Ventura County (MCC) Mortgage Credit Certificate Program (619) 469-2002



MCC Application Checklist

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Note: Person completing Application must be o	n <u>Eligible Lende</u>	r List for this MCC Program
Buyer Last Name: Originating Lending Company: Lending Co. Responsible for Closing Affidavit Name of signatory below: (Print)		
$\sqrt{\rm I}$ certify that: 1) I have reviewed this application for accuracy the prohibited financing stated below. 3) The checked items		
(Signature)	(Phone No.)	(Fax No.)
your e-mail :	(We	will email you a blue-ink MCC approval)
This MCC application package contains: Application and Affidavit Page One: No Blank Application and Affidavit Page Two: Dates and Application and Affidavit Page Three: signed to Application and Affidavit Page Four	<u>s</u> d Signatures	
Check for .0025 x Total MCC-related Loan(s) Make payable to "County of Ventura" Attach with cli a blank page directly behind the "Application Checklist Copy of Standard Underwriting Transmittal S (To document back end ratio does not exceed max. all	p - to <u>"-</u> Summary	 ✓ Prohibited Financing CalHFA and Cal Vet first mortgages Back end ratio exceeding 45 % unless already waived by Administrator. Lender Rep. initial here: I certify that the financing attached to this MCC application does not have any of the prohibited characteristics above.
Income Summary Worksheet Two (2) Current paystubs – No Current (not averaged) base mo Calculator tape explaining your VOE for each applicant - if need If "Self Employed" - signed Curr	o More Than one onthly salary calculation and he ed to prove eligibinent P&L statemen	lity. (See Income Worksheet)
Recapture Tax Notice #1		
Seller Affidavit: All Blanks must be completed. Check the one that applies: Original document is enclosed, so the completed of the completed	signed by seller.	is enclosed.
Declaration of Non-Occupying Co-Signer if	applicable.	
Purchase Contract –Legible copy: First and Tax Returns for each applicant: Three Signed - in blue ink by taxpaye Dated - with current date in blue Broker's Certification, if Funding Lender is no Income Tax Affidavit - (if applicable)	e (3) most recent er(s) <u>ue ink</u> by taxpaye	(complete) years
Make your own copy before submitting this	package!	

County of c/o The UP	Ventura I S Store ijon Blvd.	n Blvd. Ste. "N" Today's Date:					
Originating	Company			Estimated date	of closin	ıg:	
Lender - Preparer of	Street:						
Application:	City:			State:		Zip:	
	Contact:		Phone:	()		Fax:	()
* Enter below the company who will be responsible for the MCC Closing Affidavit. If it is the originating Lender (a Broker) write "same" and provide a completed Broker's Certification form (found in "Optional Forms").							
Funding	Company	name:					
	Street:			State		7in:	
Complete	City:			State:		Zip:	
Property Address:				Citv:			Zip:
Seller(s):				Census Tract #:			Number of BRs:
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Please include information below for each Applicant. See page 2, Sec III, for the definition of Applicant. If there are more than two Applicants for this purchase, please complete and attach additional page 1 application sheets. Note: If married, both spouses must be applicants. APPLICANT #1 APPLICANT #2 Persons in							
3		APPLICANT #1		APPLICANT #2		• Hou	lent(s) or other household
Las	st Name:					membe	rs – not spouses:
	st Name:					Name	
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		Married? To Be On Title?		Married? To Be On Title?			ratio?%
		To Be On Note? Will Occupy?		To Be On Note? Will Occupy?			ment Assistance?
		Verified First Time Homebuyer?		Verified First Time Homebuyer?			Yes No rce (City, County, State, Fed., etc.):
For Statist Purposes Only: (Ent Age and C all that app	ter :heck	Female Male Male Male Mispanic White Other	U 2-32	Female Male Male Mispanic White Other		agree with th	pplicant: wed this completed Page 1 and ne information contained on it. Date: Date:

MCC APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT - Page 2

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Section II TO THE HOMEBUYER:

Hello! Thank you for your application to the Ventura County Mortgage Credit Certificate Program. Completion of the application process will result in your receiving a special tax credit equal to 20% of the mortgage interest you pay each year on your home. It is most important that you take time to read and sign each page of this application before your lender forwards it to our office. You will be certifying that you understand the MCC Program eligibility guidelines, and believe that you and the purchase price of your residence meet those guidelines. Your lender will also give you an Applicant Information Package which should answer most of your questions about the program. If you have any additional questions, please feel free to phone the MCC Program office at (619) 469-2002.

