PARENTS’ INCOME CERTIFICATION

Directions:

Answer EVERY question. Please do not leave ANY blanks. If $0 (zero), put $0.

On your child’s FAFSA you indicated a low income in 2009 for the number of people you support. We know that the amount you indicated would not be enough to pay rent, food, clothing, and other living expenses for the entire year.

Parent, please answer ALL the following questions to help us understand your situation more clearly:

1. How much rent were YOU paying each month in 2009? $________
   For how many months?________
   Did somebody help you pay your rent (low-income housing, child, other relative, friend, incarceration, etc)? __Yes __No
   If yes, who and how much________________________________________________

2. Did someone help you pay for food in 2009? __Yes __No
   If yes, who helped you pay for food? (food stamps? friends? relatives?) _________________
   How much per month did you receive? _________________
   For how many months? _________________

3. Were you living in another country in 2009? __Yes __No
   If yes, explain where you lived and who helped pay for your rent and food.

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4. Did you earn money from a job in 2009 that was not reported on an income tax return? __Yes __No
   What was the total earned? ________________ From whom? _________________
   Did you earn money in another country in 2009? __Yes __No
   If yes, what was the total earned in US dollars? _________________

5. Did you receive money as a gift in 2009? __Yes __No
   If yes, how much? ________________ From whom? _________________

6. Did you receive money as a loan in 2009? __Yes __No
   If yes, how much? _________________
   From whom? _________________
   How will you pay it back? _________________
7. Did you receive social security income, welfare, child support, or other untaxed income in 2009? __Yes __No
   If yes, list each benefit and the total amount received for the year____________________________________
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8. Did you use savings to pay for your expenses in 2009? __Yes __No
   If yes, explain how much you had saved in January 2009 and how much you have left now.
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9. Please explain, in as much detail as you can to help us understand, how your family expenses were met.
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I certify that ALL information on this form is true, complete, and accurate. I understand that I may be called in for an appointment to explain my situation further if it is not clear what income and resources I had to live on in 2009.

Parent’s Signature ___________________________ Date ___________________________