

## USJF Black Belt Promotion Checklist

Candidate's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank for this Promotion: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Please use this checklist when submitting your black belt promotion on USJF form 20 to the Promotion Committee. **Incomplete or incorrect forms will be returned.**

\_\_\_ Most current USJF form 20 must be used (check USJF website – [www.usjf.com](http://www.usjf.com));

\_\_\_ Form must be typed, *handwritten forms will be rejected*;

\_\_\_ All sections have been completed

- Personal History
- Promotion History (date MM/DD/YYYY, USJF Rank #)
- Judo Affiliation (date if change of club and/or Yadanshakai)
- Major Shiai Record (date after last promotion only or “non-competitor” There should not be any shiai record for non-competitor)
- Kata Proficiency (all required kata for the requested rank per USJF handbook, form might not allow you to check more than one box if so you are allowed to check off box with “X” in pen)
- General Ability (i.e. fair, good, excellent)
- Award/Championships/Contribution (date after last promotion only or “none”)
- Education History

\_\_\_ Active member of USJF, *do not send renewal registration with promotion form, mail to Travis Kono*;

\_\_\_ Meets continuous active membership with USJF, *do not send back dues with the promotion form, mail directly to the USJF National Office;*

\_\_\_ Promotion fee (check payable to 50<sup>th</sup> State Judo Association - \$125 for Shodan plus \$25 for each Dan thereafter. (This does not apply for Life Time Member of USJF); **there is an additional \$25.00 promotion processing fee due to the 50<sup>th</sup> State Judo Assn. for each promotion candidate submitted.**

Life Time USJF Member \_\_\_

\_\_\_ Shodan candidates **must** complete SafeSport and CDC Heads Up courses.

\_\_\_ Background check completed (unless Candidate is under the age of 18). Form can be found on the USJF website. Mail completed form and check directly to the USJF National Office P.O. Box 338 Ontario, OR 97914-0338.

Pages 2 to 8 of Form 20 in only required if Candidate needs reduction of time-in-grade. If pages are included, make sure that the Candidate sign page 8.

**PDF Form 20 and copy of this check sheet must be emailed to Rolann Regidor ([ke\\_aka@yahoo.com](mailto:ke_aka@yahoo.com)); promotion and processing fee check (payable to 50<sup>th</sup> State Judo Association) mailed to 724 21<sup>st</sup> Ave. Hon., HI 96816. Promotion form will not be submitted to Committee unless promotion fee is received. Form and check must be received by the deadline date.**