By signing this document you will be certifying that (1) You have made an accurate representation of your household composition; (2) You are able to verify your first time home buyer status (unless purchasing in a targeted census tract, in which case verification is unnecessary); (3) You intend to move in within 60 days of loan closing and occupy the property as your principal residence; (4) If the property is newly constructed, it will not be occupied prior to loan closing; (5) You are receiving a first (not an existing) mortgage; (6) You have provided complete and accurate information about your gross annual household income; (7) You have not made any side agreement with the seller which would misrepresent the purchase price; (8) Your first loan is not financed with bond proceeds; (9) No one related to you has an interest as a creditor on the Mortgage Loan; (10) You understand that the MCC is not transferable; and (11) You are applying for the Mortgage Loan through a lender of your choice.

ABOUT THE INCOME REQUIREMENT:

See item 4, on page one. The answer on that line must represent the current gross annual income of your household, and must not exceed the program income limits. Find the applicable limit below, based on your household size, and on whether the property you are purchasing is in a federally targeted census tract.

Non-targeted CensusTract
1-2 person household: \$89,300
3+ person household: \$102,695

Targeted Census Tract
1-2 person household: \$107,160
3+ person household: \$125,020

Income is "annualized", meaning that total current monthly income is multiplied by twelve for a total projected annual amount. Income includes all of the following: monthly gross pay; overtime; part-time employment; bonuses; dividends; interest; royalties; pensions; Veterans compensation; net rental income; alimony; child support; public assistance; sick pay; social security benefits; unemployment compensation; and income derived from trusts, business activities or investments. Income limits only apply during the escrow process; they become irrelevant after the loan closes.

ABOUT THE PURCHASE PRICE REQUIREMENT:

See item 2, on page one. The answer on that line must represent the purchase price that you and the Seller have agreed on, and must not exceed the program purchase price limits. Find the applicable limit below, based on whether the property you are purchasing is new or previously occupied; and on whether it is in a federally targeted census tract.

Non-targeted Census Tract
Previously occupied: \$665,088
New: \$665.088

Targeted Census Tract
Previously occupied: \$812,886
New: \$812,886

The purchase price means the cost of acquiring the residence, excluding usual and reasonable settlement or closing costs. If the buyer agrees to pay a cost usually paid by the seller, that amount must be included in the figure representing the purchase price in item 2, on page one.

MCC AFFIDAVIT

Section III

An MCC Applicant is anyone who will go on title and/or who will be liable on the mortgage and occupy the residence. Each Applicant must make the following certifications.

- I, the undersigned, as part of my application for a mortgage credit certificate ("MCC") from the Ventura Countyl Mortgage Credit Certificate Program (the "Program"), and in connection with a purchase of a single family home (the "Residence") and an application for a mortgage loan (the "Mortgage Loan") from a lender (the "Lender") of my choosing, do hereby state that I have carefully reviewed this document I understand and agree with the answers on Page One, and do furthermore certify the following:
- 1. I understand and agree that the answers given for items 3, page one, represent those people who I expect to initially share occupancy of the Residence with me. I understand that my spouse, whether on title or not, is an Applicant for the Program and must sign this Application.
- 2. I understand and agree that an "X" placed in the "Non-targeted" category, item 1, page one, means that I certify that I am purchasing a home in a non-targeted census tract and am therefore a first time home buyer, who has not had an ownership interest in a principal residence within the three years immediately preceding the date of this application, and I do not and will not have an ownership interest in a principal residence prior to the date of loan closing. A principal residence includes a single family residence, a condominium, share in a housing cooperative, any manufactured home or occupancy in a multifamily residence owned by me. An ownership interest means ownership by any means, whether outright or partial, including property subject to mortgage or other security interest; it also includes a fee simple ownership interest, a joint ownership interest by joint tenancy in common, or tenancy by the entirety, or a life estate interest. I further certify that I will submit true and complete copies of my actual signed federal tax returns for the preceding three tax years, or such other written verification that is acceptable to the MCC Program to verify first-time homebuyer status.

