

**Minimum Qualifications Checklist
Diplomatic Security
Security Protective Specialist Application**

Please complete the following by marking yes or no for each question and sign and date the form at the bottom. This checklist will assist with processing your application and must be submitted along with your application forms. Any false statement or willful misrepresentation will result in disqualification; if discovered after hiring you may be subject to inquiry as well as administrative or disciplinary action up to and including dismissal.

		YES	NO
1.	I am a citizen of the United States.	___	___
2.	I understand that I must be at least 21 years old and not have reached my 37 th birthday by the time of appointment. (Preference-eligible veterans are excluded from the age limitation.)	___	___
3.	If I am 37 or older and have served in the US military, I can provide documentation that I am a preference-eligible veteran as defined by current law.	___	___
4.	I am in compliance with the Selective Service Act and I have registered as required if necessary (male applicants only).	___	___
5.	I am willing to carry and, if necessary, use firearms in the performance of Security Protective Specialist duties.	___	___
6.	I am willing to travel frequently and to live and serve anywhere overseas or in the United States.	___	___
7.	I have a valid U.S. driver's license.	___	___
8.	If I am offered a position, I understand that I must successfully undergo a background investigation and be granted access to Top Secret/Special Compartmented Information (TS/SCI)	___	___
9.	I understand I must successfully complete a medical examination and a determination of my suitability for Foreign Service employment.	___	___
10.	In accordance with the Lautenberg Amendment to the Gun Control Act that states a person convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence may no longer possess a firearm, I can certify I have not been convicted of any such violation and I am not otherwise prohibited from possessing firearms.	___	___
11.	I understand that I must successfully undergo a rigorous training program, which includes firearms qualification, physical fitness standards and tests, specialized driving tests, as well as academic subjects and that failure to pass <i>any</i> aspect of the training program is grounds for separation.	___	___

Applicant's Name (printed): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____