

**APPENDIX C. MODEL DECLARATION OF SECTION 214 STATUS**

Notice to applications and tenants: In order to be eligible to receive housing assistance sought, each applicant for, or recipient of housing assistance must be lawfully within the U.S. Please read the Declaration statement carefully and sign and return to the Housing Authority's Admissions Office. Please feel free to consult with an immigration lawyer or other immigration expert of your choosing.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ certify under penalty of perjury 1/, that to the best of my knowledge, I am lawfully within the United States because (please check the appropriate box):

- I am a citizen by birth, a naturalized citizen or a national of the United States; or
- I have eligible immigration status and I am 62 years of age or older, Attach evidence of proof or age 2/; or
- I have eligible immigrations status as checked below (see reverse side of this form for explanation). Attach INS document(s) evidencing eligible immigration status and signed verification consent form.
- Immigration status under 101(a)(15) or 101(a)(20) or the immigration and Nationality Act (INA) 3/; or
- Permanent residence under 249 of the INA 4/; or
- Refugee asylum, or conditional entry status under 207, 208, or 0203 or the INA 5/; or
- Parole status under 212(d)(5) of the INA 6/; or
- Threat of life or freedom under 243(h) of the INA 7/; or
- Amnesty under 245A or the INA 8/.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Family Member)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

Check box on left if signature is of adult residing in the unit who is responsible for child named on this statement above.

HA: Enter INS/SAVE Primary Verification #. \_\_\_\_\_ Date