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SPONSOR'S AFFIDAVIT AND PROOF OF FREE ROOM AND BOARD

WHAT DOES THIS AFFIDAVIT MEAN?

By completing this affidavit, you are swearing to the U.S. government that the student will live with you free of charge for room and food **for every year** he or she is attending Georgian Court University. (The student cannot be required to provide you with any services such as babysitting, cleaning, etc., in exchange for the room and board, as that is *employment*.) You are also proving that you can afford the support you are promising with the documentary evidence you have attached.

Before signing it, it is important to understand that you are making a financial commitment to the student that should not be broken. Sponsors who fail to provide the promised support force students to drop out of school and cause pain and suffering. Do not expect that the student will be able to help support the costs through employment. Employment is strictly controlled by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security and very limited.

HOW TO COMPLETE THIS FORM:

- **Fill this form out in ENGLISH (or have it officially translated into ENGLISH).**
- Sign and date the affidavit.
- Attached the supporting evidence listed below. The affidavit will not be accepted without the required supporting evidence.
- Give the student the original documents and have him or her submit them electronically or make photocopies to scan, mail or fax to us with the application for a Form I-20. The student will need to keep the originals to present to the consul at the VISA interview.

SUPPORTING EVIDENCE REQUIRED:

1. Proof of Income (any of the following) with most recent pay stub:
 - Income tax returns or receipts, *or*
 - Pay stubs for last six months, *or*
 - Bank/Investment statements for the last six months.
2. Bank Statements in your name only: A monthly statement of balances and deposits.
 - *If another person's name appears on your bank statement, that person also must complete a separate affidavit. **A letter from a bank officer will NOT be accepted.***
3. **Copy of your deed, lease, current rent receipts or current utility bill** to prove that you are the person who owns or rents the property.

THIS IS MY SWORN PROMISE OF FREE ROOM AND BOARD

I, _____, promise that for each year of his/her study at Georgian Court University
My Name

_____ will live free of charge with me in my home at:
Full Name of Student

Address

City, State, Zip Phone: _____

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- I own this property
 I rent this property
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If the student is presently in the U.S., does he/she currently live with you? YES NO

I will not require any type of service to be performed in exchange for this benefit.

My relationship to this student is _____
Parent, Spouse, Brother/Sister, Friend

My proof of income and deed or lease are attached: YES NO

I swear that the information I have provided above is true and correct.

Signature of Sponsor: _____

Today's Date: ____ / ____ / ____