



NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF
SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

Title	SELECTIVE SERVICE ACT COMPLIANCE
Authority	Board of Trustees
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Legal Reference	BOG 800.2.1 Selective Service Act Compliance; BOG 800.2.1.1[R] Regulations on Selective Service Act Registration Compliance
Additional References	G.S. 143B-421.1
Responsible Offices	Chancellor, Vice Chancellor for Administration
Classification	7310

It is the policy of the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics to encourage eligible students to register in accordance with the Military Selective Service Act (50 United States Code Appx. Sec. 453).

1. Prerequisite. Upon enrollment, re-enrollment, or disbursement of State-supported financial assistance, each student must certify either (1) that he/she is not required to be registered under the Military Selective Service Act, indicating the reason therefore, or (2) that he/she is so registered. Departments shall incorporate the following model certification into appropriate forms:

STATEMENT OF SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION COMPLIANCE
(Check A or B)

- A.** ___ I certify that I am not required to be registered with the Selective Service System because
(check one):
- ___ I am female.
 - ___ I am in the armed services on active duty. (Note: Members of the Reserves and National Guard are not considered on active duty.)
 - ___ I am under the age of eighteen years.
 - ___ I was born before 1960.
 - ___ I am a permanent resident of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands or the Northern Mariana Islands.

- B.** ___ I certify that I am registered with the Selective Service System.
Name (Print)
Signature/Date:

2. Noncompliance. If a student fails to render the necessary certification in timely and proper manner, the student shall be notified that a proposed finding of ineligibility for the identified enrollment or financial assistance will be finalized unless, within 45 days of such notification, the student provides information that establishes the student to be in compliance with the registration requirements of the Military Selective Service Act.

3. Contest of proposed finding of ineligibility. Any student notified of a pending finding of ineligibility for enrollment or the specified financial assistance may present to the official issuing the notice documentary or oral evidence to prove that the applicant is, in fact, in compliance with the registration requirement of the Military Selective Service Act by reason either of registration thereunder or exemption therefrom. The official issuing the notice of a pending finding of ineligibility may allow the applicant the opportunity for an informal hearing to challenge the proposed finding of ineligibility.
4. Burden of proof to establish eligibility. An applicant for receipt of State-supported student financial assistance must establish by a preponderance of the evidence one of the following:
 - a. that the applicant is registered under the Military Selective Service Act;
 - b. that the applicant is not required to be registered under the Military Selective Service Act; or
 - c. that the requirement for the applicant to register has terminated or become inapplicable to the applicant and that the failure of the applicant to register was not a knowing and willful failure to register.