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2018-2019 Confirmation of Orphan, Ward of the Court or Foster Care Status (1OWC)

_____ _____ or _____
STUDENT'S NAME USCA ID My VIP ID

You indicated on your 2018-2019 FAFSA that at some time since you turned age 13, you were either an orphan, a ward of the court, or were in foster care. Before we can continue processing your financial aid, you must complete this form and return it to our office by fax or mail as provided in the upper right corner of this form.

Step 1: Please provide your date of birth: ____ / ____ / _____
(month) (day) (year)

Step 2: Please check the appropriate box below. Provide any requested information and your signature.

☐	Check this box if at any time since you turned age 13 you had no living biological or adoptive parents (even if you are now adopted). Attach copies of both death certificates, along with the long form of your birth certificate. **Provide the following dates:** Date of father's death: _____ Date of mother's death: _____
☐	Check this box if at any time since you turned age 13 you were in foster care, even if you are no longer in foster care today. **Please attach a copy of the court documents and return them with this form.** **Provide the following information about your foster parent(s):** Name of foster parent(s) _____ Address of foster parent(s) _____ _____
☐	Check this box if at any time since you turned age 13 you were a ward of the court, even if you are no longer a ward of the court today. **Please attach a copy of the court documents and return them with this form.**
☐	Check here if none of the situations above applies to you.

By signing this document, I certify that all the information reported on it is complete and correct. If I purposely give false or misleading information on this document, it will be cause for denial or repayment of financial aid and I may also be fined, sentenced to jail, or both.

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Student Signature **Date**