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PROGRAM SPONSOR VARIABLE TERM WAIVER REQUEST

Requests must be prepared by a Commission-approved Preparation Program or Local Education Agency (LEA) that has been approved for such waivers by action of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing. All materials must be typewritten or computer generated and sufficiently clear to photocopy. This form must be used for **COVID-19 Variable Term Waivers only.**

1.	PREPARATION PROGRAM/LEA REQUESTING WAIVER:
	Requested Issuance Date:
2.	APPLICANT INFORMATION:
	Social Security or Individual Tax Identification Number:
	Full Legal Name
	Former Name(s) Birth Date
	Applicant's Mailing Address
	Phone#Email
3.	Emergency Waiver Title: Type (Teaching or Services Area-MS, SS, Admin, SLP, etc.):
	Single Subject Area:
	Special Education Specialty Area:
	for Bilingual, specify language:
4.	REQUIREMENTS AND TARGET COMPLETION DATES FOR REACHING CREDENTIAL GOAL List the requirements that the applicant must complete to be eligible for the credential along with the credential goal and target date by which he or she plans to complete those requirements
	PROGRAM, COURSE, EXAMINATION, EXPERIENCE TARGET COMPLETION DATE

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5. PROFESSIONAL FITNESS QUESTIONS (to be answered by the applicant)

Answers to the following questions are required. If you answer yes to any question, you must complete the corresponding *Professional Fitness Explanation Form*.

Before granting your application, the Commission will review, at a minimum:

- Federal Bureau of Investigation criminal history (rap sheet)
- California Department of Justice criminal history (rap sheet)
- International database of teacher misconduct maintained by the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification (NASDTEC)
- Previous reviews by the Commission
- Complaints from others
- Notifications from school districts
- Teacher preparation test score violations

You must disclose misconduct, even if:

- It happened a long time ago
- It happened in another state, federal court, military or jurisdiction outside the United States
- You did not go to court and your attorney went for you
- You did not go to jail or the sentence was only a fine or probation
- You received a certificate of rehabilitation
- Your conviction was later dismissed (even if under Penal Code section 1203.4), expunged, set aside
 or the sentence was suspended



WARNING: You will be required to sign your application under penalty of perjury; by doing so you are also stating that you understand:

- That the information you provide is true and correct;
- That you understand any and all instructions related to your application;
- Failure to disclose any information requested is falsification of your application and the Commission may reject or deny your application or take disciplinary action against your credential;
- The Commission may reject your application if it is incomplete and it will be delayed.

PROFESSIONAL FITNESS QUESTIONS (you must answer each question)

- a. Have you ever been:
 - dismissed or,
 - non-reelected or,
 - suspended without pay for more than ten days, or
 - retired or,
 - resigned from, or otherwise left school employment

because of allegations of misconduct or while allegations of misconduct were pending?

Yes No

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	PROFESSIONAL FITNESS QUESTIONS (you must answer each question)				
b	b. Have you ever been convicted of any felony or misdemeanor in California or any other place You must disclose:	;?			
	 all criminal convictions misdemeanors and felonies convictions based on a plea of no contest or nolo contendere convictions dismissed pursuant to Penal Code Section 1203.4 driving under the influence (DUI) or reckless driving convictions no matter how much time has passed 				
	You do not have to disclose:				
	 misdemeanor marijuana-related convictions that occurred more than two years prior to application, except convictions involving concentrated cannabis, which must be disclose regardless of the date of such a conviction. Infractions (DUI or reckless driving convictions are not infractions) 				
	Yes No				
c.	Are you currently the subject of any inquiry or investigation by any law enforcement agency or any licensing agency in California or any other state?				
	Yes No				
d.	d. Are any criminal charges currently pending against you?				
	Yes No				
e.	. Have you ever had any credential, including but not limited to, any Certificate of Clearance, permit, credential, license or other document authorizing public school service, revoked, denied, suspended publicly reproved, and/or otherwise subjected to any other disciplinary action (including an action that was stayed) in California or any other state or place?				
	Yes No				

f. Have you ever had any professional or vocational (not teaching or educational) license revoked, denied, suspended, and/or otherwise subjected to any other disciplinary action (including an action that was stayed) in California or any other state or place?

Yes No

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6. CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT MANDATED REPORTING (to be answered by the applicant)

As a document holder authorized to work with children, it is part of my professional and ethical duty to report every instance of child abuse or neglect known or suspected to have occurred to a child with whom I have professional contact.

I understand that I must report immediately, or as soon as practicably possible, by telephone to a law enforcement agency or a child protective agency, and will send a written report and any evidence relating to the incident within 36 hours of becoming aware of the abuse or neglect of the child.

I understand that reporting the information regarding a case of possible child abuse or neglect to an employer, supervisor, school principal, school counselor, coworker, or other person is not a substitute for making a mandated report to a law enforcement agency or a child protective agency.

I understand that the reporting duties are individual and no supervisor or administrator may impede or inhibit my reporting duties.

I understand that once I submit a report, I am not required to disclose my identity to my employer.

I understand that my failure to report an instance of suspected child abuse or neglect as required by the Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act under Section 11166 of the Penal Code is a misdemeanor punishable by up to six months in jail or by a fine of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or by both that imprisonment and fine.

I acknowledge and certify that as a document holder, I will fulfill all the duties required of a mandated reporter.

I agree

7. APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that all of the foregoing statements in this application are true and correct.

Signature of Applicant	Date
(Sign full legal name as listed in #3)	

8. PROGRAM SPONSOR CERTIFICATION

I certify that the above named individual is enrolled in a Commission-approved preparation program (to be signed by authorized person from approved program sponsor).

Name and Title		
Contact Phone Number	Email Address	_
Signature	Date	

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