

Disqualifiers for Police Applicants

1. Conviction of, or admission to, committing a persons felony after reaching age 18, or any crime that would be classified a persons felony under Kansas statutes.
2. Conviction of a property or non-person felony after reaching age 18, or any crime that would be classified a property or non-person felony under Kansas statutes.
3. Admission to committing a property or non-person felony after reaching age 18, or any crime that would be classified a property or non-person felony under Kansas statutes will be weighted on the facts of the case, taking into account the type of property or non-person crime, any property or non-person crime convictions the application may have and the length of time that has transpired since any crime was committed. The Chief makes the final decision whether or not to disqualify candidate.
4. Conviction of, or admission to committing a persons felony prior to reaching age 18, or any crime that would be classified a persons felony under Kansas statutes.
5. Conviction of, or admission to committing a non-persons felony prior to reaching age 18, or any crime that would be classified a non-persons felony under Kansas statutes when the act occurred within five years of the written test date.
6. Use of marijuana within 12 months of date of written test.
7. Use of other illegal drugs within five years of date of written test.
8. Admission or conviction of perjury.
9. No current operator's license or operator's license currently suspended, canceled, revoked, or modified¹ at the time of the background check, conditional job offer or hiring.
10. Not a high school graduate and no Kansas recognized GED.
 - KLETC requires individuals receiving high school education through homeschooling to provide alternate education verification, examples include ACT scores, SAT scores, or proof of admission to a post-secondary school (i.e.; college).
11. Not a citizen of the United States.
12. Failure of the physical agility test.
13. DUI convictions or diversion within 60 months of date of written test.
14. Conviction of a domestic violence crime.
15. If a current restraining or protection order is in effect, the processing of the application will be suspended until the order is no longer in effect. The applicant is responsible for advising the Police Department when the order is no longer in effect.
16. If any traffic charges or any criminal charge(s) are pending, the processing of the application will be suspended until final disposition of the charge(s). The applicant is responsible for advising the Police Department when the case has a disposition.

Note: Any of the acts described above occurring outside of specified time frames, or acts not listed, will not result in automatic disqualification but will be considered in other phases of the selection process.

¹ (Modified is a valid license, which is restricted by court order or administrative action to limit driving for certain purposes or time periods.)