



# UNIVERSITY OF ST. THOMAS

## Affidavit of Intent to Become a Permanent Resident

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

SSN (if available) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Semester and year you intend to begin studies at UST \_\_\_\_\_

***Applicants who meet all criteria as stated in Section 2 of House Bill 1403  
must attest to the following: (see attachment)***

I, \_\_\_\_\_, attest that:  
Print Name of Applicant

I will file an application to become a permanent resident at the earliest opportunity that I am eligible to do so.\*

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Notary \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*If you have filed for permanent residence status, please submit a copy of your I-130 or I-485 receipt to our Admissions Office and the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid in place of this form.**

## **GUIDELINES FOR AFFIDAVIT**

Applicants who wish to be considered for in-state financial aid based on Section 2 of House Bill 1403 must meet **all** of the following criteria **and** submit the Affidavit of Intent to Become a Permanent Resident:

The applicant must have graduated from a Texas high school or have received a GED in Texas; or will do so before actually enrolling at the University of St. Thomas.

and

The applicant must have resided in Texas for at least 3 consecutive years as of the date of graduation from high school or receipt of GED.

and

The applicant must have lived with a parent, guardian or conservator while attending a public or private high school in Texas.

and

The applicant must **not** have enrolled in any college/university courses **or** received college credits prior to the Fall 2001 semester.

***Applicable federal statutes, regulations, and other guidance including, but not limited to I.N.A. 5 101(a)(15)(F); 22 C.F.R. Sec 41.61(b); and 9 FAM 41.61 N12.1, are accessible through the Immigration and Naturalization Service web site at: <http://www.ins.gov>***