Financial Aid Office
Identity and Statement of Educational Purpose
(To Be Signed with Notary)

If the student is unable to appear in person at Bismarck State College to verify his or her identity, the student must provide:

- A copy of the valid government-issued photo identification (ID) that is acknowledged in the notary statement below, such as but not limited to a driver’s license, other state-issued ID, or passport; and
- The original notarized Statement of Education Purpose provided below.

Statement of Educational Purpose

I certify that I ____________________________________________am the individual signing this
(Print Student’s Name)
Statement of Educational Purpose and that the federal student financial assistance I may receive will only be used for educational purposes and to pay the cost of attending Bismarck State College for 2015-2016.

Student’s Signature________________________________________ Date _______/_______/_______

Student’s ID Number _______________________________________

Notary’s Certificate of Acknowledgement

State of ___________________________________________________________________________________
City/County of ________________________________________________________________________________
On______________________________, before me, ______________________________________________________,
(Date) (Notary’s name)
personally appeared, ___________________________________________, and provided to me
(Printed name of signer)
on basis of satisfactory evidence of identification )_________________________________________________
(Type of government-issued photo ID provided)
to be the above-named person who signed the foregoing instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal
(seal)

________________________________________
(Notary signature)

My commission expires on _______/_______/_______
(Date)

Forms can be mailed or dropped off at the address listed.
Mailing address: Bismarck State College • Financial Aid • P.O. Box 5587 • Bismarck, ND 58506-5587
Campus address: Schafer Hall, Room 138
Phone: 701-224-5494
Fax: 701-224-5550
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