For Each Applica I have reviewed F	
Initial:	
Date:	
Initial:	
Date:	

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I understand and agree that an "X" placed in the "Targeted" category, item 1, page one, means that I certify that I am purchasing a home in a federally targeted census tract, and that I am therefore not required to be a first time home buyer, nor am I required to provide the MCC Program with three prior years federal tax returns.

- 3. I certify that the Residence will be occupied and used as my principal place of residence within sixty (60) days of the date of Mortgage Loan Closing. I certify that the Residence will not be used as an investment property, vacation home, or recreational home and that not more than 15% of the area of the residence will be used in a trade or business. I certify that I will notify the Program in writing if the Residence ceases to be my principal residence.
- 4. If the loan application is for a loan on a newly constructed home I certify that the Residence has not and will not be occupied prior to loan commitment.
- 5. I certify that the Mortgage Loan is a first mortgage, not a replacement for an existing mortgage.
- 6. I certify that the answer to item 4, page one, represents my total household gross annual income, and does not exceed the income limits, as explained in Section II above.
- 7. I certify that the answer to item 2, page one, represents the total purchase price of the Residence, and does not exceed the purchase price limits, as explained in Section II above. I further certify that no side deal or agreement, either written or verbal, is presently contemplated for the completion of or addition to this residence unless the estimated cost of such completion and/or addendum is included in the purchase price.
- 8. I certify that no portion of the financing of the acquisition of the Residence is or will be provided from the proceeds of a qualified mortgage bond or a qualified Veteran's mortgage bond. No person related tome has, or is expected to have, an interest as a creditor in the Mortgage Loan being acquired for the Residence.
- 9. I understand and agree that if the MCC is issued to me, it may not be transferred.
- 10. I understand and agree that I may seek financing from any Lender of my choosing, and that I am in no way prohibited from seeking financing from any potential Lender, so long as The Lender executes and complies with the terms of the Lender Participation Agreement.

CERTIFICATION OF THE APPLICANT

I acknowledge and understand that this Affidavit, as completed above, will be relied on for determining my eligibility for an MCC. I acknowledge that a material misstatement negligently made by me in This affidavit or in any other connection with my application for an MCC will constitute a federal violation punishable by a fine and possible criminal penalties imposed by law, and will result in the cancellation or revocation of the Certificate. I acknowledge that any false pretense, statement, or misrepresentation or the fraudulent use of any instrument, facility, article, or other valuable thing or service pursuant to my participation in the MCC Program is punishable by Imprisonment or by a fine.

Signature of Applicant #1	Date	
Signature of Applicant #2	Date	

CERTIFICATION OF THE LENDER

Based upon reasonable investigation, the Lender has no reason to believe that either the Applicant or the Seller of the Residence has made any negligent or fraudulent material misstatements in connection with the Applicants application for an MCC, and submits the completed information above as accurate and true to the best of the lenders knowledge.

Name and Title of Lender Representative	Date	
Signature of Lender Representative	Date	

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The following items are required to be provided by the lender on <u>each MCC</u> application. Because you will be submitting the application prior to funding it will be necessary for you to **estimate** certain items here as accurately as possible.

Buyer (s) Name:
Leave no blanks. If the question is not applicable, enter "N/A".
Please provide the following:
1. Downpayment amount paid by purchaser (from own funds, excluding any gifts):
\$
2. Closing costs paid by purchaser (from own funds):
\$
3. Term of the first mortgage:
months
Monthly mortgage insurance payment:
\$
5. Monthly homeowner association dues:
\$
6. For purchasers receiving assistance from any public program:
a. Downpayment assistance amount provided by a public program:
\$
b. Closing cost assistance amount provided by a public program:
\$
c. Interest rate, if any, of the public assistance loan:
%
d. Term, if any, of the public assistance loan:
months
e Name of Public Assistance Program:

Other items which must be provided appear on page 1 of the application. Make sure you leave no blanks on page 1 such as Census Tract #. Census Tract information for all properties in the 2000 census can be found at: www.ffiec.gov/geocode. Enter property address, print out map and include in application.

