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MIDDLE NAME

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME

PLACE OF BIRTH

Department of Children and Families (DCF) Adam Walsh/ Child Protective Service (CPS) Background Record Request Form

The 2006 Adam Walsh Act allows private and public organizations to request a search of the Massachusetts Department of Children and Families (Department) Central registry to determine if the named individual below has any <u>substantiated</u> report of child abuse and/or neglect within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The CPS central registry check <u>does not</u> include unsubstantiated reports, Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) or Sexual Offender Registry Information (SORI). Public and private organizations are responsible to follow their respective procedures for obtaining such information.

I,_____, understand that the Department will review information contained within its Central Registry of Child Abuse/Neglect. I authorize the Department to provide such information to the agency/organization named below. I further certify that the information below is correct to the best of my knowledge.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

APPLICANT/EMPLOYEE INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

FIRST NAME

DATE OF BIRTH

DATE

LAST NAME

MAIDEN NAME OR ALIAS (IF APPLICABLE)

LAST FOUR DIGITS OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

- ONLY Law enforcement organizations/Sherriff Departments and State Child Welfare Organizations can mail or fax inquiries on their organization letterhead to 617-748-2441 or the mailing address above.
- All other organizations or individuals must mail in their request. The request must be notarized and mailed to: Massachusetts Department of Children and Families, Background Record Check Unit, 600 Washington Street, Boston, MA 02111. You must also include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

NOTARY INFORMATION & STAMP OR SEALED

Official Use ONLY		

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