Slate and National Archive Contest

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN.

ELIGIBILITY: OPEN ONLY TO INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE LEGAL RESIDENTS OF THE FIFTY (50) UNITED STATES AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER, AND THE DIRECT AND INTENDED RECIPIENTS OF A SURVEY INVITATION. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED. Employees (and their immediate families (parent, child, spouse or sibling and their respective spouses, regardless of where they reside) and those living in their same households, whether or not related) of The Slate Group (“Sponsor”), its parent, subsidiaries, divisions, affiliated companies, and advertising and promotion agencies are not eligible to enter or win. By participating, entrants agree to be bound by these Official Rules and the decisions of the Sponsor and judges, which are binding and final on matters relating to this contest. Contest is subject to all applicable federal, state and local laws.

CONTEST PERIOD: The contest begins at 12 PM on June 26, 2017 and ends at 12 PM on June 29, 2017 (“Contest Period”).

TO ENTER: During the Contest Period, send a tweet to @slate using the hashtag #tinydeclaration. There is no limit to the number of entries per person. All entries must be received by 12 PM on June 29, 2017 to be eligible. Entries generated by script, mechanical, macro or other automated means or by any means which subvert the entry process are void. All entries become the property of Sponsor and will not be acknowledged or returned.

FINALIST SELECTION: Finalists will be selected from all eligible entries on June 30, 2017 and winners will be contacted on July 4th. Winners will be announced on twitter stream. A panel of individuals affiliated with Sponsor and the National Archives (the “Panel”) will select up to 20 finalists from whom a Winner will be selected. If A Finalist does not respond to the initial notification within the time period stated in the tweet or does not return all required documentation within the time period stated, or if the prize notification or is returned as undeliverable, or the Finalist is not in compliance with these rules, Finalist’s will not be eligible for consideration by the Panel, If the winner is at least 18 but still a minor in his/her jurisdiction of residence, Sponsor reserves the right to award the prize to his/he parent or legal guardian who will be responsible for fulfilling all requirements imposed on winners set forth herein. Prizes will be shipped to Winner at the address provided at time of winner confirmation.

PRIZE: National Archive Mug and National Archive Socks. Approximate Retail Value (“ARV”): $40. Prize is awarded “as is” with no warranty or guarantee, either express or implied. All federal, state and local taxes, if any, and all other costs and expenses Sponsor reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to substitute a prize of comparable or greater value. Prize is not redeemable for cash. All prize details are at Sponsor’s sole discretion. Twitter is a trademark of Twitter, Inc. This contest is not sponsored, endorsed or administered by Twitter, Inc.

PUBLICITY GRANT: Winner, by acceptance of prize, except where legally prohibited, grants permission for Sponsor and its designees to use his/her name, address (city and state), photograph, voice and/or other likeness and prize information for advertising, trade and promotional purposes without further compensation, in all media now known
or hereafter discovered, in any manner, worldwide in perpetuity, without notice or review or approval.

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**WINNER'S NAME:** To receive the name of the winner (available after August 1, 2017), send an email to: slateoffice@slate.com, by no later than August 1, 2018

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