INCOME SUMMARY WORKSHEET

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-(NN)-	c/o The UPS Store
-//-	7918 El Cajon Blvd. Ste. "N"
*	Box # 289
aha!	La Mesa, California 91942

Instruc	tions	for ca	culating	income:

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- 1. Include the income of each adult who will go on title, and their spouse, and any adult over age 18 that will occupy the property.
- 2. BASE WAGES: use current base monthly wage x 12
- SPORADIC INCOME: For all other sporadic sources of income, calculate an average figure from a period of year-to-date plus up to 2 prior years. Average only that time which was spent at the same job. Submit your calculator tape, or Excel spreadsheet calculations, and label the figures.
- 4. SELF-EMPLOYED: For the self-employed applicant, add the current year-to-date total **net earnings** from the current profit and loss statement plus two prior years' **net earnings**. Add back in depreciation amounts, then figure the average monthly income for the entire period. Enter that as "monthly wage". **Submit calculator tape or Excel spreadsheet calculations, all pages of tax returns, and current P&L statement.**
- 5. Have the applicant review the "Other" sources of income listed below and identify any that apply, and enter it on the line labeled "Other".
- 6. Always submit calculator tape or Excel spreadsheet calculations, current pay stubs, and any other supporting documentation.
- 7. Please submit a VOE whenever it can be obtained.

	Applicant 1	Applic	cant 2	Applicant 3	
Last Name		_	**		
First Name					
Soc. Sec. No.					
Monthly Wage	\$	\$		\$	-
Bonus	\$	\$		\$	4 0
Overtime	\$	\$		\$	
Commissions	\$	\$		\$	- %
Part-time Emp.	\$	\$		\$	- %
Child Support	\$	\$		\$	- 66
Other*	\$	\$		\$	20
Total Monthly	\$(i)	\$	(ii)	\$	<u>(</u> iii)
Total Gross Annua	lized Household Inco	me: \$(i + ii + iii)	X 12 =	\$	
Source of "	Other" Income:				-

Income sources that must be counted include Alimony, Pensions, Annuities, Tips, Fees, Royalties, Dividends, Disability, Investment Income, Social Security, Death Benefits, Public Assistance, Insurance payments, Business Income, Unemployment Compensation, Net Rental Income, Veterans Admin. Comp., Winnings, Prizes, Severance Pay

MCC RECAPTURE TAX NOTICE 1 Ventura County MCC Program (619) 469-2002



NOTICE #1 INITIAL NOTICE TO MORTGAGOR OF POTENTIAL RECAPTURE TAX

(A more detailed explanation of the recapture tax will be delivered with the mortgage credit certificate to the buyer shortly after the close of escrow.)

Notice is hereby given that, if you receive a mortgage credit certificate which entitles you to an annual federal tax credit, you may be subject to a special "recapture tax" for federal income tax purposes which would be imposed at the time you sell the residence for which you obtained a mortgage credit certificate.

This potential tax, which is not imposed until you sell your home, is based on the concept that through the mortgage credit certificate, the federal government has enabled you to take a tax credit equal to 20% of the interest you pay on your home mortgage. The amount of the potential tax increases for the first five years that you own the home and thereafter declines. No tax is imposed if you hold (do not sell) your home for a total of nine or more years.

A number of factors determine the amount of tax imposed at the time of the sale of the home. These include:

- 1. the original principal amount of the home mortgage,
- 2. the number of complete years that pass before you sell the home,
- 3. the median family income for your area at the time you bought the home, and
- 4. your modified adjusted gross income at the time you sell the home.

Generally, if you sell the residence more than nine years after the close of escrow, no recapture liability arises. Also, if you sell the residence during the first nine years after closing but your income does not increase more than 5% per year during that period, you will likely not incur recapture liability. Finally, in no case will recapture liability exceed 50% of your gain from the sale of the residence.

After your loan closes, you will be given a second notice by the MCC Program with certain additional information that will be needed to calculate the amount, if any, of "recapture tax." You should also consult your tax advisor regarding your calculation when preparing your post-sale tax return.

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Date	Signature of Applicant #1

Please sign below to indicate that you have received your copy of the Recapture Notice.

MCC SELLER AFFIDAVIT

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To the Lender: Complete the first 3 blanks before sending to Seller.

