

**Bedford County Building Inspections Office**

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**SWIMMING POOL BARRIER AND ALARM AGREEMENT**

BUILDING PERMIT # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that any structure intended for swimming or recreational bathing that contains water over 24 inches deep requires a fence, wall, building wall or combination thereof which completely surrounds the swimming pool and obstructs access to the swimming pool. An above pool exterior wall may act as the barrier if the wall is 4-feet from the ground all the way around the pool. A 4-foot high orange temporary fence may be used during construction for a period of 60 DAYS only.

**(INITIAL)**

(\_\_\_\_\_) I agree that an approved barrier shall be installed PRIOR to placing over 24 inches of water in the structure and prior to any use or final inspection.

(\_\_\_\_\_) I understand the adopted Code prohibits any use of the pool until the approved 4-foot barrier is in place. I understand that I do NOT have 6 months to install or complete the barrier.

(\_\_\_\_\_) If the house is used as a part of the barrier, I understand an alarm must be installed on all doors directly accessing the pool and must be heard by the inspector.

(\_\_\_\_\_) I understand TCA 68-14-802 requires a pool alarm on all residential swimming pools containing 36 inches or more water. Alarm is to be installed prior to final inspection.

(\_\_\_\_\_) I understand it is my sole responsibility as the permit holder, to comply with the above listed requirements and to request a final inspection from Bedford County Building Codes.

Failure to install a barrier and an alarm is in violation of the adopted Bedford County Building Code and TN Code Annotated and is a misdemeanor. If you fail to comply, you may be cited to the Bedford County General Sessions Court for violating the provisions of the adopted Bedford County Building Code and could subject you to a fine and/or court costs.

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PROPERTY OWNER

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NOTARY PUBLIC  
COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
STATE \_\_\_\_\_  
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