The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

2016-2017 Parent Refusal Letter

Student First Name:		Student Last Name:		ID:
DOB://	Primary Phone #: ()	Secondary Phone #: ()

On your 2016-2017 FAFSA, you told us that you think you have a special circumstance and are unable to provide parental information. At this time, your FAFSA is currently considered incomplete. Please review the following information:

The U.S. Department of Education gives schools the authority to offer financial assistance when there is clear indication that a student's parents have ended **ALL** financial support and /or **REFUSE** to complete and sign a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). A school may only offer such students an unsubsidized student loan and only after one parent completes and signs this Parent Refusal Letter.

STUDENT CERTIFICATION:

I certify that the information provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If your parents refuse to sign and date a statement to this effect, you must get documentation from a third party, such as a teacher, counselor, or attorney.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

PARENT CERTIFICATION:

I attest to the following:

- 1. I am the parent of _____
- 2. I refuse to complete the parent portion of the FAFSA application and
- 3. I will not and have not provided the above mentioned student with any financial support, including the payment of educational costs, other cash, and non-cash support such as room and board as of the following date:
- 4. In addition, I will not provide financial support to the student in the future.

Parent Signature

Date

Printed name

Phone Number

Please submit to either of the following UTRGV locations:

The Tower, Main 1.100 One West University Blvd. Brownsville, Texas 78520 Ph: (888) 882-4026 Fax: (956) 882-8229 Visitors Center 1.113 1201 West University Drive Edinburg, Texas 78539 Ph: (888) 882-4026 Fax: (956) 665-2392

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Date:_____

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