



IOWA WESTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID

SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION EXEMPTION FORM

INFORMATION REGARDING SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION

Men aged 18 through 25 are required to register with the Selective Service System. This requirement covers men residing in the United States who are U.S. citizens or noncitizens, except that a man who is in the U.S. as a lawful nonimmigrant isn't required to register as long as he maintains that status (see the exceptions to the registration requirement under "Exemptions" below). Students who are required to register with the Selective Service must do so to be eligible for Federal Student Aid funds.

EXEMPTIONS

Men exempted from the requirement to register include:

- males currently in the armed services and on active duty (this exception does not apply to members of the Reserve and National Guard who are not on active duty); males who are not yet 18 at the time that they complete their applications; males born before 1960; noncitizens who first entered the U.S. after they turned 26; and, noncitizens who entered the U.S. as lawful *nonimmigrants* on a valid visa and remained in the U.S. on the terms of that visa until after they turned 26.

There are certain less common situations in which registration isn't necessary. Students who weren't required to register prior to meeting one of these criteria and who meet a criterion for the entire time through the age of 25 qualify for the waiver if:

- they are unable to register due to being hospitalized, incarcerated, or institutionalized; they are enrolled in any officer procurement program at The Citadel, North Georgia College and State University, Norwich University, Virginia Military Institute, Texas A&M University, or Virginia Polytechnic and State University; or they are commissioned Public Health Service officers on active duty or members of the Reserve of the Public Health Service on specified active duty.

If the student isn't required to register, the College must document the student's status by having the student complete a Selective Service Registration Exemption Form.

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

STUDENT'S NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

STUDENT ID NUMBER OR LAST 4 DIGITS OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

BY SIGNING BELOW, I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOLLOWING:

- I DID NOT KNOWINGLY FAIL TO REGISTER WITH THE SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM.

SIGNATURE OF STUDENT _____ DATE _____