HOME STUDENT CERTIFICATION

The HOME program has enacted student rules which apply to all apartments which received HOME program funding. Certain students are not allowed to live at this community unless they meet one of the applicable exceptions.

**Applicant/Resident** ___________________________  **Date** ____________  **Property** ___________________________  **Apt** ____________

To be completed by each household member 18 years of age or older at **every** initial or annual or interim certification.

**Are you a student at an institution of higher education**, full or part time?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

**If not now, do you plan to attend an institution of higher education**, full or part time?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

*During the upcoming year - Institutes of higher education include post-secondary vocational institutions; “proprietary institutions of higher education” which prepare students for “gainful employment in a recognized occupation,” and accredited post-secondary colleges and universities. If you are not sure, please mark “yes” and we will verify it.*

If you answered no to both questions above then you are not considered a student for HOME program purposes, skip the following questions and sign below, otherwise, continue.

**Exceptions**  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

1. Are you over 24 years of age?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

2. Are you a veteran?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

3. Are you married?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

4. Do you have a dependent child living with you?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

5. Are you a person with a disability and was receiving Section 8 assistance as of 11/30/05?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

If you answered yes to any of the questions above, skip the next set of questions and sign below. Otherwise, continue.

6. Are you and your parents eligible for Section 8 assistance?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

7. Are you independent from your parents?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

8. Are you receiving any financial assistance to help pay for your education?  
**Yes** ☐  **No** ☐

If you or another member of your household is found to be an ineligible student now or in the future, you may not be eligible to continue residency at the community. If HUD updates program rules, and as a result we determine at any time after move-in that you are ineligible for assistance, we will notify you by providing at least a 60-day notice, or the notice as stated in your lease agreement, whichever is greater, that your ability to live at the community has changed.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the information presented in this certification is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The undersigned further understand(s) that providing false representations herein constitutes an act of fraud. False, misleading or incomplete information may result in the termination of a lease agreement.

**Signature of Applicant / Resident**  
**Printed Name of Applicant / Resident**  
**Date**

DCA HOME Student From effective 3/1/2016

Title 18: Section 1001 of the U.S. Code states that a person is guilty of a felony for knowingly and willingly making false or fraudulent statements to any department of the United States Government. HUD and any owner (or any employee of HUD or the owner) may be subject to penalties for unauthorized disclosures or improper use of information collected based on the consent form. Use of the information collected based on this verification form is restricted to the purposes cited above. Any person, who knowingly or willingly requests, obtains or discloses any information under false pretenses concerning an applicant or participant may be subject to a misdemeanor and fined not more than $5,000. Any applicant or participant affected by negligent disclosure of information may bring civil action for damages, and seek other relief, as may be appropriate, against the officer or employee of HUD or the owner responsible for the unauthorized disclosure or improper use. Penalty provisions for misusing the social security number are contained in the Social Security Act at 42 U.S.C. 208a (6), (7) and (8). Violation of these provisions are cited as violations of 42 U.S.C. 408a (6), (7) and (8).