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2023-2024 Clarification of FAFSA Parent Form

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Last Name First Name Middle Name Student VIP ID

_____ _____
Student's Email Address Telephone Number

Recent information provided by our office indicates that your 2023-2024 FAFSA may have been completed with information about someone other than your biological or adoptive parent(s). Federal regulations require that parental information reported on a FAFSA must only include information for a biological or adoptive parent. Please complete the items below to assist us in determining whose information must be provided on your FAFSA.

1. **Whose information did you provide on your FAFSA as parental information?**
   Name: _____
   Relationship to you (the student): _____
   (Grandparent, aunt, uncle, guardian, friend, etc.)

2. **Has this person adopted you?**
   ☐ No - *If no, go to Question #3*
   ☐ Yes - *If yes, attach a copy of adoption papers and go to Question #7*

3. **Is this person your legal guardian?**
   ☐ No - *If no, go to Question #4*
   ☐ Yes - *If yes, attach a copy of guardianship papers and go to Question #4*

4. **Indicate the status of your biological (or adoptive) parents:**
   Parent 1 (check one): ☐ deceased ☐ not deceased ☐ unknown
   Parent 2 (check one): ☐ deceased ☐ not deceased ☐ unknown

5. **Indicate the marital status of your biological (or adoptive) parents - check one:**
   ☐ my parents are married to each other
   ☐ my parents are divorced or separated
   ☐ my parent(s) are single or widowed
   ☐ unknown

6. **Explain why you did not provide information about your biological (or adoptive) parents on the FAFSA.**
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   (Continue on back, if necessary)

7. **Complete the items below and return this form and any attachments to the address or fax above.**

_____ _____
Student's Signature Date