

**DANCE STUDIO
SURETY BOND**

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Return completed form to:
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2005 Apalachee Parkway
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Surety Bond Number:

Date of Surety Bond:

____/____/____

KNOWN ALL BY THIS PRESENT INSTRUMENT that we,

Principal (Applicant/Registrant)

Name (Legal name as registered with the Florida Department of State (if applicable) followed by fictitious/dba name):

Physical Street Address of Dance Studio:

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____ - _____

Mailing Address (if different from above):

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____ - _____

Telephone Number: (_____) _____ - _____ **Fax Number:** (_____) _____ - _____

Email Address:

AND

Surety

Name (Full legal name of Surety):

Street Address:

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____ - _____

Mailing Address (if different from above):

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____ - _____

Telephone Number: (_____) _____ - _____ **Fax Number:** (_____) _____ - _____

which Surety is authorized to do business and issue surety bonds in the State of Florida, are held firmly bound unto the State of Florida, Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services ("Obligee"), the sum of _____ for the use and benefit of any consumer who is injured as a result of any violation of section 501.143, Florida Statutes, the Florida Dance Studio Act. NOW, THEREFORE, the condition of this obligation is such that if the Principal shall perform or cause to be performed the duties and obligations for which the Principal may be held liable by reason of the Principal's failure to perform, fulfill, or carry out any duty or obligation governed by provisions of ss. 501.143, F.S., then this obligation shall be void. Otherwise this obligation shall remain in force and effect in law subject, however, to the following limitations:

1. That the Obligee (State of Florida) shall notify the Surety of any default of the Principal hereunder, at the earliest possible time following the discovery of such default.
2. That the Surety shall promptly notify the Obligee in writing of any changes in either the Principal or amount of bond set forth above. However, failure of the Surety to provide such notice shall not affect the validity of this bond.
3. That if the Surety shall so elect, this bond may be canceled by giving 30 days written notice to the Obligee. Said notice shall contain the full name, city, and state where the Principal is located, and the dance studio registration number assigned to the Principal by the Obligee. The Surety, however, will remain liable for any default occurring during the period up to the expiration of said 30 day notice and such 30 day period shall begin only upon receipt of said notice by the Obligee.
4. That in no event shall the Surety be liable for a greater amount than that shown above.

This bond is effective this _____ day of _____, _____, 12:01 A.M., standard time and shall continue in force until canceled.

In witness hereof, the Principal and Surety have executed this instrument through their respective undersigned representatives, who are fully authorized to execute this instrument, on the _____ day of _____, _____.

Principal

Witness _____ *Signature*

Witness _____ *Title*

Full Legal Name of Principal

Surety

Witness _____ *Signature (Seal)*

Witness _____ *Title*

Local Agent

Name of Local Agent _____ *Address*

Contact Person _____ *Contact Telephone Number*