

# National Coalition of Blacks for Reparations in America

## N'COBRA Individual AND Group Membership Application

**PURPOSE** We believe that the descendants of Africans who were captured, taken from our homeland (Africa), enslaved, colonized and held captive for hundreds of years in the Americas and throughout the Diaspora, **MUST BE COMPENSATED** for the injustices, cruelties, brutalities, inhumanities and exploitations of racism, white supremacy, economic discrimination and oppression imposed upon our people past and present.

**DEFINITION** of REPARATIONS: Payment for a debt owed; the act of repairing a wrong or injury; to atone for wrongdoings; to make amends; to make one whole again; the payment of damages to repair a nation; compensation in money, land, or materials for damages. In the Ancient African, Kemetic sense, Reparations means to rise up, repair and restore the ruined and damaged; to develop the underdeveloped and create a just society.

**INVITATION** Please help continue the organizing and expansion efforts of N'COBRA, in building our National and International Movements for Reparations. **Reparations are obtainable in our lifetime!** *A committed people with a righteous cause is a force that cannot be denied!*

### MEMBERSHIP DUES - INDIVIDUALS

*This form may also be used for Renewals*

**CHECK the best payment amount for your budget:** (Note: Chapters may also assess dues per member.)

YEARLY—>  \$15.00  \$20.00  \$25.00 ||| **OR, Fill In—>** MULTIPLE YEARS: \$\_\_\_\_\_ Amount for \_\_\_\_ years

LIFETIME Membership:  \$500.00

OR—> PAYMENTS For Lifetime Members only: \$  per month for  months (max 12) **OR** \$250  a year for 2 years

### MEMBERSHIP DUES - ORGANIZATIONS & GROUPS

**Group members may be international, national or local.** Groups have 3 votes at annual conventions. Persons representing groups must be of Injured party background. (Note: Local N'COBRA chapters may also assess member dues.)

YEARLY:  \$25.00 **OR** MULTIPLE YEARS: \$\_\_\_\_\_ Amount for \_\_\_\_ years **OR**, Lifetime Group Membership:  \$500.00

**FREE-WILL DONATIONS** —> N'COBRA's Commissions: \$\_\_\_\_\_ —> **OR** GENERAL CONTRIBUTION: \$\_\_\_\_\_

*Check the N'COBRA Commission you want to support:* Membership & Human Resources \_\_\_\_\_ Economic Development \_\_\_\_\_  
Education \_\_\_\_\_ Info. & Media \_\_\_\_\_ International \_\_\_\_\_ Legal/Legislative \_\_\_\_\_ Youth \_\_\_\_\_ Health \_\_\_\_\_

**DUES \$\_\_\_\_\_ plus COMMISSION DONATION or CONTRIBUTION \$\_\_\_\_\_ = TOTAL ENCLOSED \$\_\_\_\_\_**

### APPLICANT INFORMATION - PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

*The NCOBRA Membership Commission reviews applications. Expect a response within 30 days. Dues will be returned if application is not accepted.*

You **MUST** Check One: African Descendant (Injured Party Member/Group)  Reparations Supporter (Non-African Descent/ Group)  (Donation)

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Intl. \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Group Name if applicable \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ Unit or Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Best Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Social Media \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Collected by (Member/Activist that introduced you to N'COBRA): \_\_\_\_\_

**Make check or money order (preferred) payable to N'COBRA, 1006 Surrey Street, Lafayette, LA 70501**