Verification of Dependency Form

Return to: California State University, Bakersfield
Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships
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This form is required because you answered “Yes” to one of questions (53 through 58) on the FAFSA form. Please check all the boxes that apply to you and provide the necessary documentation to the Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships.

☐ Yes  ☐ No
At any time since you turned age 13, were both your parents deceased, were you in foster care or were you a dependent or ward of the court?
If you checked “Yes”, provide copies of court documents verifying that you are a dependent/ward of the court.

☐ Yes  ☐ No
Are you or were you an emancipated minor or were you in legal guardianship as determined by a court in your state of legal residence?
If you checked “Yes”, provide a copy of the court’s decision that you were an emancipated minor or are in legal guardianship as of the day you completed the FAFSA, or immediately before you reached the age of being an adult in your state of legal residence. The court must be located in your state of legal residence at the time the court’s decision was issued.

☐ Yes  ☐ No
At any time on or after July 1, 2014, did your high school district homeless liaison determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless?
If you checked “Yes”, provide a letter from the high school district homeless liaison verifying that you were an unaccompanied youth and homeless.

☐ Yes  ☐ No
At any time on or after July 1, 2014, did the director of an emergency shelter or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless?
If you checked “Yes”, provide a letter from the director of the emergency shelter or transitional housing program funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development verifying that you were an unaccompanied youth and homeless.

☐ Yes  ☐ No
At any time on or after July 1, 2014, did the director of runaway or homeless youth basic center determine that you were an unaccompanied youth who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless?
If you checked “Yes”, provide a letter from the director of the runaway or homeless youth basic center verifying that you were an unaccompanied youth, who was homeless or were self-supporting and at risk of being homeless.

If you answer NO to ALL questions below, please update FAFSA to include parent information and signature.

Certification & Signature

Signing below certifies that all of the reported information is complete and correct.

WARNING: If you purposely give false or misleading information you may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both.

Student Signature __________________________ Date __________________________

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