THE FAMILY EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT OF 1974 (FERPA)
Notice to Students

Student Name (Please print)  CSU ID#

Annually, Columbus State University informs students of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, through the publication of the university catalog. This Act, with which the institution intends to fully comply, was designated to protect the privacy of educational records, to establish the rights of students to inspect and review the educational records, and to provide guidelines for the correction of inaccurate or misleading data through informal and formal hearings. Students also have the right to file complaints with Family Policy Compliance Officer concerning alleged failures by the institution to comply with the Act.

Local policy explains in detail the procedures to be used by Columbus State University for compliance with the provisions of the Act. Information can be obtained from the university catalog as published online. Questions concerning the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act should be directed to the Office of the Registrar.

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AUTHORIZATION / REVOCATION OF ACADEMIC INFORMATION

I, ___________________________________, hereby □ authorize □ revoke the release of

information from my academic records to the following person:

____________________________________  ______________________________________

Print Name  Relationship to Student

I understand that by signing this authorization, I am waiving my rights of nondisclosure of these records under federal law only to the person(s)/organization(s) specifically listed. This release does not permit the disclosure of these records to any other persons or entities without my written consent or as permitted by law.

I further understand that this authorization/revocation of information shall remain in effect until I submit an additional form authorizing/revoking information is received by the Office of the Registrar.

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Student Signature  Date

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