



## Colorado Department of Education

**C.R.S. 24-76.5-103**

### **AFFIDAVIT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, swear or affirm under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Colorado that (check one):

I am a United States citizen, or

I am a Permanent Resident of the United States, or

I am lawfully present in the United States pursuant to Federal law.

I understand that this sworn statement is required by law because I have applied for a public benefit or I am a sole proprietor entering into a contract or purchase order with the State of Colorado. I understand that State law requires me to provide proof that I am lawfully present in the United States prior to receipt of this public benefit or prior to entering into a contract with the State. 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 18-8-503 and it shall constitute a separate criminal offense each time a public benefit is fraudulently received.

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Name

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Signature

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Date