MCC is a federal tax credit. The IRS requires you (the seller) to sign this document as verification that you and the buyer have agreed upon the sales price. The lender should have completed the blanks prior to forwarding this affidavit to you. Your cooperation in executing this completed document, and returning it to the lender as quickly as possible, is vital because escrow cannot close before that happens. Feel free to call the MCC program office at the phone number shown above with any questions. Do not sign this document if it is blank. I, as the seller of a single family residence at _____ understand that the buyer, _____, is applying for a Mortgage Credit Certificate from the Ventura County MCC Program. _____, excluding all settlement costs, title and transfer costs, title insurance, The Purchase price is _____ survey fees, credit reference fees, legal fees, appraisal fees and points paid by the buyer. Outside of escrow, I have received no money from the buyer and have entered into no contract or agreement with the buyer regarding the disposition of this property. The property is a completed unit, suitable for occupancy. I acknowledge that any material misstatement negligently or fraudulently made by me in connection with MCC application is a federal violation punishable by a fine and revocation of the Certificate, in addition to any criminal penalty imposed by law. (Print) Name of seller Date Current address *Social security number Signature Date (Print) Name of seller Current address *Social security number

To the Seller: The Party purchasing your home is applying for a mortgage credit certificate (MCC) from the County. The

Signature

^{*}Note: Seller has a choice of either providing his/her social security number or having this document notarized. When executed, seller should return this document to the lender.

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OPTIONAL FORMS

(Required - for certain situations)

The following pages are Optional Forms and are to be completed and submitted - <u>only</u> <u>when necessary</u>.

- Broker Certification—to be completed by Broker if Funding lender not enrolled in MCC Program
- Declaration of No Income to be completed for any adult in the household who earns NO INCOME.
- Declaration of Non-Occupying Co-Signer to be completed if there are any Non-Occupying Co-Signers.
- Income Tax Affidavit to be completed if applicant(s)
 - a.) did not have to file a <u>FEDERAL</u> Income Tax Return for one or more of the three (3) years required for this MCC application; or
 - b.) to take the place of the most recent prior year's <u>FEDERAL</u> Tax Return, if the MCC loan is scheduled to close between January 1st and February 15th.

Note: <u>after February 15th</u>, the previous year's <u>FEDERAL</u> Tax Return <u>is required</u>, by the IRS, to be submitted with the MCC application.

For example: on or after **February 16th, 2014**, when you submit the MCC application to our office, you will have to include the <u>FEDERAL</u> Income Tax Return for the tax year of **2013**.

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BROKER CERTIFICATION

This form is to be submitted by the Originating Lender in each MCC application package submitted to the Program in which the funding lender is NOT enrolled in the MCC Program.

I am the Originating Lender for this MCC transaction. The Funding Lender is not enrolled. I agree to my responsibilities for this transaction which include the following steps:

- 1.) I will take full responsibility for the completion of the Closing Affidavit and the return of that Affidavit to the MCC Program office within 10 days of closing.
- 2.) At the end of the calendar year, I will request that the MCC Program send me the information I need to complete the IRS Form 8329. I understand that this is a simple one-page form that I must complete by January 30, and send it to the IRS.

Failure to complete these responsibilities will result in a loss of membership in the MCC Program, and could reflect poorly on the program itself. In exchange for my enhanced responsibilities I will be free to seek the best financing possible for my buyers, regardless of whether the funding lender is enrolled.

Originating Lender signature:		_
Date Submitted:		
Originating Lender Name and	Company:	
<u> </u>		_
Actual Funding Lender (Comp	any):	
Buyer Full Name:		
Property Address:		_
MCC #	(Assigned by MCC office)	

DECLARATION OF NO INCOME

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Social Security Number



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DECLARATION OF NO INCOME

We are required to verify all income of anyone receiving assistance. To comply with this requirement, we ask your cooperation in supplying the information requested in the Certification below. This information will be held in strict confidence and used only for the purpose of establishing eligibility for the First Time-Home Buyer Program.

