



NORTH GREENVILLE  
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## CONFIRMATION OF LAWFUL PRESENCE IN THE UNITED STATES

**Purpose:** In accordance with SC H.4400, Act 280, North Greenville University (“NGU”) is required to ensure that all recipients of a South Carolina higher education public benefit be (1) lawfully present in the United States and (2) legal residents of South Carolina. Because your lawful presence could not be determined via the FAFSA, you must complete this form and submit it to the Financial Aid Office at NGU.

**Directions:** Fully answer each of the questions listed in *Step 1* and attach your supporting documentation as outlined in *Step 2*. In *Step 2*, please use a check mark to indicate which type of documentation you will be submitting (only one is required). Forms that are missing supporting documentation, or are otherwise incomplete, cannot be accepted for review.

### Step 1: Provide Demographic Information

Student’s Full Name (Legal Name): \_\_\_\_\_

NGU ID or SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

### Step 2: Provide Supporting Documentation

- SC Driver’s License or Identification Card first issued after January 1, 2002.
- U.S. Passport
- U.S. or U.S. Territory Birth Certificate
- Certificate of Naturalization
- U.S. Government Issued Consular Report of Birth Abroad
- Certificate of Citizenship

### Step 3: Certification and Signature

*I certify that all of the information on this form is complete and correct. I understand that purposefully giving false or misleading information may result in the loss of financial aid and that I may be fined, be sentenced to jail, or both. Furthermore, I understand that this form is only used to determine my lawful presence for state aid purposes. I acknowledge that I must also complete a SC Residency Evaluation Form (available here: <https://www.ngu.edu/financial-aid.php>) before my final eligibility for state aid can be determined.*

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**Student Signature**

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**Date**