

Financial Aid 1530 W. 17th St. Santa Ana, CA 92706 2023-2024

Name of Financial Aid Applicant (Please print)			
Last	First	Middle	
Student ID Numbe	er:		

## **Independent Status Confirmation—Legal Guardianship**

According to information received from the FAFSA, you answered "yes" to being in a legal guardianship. Please confirm you meet the definition provided by the Department of Education for financial aid purposes. By signing this document you confirm that you meet the definition provided on this form. Documentation may be requested. If you do not meet the definition provided on this form you must correct and resubmit your FAFSA instead of completing this form.

Legal Guardianship
You can provide a copy of a court's decision that as of today you are in legal guardianship or you can provide a copy of a court's decision that you were in a legal guardianship immediately before you reached the age of being an adult in your state. The court must be located in your state of legal residence at the time the court's decision was issued.
<b>Note:</b> The definition of legal guardianship does not include your parents, even if they were appointed by a court to be your guardian. You are als not considered a legal guardian of yourself.
EREBY CERTIFY that to the best of my knowledge, all of the information provided is true and complete. I understand that false statements or srepresentations will be cause for denial or repayment of financial aid.

Student Signature Date

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