



**Financial Aid Office**

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**FSPCRS  
2010/2011**

**Special Circumstances Response**

Name:	Student ID:
Address:	Phone:
	<small>include area code</small>

Your petition has been approved.

Your FAFSA has been coded. Mail it to the Central Processor.

Please submit/bring your FAFSA so we can authorize your independent status.

Form G-21 forwarded to CSAC.

This approval is **only** valid for the 2010/2011 academic year. You will need to come and see a Financial Aid counselor/technician prior to filling out future FAFSA applications.

Your Petition has been denied.

“The Higher Education Act allows a financial aid administrator to make dependency overrides on a case by case basis for students with unusual circumstances.... However, none of the conditions listed below singly or in combinations, qualify as unusual circumstances or merit a dependency override:

- 1) Parents refuse to contribute to the student’s education
- 2) Parents are unwilling to provide information on the application or for verification
- 3) Parents do not claim the student as a dependent for income purposes
- 4) Student demonstrates total self sufficiency” *Federal Student Aid Handbook (HEA in Sec 480(d)(7))*

Your petition is pending:

Resubmit with all requested documentation by

mm/dd/yyyy

\_\_\_\_\_  
Financial Aid Counselor/Technician

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Date