UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE

Office of Financial Aid

2020–2021 Dependency Appeal Renewal Form

In order to consider a renewal appeal of your dependency status, the Office of Financial Aid must have documented proof of the continuation of an **extenuating** circumstance that prevents you from obtaining parental data for the FAFSA form. The following information is required to document such a situation.

A. STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name | *First Name* | *M.I.* | *Student ID Number (begins with 1 or 3)*

Email Address | *Telephone Number* | *Date of Birth*

B. APPEAL CONTENTS

- ◯ Your completed and signed 2020–2021 FAFSA
- ◯ A typed and signed **one-page** explanation of your current circumstance. Provide any update of the following:
  - Your relationship with your biological and/or legally adoptive parents: include their first and last names and when you last spoke with each parent
  - Specific dates of events cited in your statement
  - Where you currently live
  - How you are continuing to support yourself while living apart from your parents
- ◯ Copy of your 2018 tax transcript or use of the IRS Data Retrieval Tool on your FAFSA
- ◯ All 2018 W-2 forms

Please note: Students approved for a dependency override must request a review of their dependency status each year until the student is automatically considered independent by federal criteria.

C. SIGN THIS WORKSHEET

By signing this worksheet, I certify that all the information reported on this worksheet to qualify for federal student aid is complete and correct. **Warning: If you purposely give false or misleading information on this worksheet, you may be fined or sentenced to jail or both.**

Student's signature | *Date*