Yes" to this question will not necessarily disqualify you for state Citizenship, but *full disclosure is required* and subsequent discovery of undisclosed matters may constitute grounds for punitive action on the part of the State of North-Carolina, at the discretion of its Legislature, up to and including revocation of your state Citizenship status).

- 14. Declaring state Citizenship and asserting your rights in defiance of a hostile occupying power often involves significant risk in the form of court time, fines, arrest and even jail. Are you aware of these risks and could you explain your answer? Please list three examples of rights that you may consider asserting as a state Citizen which would be considered "crimes" by the *de facto* State of North Carolina, and the corresponding punitive consequences prescribed by the *de facto* State.
- 15. How do you envision yourself being best able to contribute to the efforts of our state to gain popular recognition, accrue new Citizens, and repossess the powers of government over the territory of North Carolina? Elaborate as needed.
- 16. What are the three forms of judicial jurisdiction, and which of these do we challenge in our legal proceedings? As briefly as possible, please provide a summary of the substance of our jurisdictional challenge (i.e. on what legal basis do we challenge the jurisdiction of the de facto State and its courts?).
- 17. At what point in the judicial process may an Accused raise a challenge to the presumed jurisdiction of the Court before arraignment, during arraignment, during trial, or post-trial? Please cite your source for the answer (Hint: It's in the *de facto* NC General Statutes).
- 18. Once such a challenge has been raised by an Accused, what legal requirement(s) become(s) binding upon the Court and/or the State, which either or both must satisfy before the Accused may be arraigned or tried? Can you cite at least one NC Supreme Court case that sets forth this stipulation as binding legal precedent?
- 19. What are your expectations in the event that you bring our legal argument into a de facto court? What outcome would you consider to constitute a "victory?"

20.	It is said that Americans are, today, "Subjugated with privileges." In such a condition, what becomes of our rights? Please explain whether you agree with this statement, or not, and why.
21.	What term most accurately describes the form of government originally established by the Constitution of 1787?
	Perpetual Union Federal Republic Constitutional Democracy
22.	Which of the following amendments most clearly affirm the framers' original intent that the Constitution did establish such a form of government?
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23.	What term most accurately describes the form of government established by the 39 <sup>th</sup> Congress through the Reconstruction Acts?
	Perpetual Union Federal Republic National Republic Constitutional Democracy
24.	What was the opinion of Lincoln (with Congress concurring) on the validity of the Ordinances of Secession of any of the Southern states prior to and throughout the war?
25.	Was there any precedent (prior instance) of secession being exercised as a valid right of the states prior to the 1860s? If so, what was it?
26.	What were the goals and objectives described as the official "Object of the War," according to parallel Congressional Resolutions passed by each chamber of Congress? Please relate what they intended <i>to do</i> and what they intended <i>not to do</i> .
27.	As a matter of law, was Lincoln within his rightful prerogative (i.e. did he have the authority) to raise troops and deploy military forces to counter-act the secession of Confederate states?
28.	What single, identifiable act of unprovoked aggression, committed by whom, immediately and directly instigated the War Between the States?
29.	How did you learn about our State (the North-Carolina American Republic, or NCAR)? What educational resources about us, if any, did you find most informative and insightful? Would you offer any suggestions for improving any of our resources you have encountered so far?