

## 2010-2011 ADDITIONAL DATA COLLECTION FOR STATE AID (TAG)

Your eligibility for NJ State student financial aid (TAG/NJ STARS) will be determined after you respond to a few additional questions.

Complete this form if you filed your FAFSA with only your information

**PLEASE FAX THIS FORM TO 609-588-2228 OR 609-588-7389 OR MAIL IT TO THE ADDRESS AT THE TOP OF THIS FORM**

### INDEPENDENT STUDENT

**YOU MUST RESPOND TO EACH QUESTION – FAILURE TO DO SO WILL DELAY PROCESSING**

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Please Print)

**Social Security #:** LAST 3 DIGITS ONLY - \_\_\_\_\_

### Student Driver License

Do you, the student, have a Driver License?  Yes  No - If Yes: Driver License State: \_\_\_\_\_ Driver License # \_\_\_\_\_

### Veterans Educational Benefits

Will the student receive Veterans Educational Benefits Between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011?  Yes  No

If yes, what type of benefit was received?

- Montgomery GI Bill-Active Duty
- Post 9/11 GI Bill
- Montgomery GI Bill-Selected Reserve
- Reserve Educational Assistance Program
- Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment
- Dependents Educational Assistance
- Any other type of Veterans Education Benefits

Indicate the number of months you will be receiving this benefit between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the dollar amount per month: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Student Income Information

#### **Tax Status**

- Actual**-I have already completed my 2009 federal income tax return
- Estimated**-I will file, but I have not yet completed my 2009 tax return
- Will not file**-I am not going to file a 2009 federal income tax return

#### **Untaxed Social Security Benefits**

**Report the amount of untaxed Social Security benefits received in 2009 by you/your spouse**

*Enter zero "0" if you did not receive Social Security benefits.*

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Where do I find untaxed Social Security benefits?**

2009 IRS form 1040-line 20a minus 20b

2009 IRS form 1040A-line 14a minus 14b

**If you are not required to file a federal income tax return** and you received Social Security benefits, report the amount shown on your 2009 form 1099.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Earned Income Credit**

**Report the amount of Earned Income Credit received in 2009 by you/your spouse**

*Enter zero "0" if you did not receive Earned Income Credit.*

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#### **Where do I find Earned Income Credit?**

2009 IRS form 1040-line 64a

2009 IRS form 1040a-line 41a

2009 IRS form 1040EZ-line 9a

**If you are not required to file a federal income tax return enter zero "0".**

I (we) hereby certify that the information provided herein is true and accurate to the best of my (our) knowledge. I (we) understand that this information will be used by the New Jersey Higher Education Student Assistance Authority (HESAA) to determine eligibility for State student financial aid programs, such as the Tuition Aid Grant and NJ STARS programs. I (we) recognize that the information provided will be transferred as required to institutions designated as authorized recipients on the FAFSA or other notification of change in college choice and I (we) specifically authorize HESAA to release that information for those purposes.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_