PROOF OF CLAIM INSTRUCTIONS Bail Bond Claims Only

The Proof of Claim ("POC") form should be completed in its entirety and all questions answered.

For questions that do not apply to your situation, your response should be indicated with an "NA" or "not applicable." Please note certain instructions and requirements are contained in the POC form itself.

If your claim is for return of monies paid by you, you must provide proof of payment such as both sides of a cancelled check or a receipt.

If you are a school board attorney making a claim on the bond, you must provide copies of all notices of forfeiture, judgments, and court orders including evidence of any assessment of fees, costs, or interest.

If your claim is for an expense related to the bond, please provide an explanation of the expense as well as documentation substantiating the expense.

If your claim is for return of collateral, you must provide evidence of the deposit of collateral and evidence of discharge of the bond. Any such claim may only be made by the person who deposited the collateral.

A separate form should be completed for <u>each</u> bond claim asserted against Cannon Surety, LLC (Cannon). However, entities (such as school boards) that are asserting claims for a large number of Cannon bonds may complete a single POC form as long as a detailed list of bail bonds is attached to the form along with corresponding copies of forfeiture notices and other supporting documentation as stated above. Additional POC forms may be obtained from the Liquidator at the address set forth below.

You must sign the POC form and have each POC form notarized. Please refer to the instructions as to who should sign the claim form.

Please retain copies for your records and mail the completed proof of claim form and all attachments to:

Liquidator of CANNON SURETY, LLC ATTN: Rick Kilpatrick 1203 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1203

THE LAST DAY FOR FILING TIMELY CLAIMS AGAINST CANNON SURETY, LLC in LIQUIDATION, is December 22, 2025. Claims must be postmarked (not postage meter stamped) or received by the Liquidator no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard Time on December 22, 2025.

You will be notified some time thereafter of the Liquidator's decision regarding your claim. If your claim is denied in whole or in part by the Liquidator, you or your attorney will be notified with written notice of the determination by first class mail at the address shown in the proof of claim. Within 60 days from the mailing of the notice, the claimant may file their objections with the liquidator. If no such filing is made, the claimant may not further object to the determination. Whenever objections are filed with the Liquidator and the Liquidator does not alter his denial of the claim as a result of the objections, the Liquidator shall ask the Court for a hearing and give notice of the hearing by first class mail to the claimant or their attorney not less than 10 nor more than 30 days before the date of the hearing. Unresolved disputes will be decided by the Liquidation Court in Wake County, North Carolina.

The Liquidator's acceptance of the POC form is not intended to, nor does it constitute, a waiver or relinquishment by the Liquidator of any defense, set-off or counterclaim which the Liquidator may have against any person, entity or governmental agency.

All claimants are requested to keep the Liquidator advised of address changes. Inquiries as to the status of your claim should be made in writing.

The Liquidator's web site (https://www.ncdoi.gov/insurance-industry/receiverships) is a source for news and information regarding the ongoing liquidation.