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TAMIU ID _____

Student's Last Name _____

Student's First Name _____



**Texas A&M International University
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID**

Texas Grant Controlled Substance Statement of Student Eligibility

Effective with the 2010-2011 academic years the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board will require institutions to collect a statement from each TEXAS Grant recipient prior to the disbursement of funds confirming eligibility in regards to the controlled substance restrictions of the program.

Statement of Student Eligibility

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or an offense under Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code (Texas Controlled Substances Act), or under the law of another jurisdiction involving controlled substance as defined by Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code?

No

Yes*

I hereby certify that the information I have provided is true and correct. I also certify that if in the future while receiving the TEXAS Grant award I am convicted of a felony or an offence under Chapter 481 I will notify the financial aid office at my institution. I understand that if I fail to provide accurate information, I may be required to reimburse the institution, Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, State of Texas and penalties may be imposed.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

*** If your answer is yes, contact the financial aid office to determine your eligibility to receive TEXAS Grant.**

Reference: Statutory Program Restrictions

A person is not eligible to receive an initial or renewal Texas grant,

“...if the person has been convicted of a felony or an offense under Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code (Texas Controlled Substances Act), or under the law of another jurisdiction involving a controlled substance as defined by Chapter 481, Health and Safety Code, unless the person has met the other applicable eligibility requirements under this subchapter and has:

- (1) Received a certificate of discharge by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice or a correctional facility or completed a period of probation ordered by a court, and at least two years have elapsed from the date of the receipt or completion; or
- (2) Been pardoned, had the record of the offense expunged from the person’s record, or otherwise has been released from the resulting ineligibility to receive a grant under this subchapter.”

Citations:

TEXAS Grant initial awards TEC 56.304(b)

renewal awards TEC awards TEC 56.305(b)

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TEXAS Grant Renewal Requirements

| Description | GPA | Completion Rate (PACE) | If Non-Compliance | TEXAS GRANT Maximum Time Frame |
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| <p>Initial Award for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● First-Time Freshmen ● TEOG Transfer Recipients ● Honorable Military Discharge Pathway ● Associate Degree Pathway <p>At the end of the first year, a recipient of the TEXAS Grant award must be in compliance with the school's Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) Policy.</p> <p>9-credit hours + of enrollment needed per semester for award to pay out.</p> | <p>2.0 TAMIU</p> | <p>Complete 67% of all attempted hours.</p> | <p>Students not meeting these requirements will be ineligible for the Texas Grant award for the subsequent year, but may make up deficiencies during the summer.</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: 0;"/> <p><i>If not meeting GPA requirement, student must enroll at <u>TAMIU ONLY</u> to raise GPA.</i></p> | <p>Eligibility ends when one of the following has been met, whichever comes first:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) five years from the initial award, 2) when student earns a bachelor's degree, or 3) up to 150 semester credit hours have been attempted (includes credit by exam, courses taken prior to high school graduation, and transferred hours), <p>For students who received the Texas grant through associate degree, there is an additional component;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4) Up to 90 credit hours of TEXAS Grant funds. |
| <p>Renewal Award for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Current Students ● Transfer Prior Recipient <p>At the end of the second year and each year after in the program, all students must meet the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) requirements.</p> <hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: 0;"/> <p><i>A transfer prior recipient of Texas Grant must notify our office of their previous award.</i></p> <p>9-credit hours + of enrollment needed per semester for award to pay out.</p> | <p>2.5 Overall</p> | <p>Complete 24 semester credit hours at the end of each academic year (Fall & Spring). Students can make up deficiencies during the summer.</p> | <p>If a student fails to meet these requirements at the end of the spring semester, the student has the summer of the same academic year to meet requirements.</p> <p><i>Note: Student must meet all requirements at end of summer to be eligible for award.</i></p> | |

Your signature on this document confirms your acknowledgement of the following:

- ☛ The information submitted for review is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have read each section.
- ☛ Providing false information may result in reduced eligibility, repayment of aid, or both, in this year or next year.
- ☛ Additional documentation may be required.

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Student Signature _____

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