Dear Student:

It is the policy of the Financial Aid Office to verify all otherwise dependent students who answered ‘yes’ to question 50 on the FAFSA, making them independent. Question 50 reads: Do you have children who will receive more than half of their support from you between July 1, 2014 and June 30, 2015?

While the child need not live with you to qualify, you must be providing at least 51% support for the child. To meet these qualifications, you must be paying more than half of the child’s expenses including, but not limited to, housing, food, utilities, clothing, medical, and dental.

For verification purposes, please fill out the worksheet below and return this form to the Financial Aid Office with a copy of your child’s birth certificate.

Amount others provide for your child’s support. Include amounts provided by the child’s other parent and/or family members. Monthly $______________

Amount provided by state, local, and other welfare agencies. Monthly $______________

Amount you provide for the child’s support. Monthly $______________

By signing below, I certify that all the information reported on this worksheet is complete and correct.

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Student Signature       Date