CONSENT FOR STUDENT RELEASE OF INFORMATION

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974 is a federal law designed to protect the privacy of aspects of a student’s educational record that are not considered ‘directory’ information. Educational records include financial aid, student account records, and academic records, which are considered confidential and will not be released without written consent from the student, except to the extent that FERPA authorized disclosure without consent. For this reason, it is necessary for the Campus Life Office at Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary to obtain permission from a student in order to release financial and academic information not excluded by FERPA laws. Copies of FERPA are available in the Campus Life Office, Admissions Office, Registrar’s Office and with the Dean of Men/Dean of Women.

In accordance with the Federal Education Rights and Privacy Act, I, ___________________________________________ the undersigned, authorize the release of my financial information and academic records to the individuals named below. This release only pertains to my financial information and academic records and does not allow the individuals named below, access to information from any other department or office.

I agree to waive my rights under FERPA and allow the below-named person(s) access to my financial or academic records as of this date. (Include ALL persons to be authorized. Submission of this form revokes all prior authorizations.)

Name________________________________________ Relationship______________________________

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□ NONE – I wish to revoke all prior authorizations

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Student Signature                          Student ID Number                  Date

**When calls are received by our office, we are unable to release information without proper identifiers. To be given information over the telephone, callers must provide the Student ID number and PIN.