# NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY
## APPLICATION FOR POLICE OFFICER/FIREFIGHTER DEPENDENT EXEMPTION

| NAME: |  |
| ADDRESS: |  |
| CITY: | STATE: | ZIP CODE: |

**PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTATION AND RETURN WITH THIS APPLICATION TO THE OFFICE OF SCHOLARSHIPS, NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY, ROOM 261, STUDENT SERVICE BUILDING, NATCHITOCHES, LA  71497**

**THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTATION MUST BE ATTACHED TO THIS APPLICATION BEFORE ELIGIBILITY FOR THIS EXEMPTION CAN BE PROCESSED.**

1. A copy of the dependent’s birth certificate
2. A copy of the accident report stating details of accident while officer/fireman was on duty.

**IN THE CASE OF DEATH:**

1. A copy of the death certificate.

**IN THE CASE OF PERMANENT DISABILITY:**

1. A copy of the physician’s report stating permanent disability.
2. Documentation from the state pension board indicating the date disability pay began.
3. A copy of the previous year’s 1040 and W-2 forms.

**THIS EXEMPTION IS AVAILABLE TO A CHILD OF A FIREFIGHTER/POLICE OFFICER EMPLOYED AS A COMMISSIONED POLICE OFFICER/FIREFIGHTER ON A FULL TIME BASIS BY THE STATE OF LOUISIANA INJURED IN THE COURSE AND SCOPE OF THE PERFORMANCE OF DUTIES AS SUCH, WHICH INJURY CAUSES DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY RESULTING IN AN INABILITY TO BE EMPLOYED.**

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- Employees/Potential Employees – Veronica M. Biscoe, EEO Officer (318-357-6359)
- Students – Frances Conine, Dean of Students (318-357-5286)

For Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) concerns, contact the Disability Support and Tutoring Director, Catherine Faucheaux, at 318-357-4460.


*Inquiries regarding employment applications should call Business Affairs (318-357-5446).*