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Statement of Lawful Presence to Receive Public Benefits Certifications/Licenses

Arizona Revised Statutes § 41-1080 requires that an individual applying for a license issued by the Department—(i) for the purpose of operating a business in Arizona or (ii) to someone who provides a service to any person where the license is necessary in performing that service—must submit certain documentation that satisfactorily demonstrates that the applicant is lawfully present in the United States. If the documentation does not contain a photograph of the applicant, the applicant must also present a government issued document that contains a photograph.

Directions: All individual applicants for a license or certification covered by these laws must complete this form and provide evidence by submitting a copy ***(front and back, if any)*** of one or more documents from the lists below declaring your citizenship or lawful alien status with your application. ***If your documentation of lawful presence does not have a photograph, you must also provide a government issued id with a photograph.*** If the Department has evidence you have previously submitted proof of United States citizenship or a non-expiring work authorization issued by the federal government, you do not have to do so again. ***Please DO NOT provide a copy of your Social Security Card.***

APPLICANT INFORMATION

APPLICANT'S LEGAL NAME (Print or type) _____

TYPE OF LICENSE/CERTIFICATION APPLICATION (check one) NEW RENEWAL

EVIDENCE OF CITIZENSHIP, NATIONAL OR ALIEN STATUS

Evidence of Citizenship – please check the box corresponding to the document you are providing. The following documents need only be supplied once as long you remain certified.

- A birth certificate showing birth in one of the 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico (on or after January 13, 1941), Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands (on or after January 17, 1917), American Samoa, or the Northern Mariana Islands (on or after November 4, 1986, Northern Mariana Islands local time) (unless the applicant was born to foreign diplomats residing in such a jurisdiction);
- Form N-550 or N-570, United States Certificate of Naturalization
- Form DD-214 (Report of Separation Military Discharge Document) showing US Place of Birth
- United States Passport; or A foreign passport with a United States visa.
- Report of birth abroad of a U.S. citizen (FS-240) (issued by the Department of State to U.S. citizens); Certificate of Birth (FS-545) (issued by a Foreign Service post) or Certification of Report of Birth (DS-1350); Statement provided by a U.S. consular official certifying that the individual is a U.S. citizen

- Form N-561, Certificate of Citizenship
- Form I-197, United States Citizen Identification Card
- Form I-873 (or prior versions), Northern Marianas Card
- Statement provided by a U.S. consular official certifying that the individual is a U.S. citizen (given to an individual born outside the United States who derives citizenship through a parent but does not have an FS-240, FS-545, or DS-1350)
- Form I-872 (or prior versions), American Indian Card with a classification code "KIC"; A tribal certificate of Indian blood; or A tribal or bureau of Indian affairs affidavit of birth.

Evidence of Lawful Presence – please check the box corresponding to the document you are providing. The documents listed below must be submitted with every new certification application and certification renewal, no exceptions.

- Arizona Driver’s License issued after 1996.
- A driver’s license issued by a state that verifies lawful presence in the United States; which does not include Alaska, Hawaii, Iowa, Illinois, Michigan, Montana, North Carolina, Nebraska, New Mexico, Nevada, Oklahoma, Oregon, Rhode Island, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Washington, or Wisconsin; unless the driver’s license is compliant with Federal Real ID requirements.
- Form I-551 (Alien Registration Receipt, Resident Alien, or Permanent Resident Card; aka Green Card)
- Form I-766 (Employment Authorization Document)
- Form I-94 (Arrival/Departure Record)
- Form I-688B (Employment Authorization Card)
- Unexpired temporary I-551 stamp in foreign passport or on Form I-94
- Order from an immigration judge showing deportation withheld
- Order of an immigration judge granting asylum
- Grant letter from the Asylum Office of the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service

DECLARATION

All applicants must complete this section. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Arizona that the answers I have given are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that the document(s) submitted demonstrating lawful presence are true.

APPLICANT’S SIGNATURE

TODAY’S DATE