

LEGAL STATUS AFFIDAVIT

Pursuant to Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) Section 50-36-1, verification of legal status is required, for the administration of various public services/public benefits as defined in the Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act (GSICA). Accordingly, applicants for various public benefits must certify one of the following: *(please mark one choice below)*

_____ (1) The applicant must execute an affidavit that he or she is a United States citizen or legal permanent resident 18 years of age or older; or

_____ (2) The applicant must execute an affidavit that he or she is a qualified alien or nonimmigrant under the federal Immigration and Nationality Act 18 years of age or older lawfully present in the United States.

I, as applicant for public services/public benefits as defined in the Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act (GSICA) certify my legal status to be in the United States of America as marked above. I understand that there may be state and/or federal penalties for providing false information on this affidavit required under the Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act.

Printed Name of Applicant: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Date of Affidavit: _____