



**STATEMENT OF CITIZENSHIP, ALIENAGE, AND IMMIGRATION STATUS FOR  
STATE PUBLIC BENEFITS**

Print Name of Applicant (the applicant is the person who wants to receive a California Housing Finance Agency (CalHFA) Single Family Lending Program loan or to occupy a Multifamily Program unit):	Date:
Print Name of Person Acting for Applicant, if any:	*Relationship to Applicant

**STATE PUBLIC BENEFITS TO CITIZENS AND ALIENS**

Citizens and other nationals of the United States who meet all eligibility requirements may receive a CalHFA Single Family Lending Program loan or occupancy of a Multifamily Program unit and must complete Sections A and C of this form.

Aliens who meet all eligibility requirements may receive a CalHFA Single Family Lending Program loan or occupancy of a Multifamily Program unit and must complete Sections B and C of this form.

**SECTION A: CITIZENSHIP STATUS DECLARATION**

1. Is the applicant a citizen or other national of the United States? Yes
2. To establish citizenship or nationality, please submit proof of citizenship or nationality of the United States, which includes copies of the Applicant's birth certificate, passport, certificate of U.S. Citizenship or naturalization, or other proof of citizenship.

**IF YOU ARE A CITIZEN OR OTHER NATIONAL OF THE UNITED STATES, GO DIRECTLY TO SECTION C. IF YOU ARE AN ALIEN, PLEASE COMPLETE SECTION B AND SECTION C.**

**SECTION B: ALIEN STATUS DECLARATION**

**IMPORTANT:** Please indicate the applicant's alien status below, and submit original and unexpired documents evidencing such status. The alien status documents listed for each category are the most commonly used documents that the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), formerly the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), provides to aliens in those categories. The applicant can provide other acceptable evidence of his or her alien status even if not listed below.

1. An alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence under the Immigration and Naturalization Act (INA). Evidence includes: 
  - USCIS Form I-551 (Alien Registration Receipt Card, commonly known as a "green card"); or
  - Unexpired Temporary I-551 stamp in foreign passport or on USCIS form I-94.
2. An alien who is granted asylum under Section 208 of the INA. Evidence includes:

- USCIS Form I-94 annotated with stamp showing grant of asylum under section 208 of the INA;
  - USCIS Form I-688B (Employment Authorization Card) annotated “274a.12(a)(5)”;
  - USCIS Form I-766 (Employment Authorization Document) annotated “A5”;
  - Grant of Status letter from the Asylum Office of USCIS; or
  - Order of an immigration judge granting asylum.
3. A refugee admitted to the United States under Section 207 of the INA. Evidence includes:
- USCIS Form I-94 annotated with stamp showing admission under Section 207 of the INA;
  - USCIS Form I-688B (Employment Authorization Card) annotated “274a.12(a)(3)”;
  - USCIS Form I-766 (Employment Authorization Document) annotated “A3”;
  - USCIS Form I-131 (Refugee Travel Document).
4. An alien paroled into the United States under section 212(d)(5) of the INA for at least one year. Evidence includes:
- USCIS Form I-94 with stamp showing admission under Section 212(d)(5) of the INA.
5. An alien whose deportation is being withheld under Section 243(h) of the INA (as in effect immediately prior to April 1, 1997) or whose removal is being withheld under section 241 (b)(3) of such act. Evidence includes:
- USCIS Form I-688B (Employment Authorization Card) annotated “274a.12(a)(10)”;
  - USCIS Form I-766 (Employment Authorization Document) annotated “A-10”; or
  - Order from an immigration judge showing deportation withheld under Section 243(h) of the INA as in effect prior to April 1, 1997, or removal withheld under Section 241 (b)(3) of the INA.
6. An alien who is granted conditional entry under Section 203(a)(7) of the INA as in effect prior to April 1, 1980. Evidence includes:
- INS Form I-94 with stamp showing admission under Section 203(a)(7) of the INA;
  - INS Form I-688B (Employment Authorization Card) annotated “274a.12(a)(3)”;
  - INS Form I-766 (Employment Authorization Document) annotated “A-3”.
7. An alien who is a Cuban or Haitian immigrant (as defined in Section 501 (e) of the Refugee Education Assistance Act of 1980). Evidence includes:
- USCIS Form I-551 (Alien Registration Receipt Card, commonly known as a “green card”) with the code CU6, CU7 or CH6; or
  - Unexpired temporary I-551 stamp in foreign passport or on USCIS Form I-94 with the code CU6 or CU7; or
  - USCIS Form I-94 with stamp showing parole as “Cuban/Haitian Entrant” under Section 212(d)(5) of the INA.
8. An alien not in categories 1 through 7 who has been admitted to the United States for a limited period of time (a non-immigrant). Non-immigrants are

persons who have temporary status for a specific purpose. (Evidence includes USCIS Form I-94 showing this status.)

9. **Battered Alien Provisions:** An alien who has been battered or subjected to extreme cruelty pursuant to 8 U.S.C. 1641(c) (check the box below that applies):

- Check if the USCIS has approved a petition or application (USCIS Form I-130 or I-360) filed by or on behalf of the applicant under the INA or found that a pending petition sets forth a prima facie case.
- Check if the Executive Office for Immigration Review (“EOIR”) has or is considering suspension of deportation under Section 244(a)(3) or cancellation of removal under Section 240A(b)(2) of the INA.

**SECTION C:**

**I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA THAT THE ANSWERS I HAVE GIVEN ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. ALSO, BY SIGNING THIS DECLARATION I HEREBY AGREE THAT THE CALIFORNIA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY MAY, DIRECTLY OR THROUGH ITS CONTRACTORS, AGENTS, GRANTEEES OR DESIGNEES, TAKE SUCH ACTIONS AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY TO VERIFY THE ACCURACY OF THESE STATEMENTS, AND THAT ANY PERSON OR ENTITY CONTACTED BY CalHFA, ITS CONTRACTORS, AGENTS, GRANTEEES OR DESIGNEES, IN THE COURSE OF SUCH VERIFICATION, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE INS, MAY RELEASE SUCH PERTINENT INFORMATION TO CalHFA AND/OR ITS CONTRACTORS, AGENTS, GRANTEEES OR DESIGNEES.**

**WARNING: SERIOUS LEGAL CONSEQUENCES, INCLUDING CRIMINAL AND CIVIL OR BOTH, MAY RESULT FROM A FALSE DECLARATION! FOR EXAMPLE, SECTION 1015(e) OF TITLE 18 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE PUNISHES AS A FELONY ANY KNOWING FALSE STATEMENT THAT ONE IS A CITIZEN OR OTHER NATIONAL OF THE UNITED STATES WITH THE INTENT TO OBTAIN ANY FEDERAL OR STATE BENEFIT OR SERVICE.**

Applicant’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Signature of Person  
Acting for Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*If and only if the applicant is an unemancipated minor (under 18 years of age) or an adult who is not competent to or has a disability which renders him/her unable to understand or execute this Form 1, then the Form 1 shall be executed by a parent, legal guardian, or other person legally qualified to act on behalf of the applicant.