CERTIFICATION of NO INCOME				
I,, do NOT receive income from ANY source.	o hereby certify that I do			
I understand sources of income include, but are not limited to, the following:				
Employment by other	Retirement Funds			
Unemployment Compensation	Alimony			
Social Security	Income from Assets			
Workers Compensation	Pensions			
Child Support	General Assistance			
Education Grants/Work Study	Disability			
Self Employment	Union Benefits			
AFDC	Family Support			
SSI	Annuities			
I certify that the foregoing is true, complete and correct. Inquiries may be made to verify statements herein. I also understand that false statements or omissions are grounds for disqualification and/or prosecution under the full extent of California law.				
This signature signifies that I r NO INCOME from ANY SOUR				
Signature	Date			
Print Name				

DECLARATION OF NON-OCCUPYING CO-SIGNER

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DECLARATION OF NON-OCCUPYING CO-SIGNERS

The MCC Regulations require that all borrowers who are listed on the Title (Deed of Trust) <u>MUST</u> occupy the property as their principle residence. Non-Occupying Co-signers are allowed, in connection with the MCC program, provided they will <u>not</u> go on Title. To comply with this requirement, we ask your cooperation in supplying the certification below.

Primary Borrower(s):			
#1 Non-Occupying Co-Signer:			
#2 Non-Occupying Co-Signer:			
This document certifies that the Non-Occupying Co-Signer(s) listed above are <u>NOT</u> going on the Ti (Deed of Trust) to the first mortgage loan, in connection with this MCC application, being funded b			
(Company Na	me of Funding Lender)		
certify that the foregoing is true, complete and correct. Inquiries may be made to verify statements nerein. I also understand that false statements or omissions are grounds for disqualification and/or prosecution under the full extent of California law.			
Funding Lender Representative:			
Signatur	те		
Print Name	Date		
Title of Funding Lender Rep.	Phone#		
The signature(s) below signify that I (we) as No	on-Occupying Co-Signer(s) will not occupy the CC application, and are not going on Title (Deed of		
#1 Non-Occupying Co-Signer:			
Signatur	re		
Print Name	Date		
#2 Non-Occupying Co-Signer:			
Signatur	е		
Print Name	Date		

MCC INCOME TAX AFFIDAVIT

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INCOME TAX AFFIDAVIT

To be completed only if:

CHECK ONE

mortgage interest.

1) The applicant was not required by law to file a FEDERAL income tax return for one or more of the three prior tax years; or

2) The applicant is applying for a loan which is expected to close between January 1 and February 15th. Note: After February 15th, the most recent year's FEDERAL tax return must be completed and submitted with the MCC application.

This affidavit is not required if the home being purchased is in a federally "targeted" census tract.

I am an Applicant for the Mortgage Credit Certificate Program, and I am a first-time homebuyer. I have not owned a principal residence* during the last three years. I understand that the MCC program requires me to submit copies of my federal income tax returns for that three year period, as evidence that I did not take a property tax or mortgage interest deduction on my tax returns during that time.

I am signing this affidavit for one of the two reasons stated below.

Year(s) Reason(s): (Must be Completed)
2. I certify that the closing in connection with which I am seeking a MCC is occurring between January 1 and February 15, and that I have not yet filed my federal income tax return for the prior tax year. Regarding

I acknowledge and understand that this Affidavit will be relied upon for purposes of determining my eligibility for an MCC. I acknowledge that a material misstatement negligently made by me in connection with an application for an MCC will constitute a federal violation punishable by a fine, and a material misstatement fraudulently made in this Affidavit or in any other statement made by me in connection with the application for an MCC will constitute a federal violation punishable by a fine, revocation of the certificate and any other penalty imposed by law. In addition, any material misstatement or false statement which affects my eligibility for an MCC will result in a denial of my application for an MCC, or, if an MCC has been issued prior to the discovery of the false statement, immediate cancellation of the MCC issued.

my principal residence during that year, I am not entitled to claim a deduction for property taxes and/or

In addition, I hereby acknowledge and understand that any false pretense, including any false statement or representation; or the fraudulent use of any instrument, facility, article, or other valuable thing or service pursuant to my participation in any MCC Program is punishable by imprisonment or by a fine.

Date	Signature of Applicant	
	Social Security Number	_

* For purposes of prior homeownership, "principal residence" means (1) a single family home, (2) condominium or townhouse unit, (3) stock held by a tenant-stockholder in a cooperative housing corporation (as those terms are defined in Section 26 of the Internal Revenue Code, (4) occupancy of a unit in a multifamily building owned by the Applicant, and (5) any manufactured home (including a mobile home as defined under federal law) which is of a type customarily used at a fixed location having a real estate loan. Principal residence does not include recreational vehicles, campers, and other similar vehicles, mobile homes without a real estate loan attached.

or investment property which has not been occupied as a principal residence by the Applicant during the past three years.