

### HB 144 Utah Non-Resident Tuition Waiver Request for Eligible Utah High School Graduates

#### **General Information**

Any student other than a non-immigrant, who meets all the following requirements, shall be exempt from paying the non-resident portion of the total tuition at Southern Utah University. Student information provided in this affidavit is strictly confidential unless disclosure is required by law.

### Requirements

- The student must have attended a Utah high school for three or more years.
- The student must have graduated from a Utah high school or attained the equivalent of a high school diploma (GED) in Utah.
- The student cannot have registered at a Utah System of Higher Education institution earlier than Fall of 2002.
- Students must submit their official high school transcript(s) validating three-year high school attendance in Utah and graduation from a Utah high school.
- A student, who is without lawful immigration status, must file an affidavit with Southern Utah University that he or she has filed an application to legalize immigration status, or will file an application as he or she is eligible to do so.
- Students who hold a non-immigrant visa are not eligible for this waiver
- The student must file a signed affidavit with Southern Utah University that indicates they have met all applicable conditions described above.
- Students eligible for this waiver who are transferring to another Utah public college or university must submit a new request (and documentation if required) to each college under consideration.
- Students meeting the criteria will have the non-resident portion of their tuition waived, but continue to be classified as non-residents.
- Students who qualify for the non-resident waiver are not eligible for state and federal financial aid.

## Procedures for Requesting a Utah Exemption from Non-Resident Tuition at Southern Utah University

- 1. If you are a new or returning student, submit the Non-Resident Tuition Waiver and Affidavit at the end of this section.
- 2. In addition to any credentials necessary for admissions to Southern Utah University, arrange to have high school transcript showing completion of at least three years in a Utah high school and proof that you have graduated from the Utah high school or have an equivalency of a high school diploma in Utah.

# Southern Utah University Affidavit For Exemption From Non-Resident Tuition Waiver

Complete and sign this form to request an exemption from non-resident tuition. Students determined to be eligible for this exemption will continue to receive the exemption as long as the requirements listed below are met or until Southern Utah University no longer offers the exemption. Applying for the exemption does **not** alter the student's responsibility to pay in full and on time any non-resident tuition and associated fees due prior to establishing residency eligibility.

### **Application**

I, the undersi	gned, am applying for a S	Southern Utah Ur	niversity Affidavit	tuition waiver f	for eligible U	tah high
school graduates and o	declare that <b>ALL</b> of the fe	ollowing apply to	me: (circle YES	or NO below)		

YES	NO	I have attended high school in Utah for three or more years
YES	NO	I have graduated from a Utah high school or have earned a GED in Utah
YES	NO	I have not registered for any college classes before the Fall semester, 2002
YES	NO	I will file an application to legalize my immigration status as soon as I am eligible to do so
YES	NO	I am NOT in the U.S. on a current Visa as a non-immigrant alien

### **HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION** [Provide information on all school(s) you attended in grades 9-12]

Name of School	City	State	From-Month/Year	To-Month/Year

### **COLLEGE INFORMATION** [Provide information on all school(s) you attended post high school]

Name of School	City	State	From-Month/Year	To-Month/Year

### DECLARATION OF TRUE AND ACCURATE INFORMATION

I, the undersigned, declare under penalty of perjury that the information I have provided on this form is true and accurate. I understand that this information will be used to determine my eligibility for the tuition exemption. I further understand that if any of the above information is found to be false, I will be liable for payment of all non-resident tuition and fee charges from which I was exempt and that I may be subject to disciplinary action by the University.

Print Full Name	T NUMBER Phone Number
Mailing Address	City State Zip Code
Signature	Date