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Independent Due To Supporting Child

Student Name:	EKU ID:
Current Phone Number:	

You have reported that you are independent because you have a child for whom you **provide more than 50% of his/her financial support**. We must determine if you meet the U.S. Department of Education's criteria to be considered independent for this reason. If you want to explain your circumstances in more detail, include a written, signed statement on the back of this form.

NOTE: Students who are living at home with their parents, even if they have a child, are not eligible for independent status.

Do you live at home with your parent(s)? (circle yes or no)

YES If yes, you must correct your FAFSA by changing the child question from "yes" to "no" and adding your parent's information. Include yourself and your child in your parent's household.

NO If no, where do you live? (include address) _____

Are you currently working? YES** NO \$_____ income/wages per week

****If yes, attach most recent pay stubs from all jobs you have held this calendar year.**

If you are not working, how do you pay for your housing? _____

Monthly rent/mortgage amount \$_____

Do you receive money, or are living expenses paid, by another on your behalf? YES** NO

** If yes, how much per month? \$_____ **Who is providing the support? _____

Do you receive child support? YES** NO ** If yes, how much per month? \$_____

Do you receive public assistance in your name? (WIC, HUD, SNAP, Etc.) YES** NO

**If yes, please list all: _____

Additional documentation may be requested, such as a copy of your lease, utility bills, etc. We will be unable to continue processing your financial aid until this matter is resolved. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call our office at 859-622-2361.

Student Signature _____ **Date** _____