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## ISSN Application Form

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ISSN

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1.  This is a new serial, or a serial which will be published under a new title. No issues have yet appeared under this title. The first issue will appear \_\_\_\_\_ (expected date of publication) and will carry the following number and/or date designation, e.g., Vol. 1, no. 1, or issue no. 1, or year, etc. \_\_\_\_\_.
- This is an existing serial which has been published under this title since \_\_\_\_\_ (date); the first issue under this title had the following number and/or date designation: \_\_\_\_\_.

2. TITLE (from the title page, or the cover if there is no title page)

3. VARIANT FORMS OF THE TITLE on the cover, masthead, or other parts of current issues.

4. EARLIER TITLES which this serial continues

5. FORMAT OF THIS SERIAL (e.g. print, CD-ROM, online, etc.)

6. IS THIS A LOOSE-LEAF UPDATING SERVICE?

Yes     No    If "Yes" describe publication pattern in Item 15.

7. PUBLISHER

8. CITY AND STATE OF PUBLISHER

9. FORMER PUBLISHER (if taking over publication from another publisher)

10. FREQUENCY

11. SINGLE ISSUE PRICE

12. SUBSCRIPTION ADDRESS

13. SUBSCRIPTION PRICE (indicate differential rates)

14. ELECTRONIC ACCESS INFORMATION (e.g. URL, e-mail instructions, ftp, gopher, etc.)

15. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, COMMENTS, QUESTIONS

16. CONTACT PERSON

Telephone

E-mail

Date

MAIL ISSN NOTIFICATION TO:

Name

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Notification will be mailed in window envelope

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### HAVE YOU:

- ✓ Completed all necessary spaces?
- ✓ Enclosed issue or mock-up?
- ✓ Included expected date of publication for new serial?
- ✓ Included daytime telephone number?