

Office of Enrollment Management, Admissions

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## **Wrongfully Incarcerated Person Tuition and Fees Exemption Request**

FS 961.06(1)(b)

"Wrongfully incarcerated person" means a person whose felony conviction and sentence have been vacated by a court of competent jurisdiction and, with respect to whom pursuant to the requirements of section 3 of Chapter 2008-39 of the Laws of Florida, the original sentencing court has issued its order finding that the person neither committed the act nor the offense that served as the basis for the conviction and incarceration and that the person did not aid, abet, or act as an accomplice or accessory to a person who committed the act or offense.

"Eligible for compensation" means a person meets the definition of "wrongfully incarcerated person" and is not disqualified from seeking compensation under the criteria prescribed in the law.

An exemption of tuition and fees for up to 120 hours of instruction at any Florida college or community college as defined in s. 961.06 (1)(b) Florida Statutes if the wrongfully incarcerated person meets and maintains the regular admission requirements of such college; remains registered at such educational institution; and makes satisfactory academic progress as defined by the educational institution in which the claimant is enrolled.

Fees Waived: Tuition, registration fees, and laboratory fees up to 120 hours of instruction.

## **Eligibility Terms:**

- Supporting documentation from State Legal Affairs is required. Example in "Guidelines on Florida Residency for Tuition Purposes", Appendix D.
- Cannot have received more than 120 credit hours of program credit hours waived.

## Conditions:

- Make satisfactory academic progress as defined by the educational institution in which the claimant is enrolled.
- Receiving this exemption does not constitute classification as a Florida resident for tuition purposes and does not necessarily qualify you for such classification in the future.
- You must apply for this exemption by the posted residency documentation deadline with the Office of Enrollment Management, Admissions. Failure to do so will result in fees being assessed. This exemption cannot be retroactively applied.
- If you break enrollment for three or more terms you must reapply for this exemption before the posted residency documentation deadline with the Office of Enrollment Management, Admissions.

By signing this form, I understan	nd and agree to the eligibility terms ar	nd conditions.	
Student's Legal Name	Student ID #	Term	
Student's Signature		Date Signed	
For CFK Staff Only:			
☐ Meets eligibility terms and	Meets eligibility terms and collected all of the documentation.		
☐ Submit a copy of the exem	□ Submit a copy of the exemption to the Business Office.		
☐ DegreeWorks: Has not rece	□ DegreeWorks: Has not received more than 120 credits of instruction.		
□ SOAHOLD: Create the app	ropriate "AD" holds. Registration code "CW	<i>l</i> ".	
Effective Term:	Date Completed:	_ Staff Initials:	