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**APPLICATION FOR ABANDONMENT  
OF SUBSURFACE SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM COMPONENTS**

Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Abandonment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Components or structures to be abandonment (check all that apply):

Septic Tank       Hollow Leaching Structures (galleries, drywells, etc.)       Cesspool  
 Other (explain): \_\_\_\_\_

Components/structures emptied (pumped) by a cleaner licensed pursuant to CGS Chapter 393a?

Yes     No    If yes, date pumped: \_\_\_\_\_    Pumper: \_\_\_\_\_

**According to the Technical Standards for Subsurface Sewage Disposal Systems (Revised January 1, 2018), Section II. D. System Abandonment:** Abandonment of subsurface sewage disposal system components (i.e., septic tank, hollow leaching structures) or cesspools shall be performed in such a manner as to eliminate the danger of the system components or structure inadvertently collapsing. The responsibility for abandonment lies with the property owner. Structures that are to be abandoned shall be emptied of all sewage/wastewater prior to abandonment. Structures shall be filled with sand, gravel, or crushed, and the area backfilled with clean soil.

**Property Owner/Authorized Agent:** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Application # \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Abandonment Inspected By \_\_\_\_\_

Date Inspected: \_\_\_\_\_