Welcome Letter

Hello,

The Queen of Sin City Pageant in conjunction with Las Vegas PRIDE proudly presents the **Queen of Sin City Pageant 2017**, held in fabulous Las Vegas, Nevada! This is the inaugural year of this new female impersonation pageant and will be held on Thursday, October 19, 2017 at the beautiful Texas Station Gambling Hall & Hotel in the Dallas Ballroom.

The Queen of Sin City is more than a beauty pageant! Our pageant system was designed to empower the LGBTQ community and help unify our diverse ethnic cultures, break barriers of gender identity, and highlight the top female impersonation entertainers from across the country. We will provide them a competitive platform to showcase their creative talent and female illusion. Las Vegas is known for being one of the entertainment meccas of the world and there is no better place to hold this competition.

This pageant will help kick off pride week in Las Vegas. All individuals who are female impersonators are qualified to run; it does not matter if you identify as a male (butch queen), are on hormone treatment, have had body modification and or feminization surgery.

The Queen of Sin City is a leader, role model, and activist for the LGBTQ community. She will ultimately be the face of this pageant system and help bring attention to important causes and issues that affect our community. When people see our Queen of Sin City, this individual should naturally generate a positive reaction for herself and for the pageant. Being crowned the most entertaining illusionist for that year she should represent herself to the highest of standards in appearance, confidence, public demeanor, and professional mannerisms. Are you prepared to be our Queen of Sin City?

Enclosed you will find the guidelines for this year's pageant, contestant application, consent form, contestant bio sheet, and other important information

to help you plan accordingly. When turning in these forms please include a highresolution JPEG headshot of yourself for official pageant promotion and marketing.

There is a non-refundable entrance fee of \$150.00 to enter this competition. Both the contestant fee and all entry forms must be turned in completed to secure a spot in this year's competition. In addition to the being responsible for the categories below each contestant will be required to stay at our pageant hotel, Texas Station for the 2 nights of competition, Wednesday 10/18/2017 (Registration, Interview with Judges, and Contestant Meeting) and Thursday 10/19/2017 (Pageant Day).

Please make check to – Southern Nevada Association of PRIDE, Inc.

Address: Southern Nevada Association of Pride, Inc. Queen of Sin City 4001 S Decatur Blvd #37-540 Las Vegas, Nevada 89103

As your promoters we are committed to doing our very best to put on a professional and entertaining pageant. We will try to be flexible and accommodate your request but we can't guarantee anything. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact us and we will address them accordingly and quickly. Once again, thank you for your interest in this year's Queen of Sin City Pageant. We are here to help you have the most memorable pageant experience and we are looking forward to working closely with you.

Good Luck!

Queen of Sin City Promoters

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