

CITIZENSHIP/IMMIGRATION STATUS VERIFICATION AFFIDAVIT

All state agencies are required to verify the lawful presence in the United States of all individuals and individuals doing business as sole proprietors who apply for certain public benefits including the license, permit or registration for which you are applying. (Colorado Revised Statutes section 24-76.5-103)

STEP 1- CHECK AN OPTION, PROVIDE PERSONAL INFORMATION AND SIGN THE AFFIRMATION.

I swear and affirm under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Colorado that the information I have provided on this form is complete and accurate and **(CHECK ONE OPTION BELOW)**:

- (A) I am a United States Citizen
- (B) I am a permanent resident of the United States
- (C) I am lawfully present in the United States pursuant to federal law

AND I understand that this sworn statement is required by law because I have applied for a public benefit that is subject to Colorado Revised Statutes section 24-76.5-103. I understand that this state law requires me to provide proof that I am lawfully present in the United States prior to receipt of this public benefit. I understand that if I am not a United States citizen this law requires the Colorado Department of Agriculture (“CDA”) to verify my lawful presence in the United States through the federal Department of Homeland Security (“DHS”) Citizenship and Immigration Services (“CIS”) Systematic Alien Verification of Entitlement Program. I hereby authorize DHS/CIS to provide CDA with information related to my immigration status. I further acknowledge that making a false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or representation in this sworn affidavit is punishable under the criminal laws of Colorado as perjury in the second degree under Colorado Revised Statute section 18-8-503 and it shall constitute a separate criminal offense each time a public benefit is fraudulently received.

Applicant Signature		Signature Date
First Name of Individual/Sole proprietor	Last Name of Individual/Sole proprietor	Date of Birth
Provide Business name, if different		

STEP 2- PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF YOUR LAWFUL PRESENCE IN THE UNITED STATES.

ENTER YOUR VALID COLORADO DRIVER’S LICENSE OR ID CARD NUMBER										
#	#	-	#	#	#	-	#	#	#	#

OR

CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING AND PROVIDE A COPY OF THE DOCUMENT.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Valid Driver’s License OR ID card from any state <i>EXCEPT</i> the following which do not verify lawful presence: Hawaii, Illinois, Maryland, Nebraska, New Mexico, Utah or Washington.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Valid Out-of-State Driver’s License OR Identification card with Enhancement indicator		
<input type="checkbox"/> Valid US passport	<input type="checkbox"/> US Military Identification card OR Military Dependent’s Military ID card	<input type="checkbox"/> US Coast Guard Merchant Mariner card
<input type="checkbox"/> Valid Foreign Passport with Photo AND valid US Visa AND I-94	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Citizenship with photo (less than 20 years old)	<input type="checkbox"/> Native American Tribal Identification Document
<input type="checkbox"/> Valid Employee Authorization Document/Temporary Resident	<input type="checkbox"/> Refugee/Asylee I-94 with photo	<input type="checkbox"/> Valid I-551 permanent resident card
If you do not have any of these documents, please contact us at 303.869.9000 for additional options to verify your lawful presence in the US.		

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IF LICENSE IS ISSUED:

Print CDA Employee Name

I, _____ hereby state that I have personally verified the following information:

- Colorado Driver's License or ID Card
- Driver's license or ID card from an approved state (specify):
- Out-of-State Driver's License OR Identification card with Enhancement indicator
- US Coast Guard Merchant Mariner card
- US Military Identification card OR Military Dependent's Military ID card
- Valid US passport
- Native American Tribal Identification Document
- Certificate of Citizenship with photo (less than 20 years old)
- Valid Foreign Passport with Photo AND valid US Visa AND I-94 verified through SAVE
- Valid Employee Authorization Document/Temporary Resident verified through SAVE
- Refugee/Asylee I-94 with photo verified through SAVE
- Valid I-551 permanent resident card verified through SAVE
- Other documents as approved by the Department of Revenue- Motor Vehicles. Specify the document or combination of documents provided.

by the following method:

- Visually inspecting the document
- Verifying CO license or ID number with the DMV
- Verifying the applicant's DMV Benefit Waiver
- Verifying the document(s) through the SAVE program

CDA Employee Signature	Date
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IF LICENSE IS NOT ACCEPTED:

Print CDA Employees Name

I, _____, hereby state that I was not able to verify the applicant's lawful presence in the US for the following reason:

- Applicant did not provide the required documentation
- Information on the documentation provided was not complete or accurate
- Other reason, please provide details _____

CDA Employee Signature	Date
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