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DECLARATION OF CITIZENSHIP SECTION 214 STATUS

Notice to applicants and tenants: In order to be eligible to receive the housing assistance sought, each applicant for, or recipient of, housing assistance must be lawfully within the U.S. Please read the Declaration statement carefully and sign it and return to the Housing Authority's Admissions Office. Please feel free to consult with an immigration lawyer or other immigration expert of your choosing.

I, _____, certify, under the penalty of perjury, that: (Check appropriate box)

☐ I am a U.S. Citizen, a naturalized citizen of the United States, or a national of the United States.

☐ I am not a citizen or a national of the United States, and I do not have eligible immigration status.

✓ If you checked this block and you are 62 years of age or older, you need to submit a proof of age document together with this format, and sign below.

☐ I have eligible immigration status as defined in the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) of 1952, and I am providing the following documents as evidence of the following status: (please see page 2 for more information)

☐ Immigrant status [INA Sections 101(a)(15) or 101(a)(20)]

☐ Permanent residence status [INA Section 249]

☐ Refugee, asylum or conditional entry status [INA Sections 207, 208, or 203]

☐ Parole status [INA Section 212(d)(5)]

☐ Threat of life or freedom status [INA Section 243(h)]

☐ Amnesty status [INA Section 249A]

Signature of Applicant/Tenant

Date

☐ Check box if signature is of adult applicant/tenant who is responsible for child named on statement above.

WARNING: 18 U.S.C. §1001 provides that whoever knowingly and willfully makes or uses a document or writing containing any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or entry in any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States, shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned for not more than five years, or both.

HA: Enter INS/SAVE Primary Verification #: _____ Date: _____

The following footnotes pertain to noncitizens who declare eligible immigration status in one of the following categories:

1. Eligible Immigration status and 62 years of age or older-For noncitizens who are 62 years of age or older or who will be 62 years of age or older and receiving assistance under a Section 214 covered program on June 19, 1995. If you are eligible and elect to select this category, you must include a document providing evidence of proof of age. No further documentation of eligible immigration status is required.
2. Immigrant status under 101(a)(15) or 101 (a)(20) of INA-A noncitizen lawfully admitted for permanent residence, as defined by 101(a)(20) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), as an immigrant, as defined by 101(a)(15) of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1101(a)(20) and 1101(a)(15), respectively [immigrant status]. This category includes a noncitizen admitted under 210 or 201A of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1160 and 1161), [special agricultural worker status], who has been granted lawful temporary residence status.
3. Permanent residence under 249 of INA-A noncitizen who entered the U.S. before January 1, 1972, or such later date as enacted by law, and has continuously maintained residence in the U.S. since then, and who is not ineligible for citizenship, but who is deemed to be lawfully admitted for permanent residence as a result of an exercise of discretion by the Attorney General under 249 of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1259) [amnesty granted under INA 249].
4. Refugee, asylum, or conditional entry status under 207, 208 or 203 of INA-A noncitizen who is lawfully present in the U.S. pursuant to an admission under 207 of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1157) [refugee status]; pursuant to the granting of asylum (which has not been terminated) under 208 of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1158) [asylum status]; or as a result of being granted conditional entry under 203(a)(7) of the INA (U.S.C. 1153(a)(7)) before April 1, 1980, because of persecution or fear of persecution on account of race, religion, or political opinion or because of being uprooted by catastrophic national calamity [conditional entry status].
5. Parole status under 212(d)(5) of INA-A noncitizen who is lawfully present in the U.S. as a result of an exercise of discretion by the Attorney General for emergent reasons or reasons deemed strictly in the public interest under 212(d)(5) of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1182(d)(5)) [parole status].
6. Threat to life or freedom under 243(h) of INA-A noncitizen who is lawfully present in the U.S. as a result of the Attorney General's withholding deportation under 243(h) of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1253(h)) [threat to life or freedom].
7. Amnesty under 245A of INA-A noncitizen lawfully admitted for temporary or permanent residence under 245A of the INA (8 U.S.C. 1255a) [amnesty granted under INA 245A].

Instructions to Housing Authority: Following verification of status claimed by persons declaring eligible immigration status (other than for noncitizens age 62 or older and receiving assistance on June 19, 1995), HA must enter INS/SAVE Verification Number and date that it was obtained. A HA signature is not required. Instructions to Family Member for Completing Form: On opposite page, print or type first name, middle initial(s), and last name. Place an "X" or "check" in the appropriate boxes. Sign and date at the bottom of the page. Place an "X" or "check" in the box below the signature if the signature is by an adult residing in the unit who is responsible for the child in the statement.