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# SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CRIME VICTIMS COMPENSATION PROGRAM (CVCP) APPLICATION

# PART I – ELIGIBILITY

| DATE APPLICATION FILED:   |  |                  |  |  |  |
|---|--|------------------|--|--|--|
| <b>CLAIMANT NAME (the person seeking compensation):</b><br>If you are assisting someone in filling out this form, answer all questions as if you are the claimant.  |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Choose all that apply: (must select at least one)   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| □ I am the victim   | □ I am the victim  |                  |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>☐ I am the victim's sp</li> <li>☐ I resided in the vict</li> <li>☐ I was wholly or par</li> <li>☐ I paid the medical,</li> <li>☐ I had close ties to the set of the se</li></ul> | <ul> <li>I was wholly or partially dependent on the victim for care and support</li> <li>I paid the medical, funeral, or burial expenses caused by the crime</li> <li>I had close ties to the victim</li> <li>I witnessed the crime</li> </ul> |                  |  |  |  |
| □ I am filing on behalf of  | a victim   |                  |  |  |  |
| □ I am filing on behalf of  | a secondary victi  | m                |  |  |  |
| My address:   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| City:   | State:   | Zip:             |  |  |  |
| Preferred phone:  |  | Alternate phone: |  |  |  |
| Date of birth:  | Date of birth: Email:  |                  |  |  |  |
| Primary Language:   | Primary Language: Pronouns (optional):   |                  |  |  |  |
| Race:   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| If you are filing on behalf of a victim or secondary victim, please provide their information:  |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Name:   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Address:  |  |                  |  |  |  |
| City:   | State:   | Zip:             |  |  |  |
| Phone: Date of birth:   |  |                  |  |  |  |
| Relationship to victim/secondary victim:          Parent         Guardian         Personal Representative         Other(please describe relationship)         Personal Representative   |  |                  |  |  |  |

| CRIME INFO                           | RMATION  |  |  |                  |   |
|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|------------------|---|
|                                      | s or attempted crim<br>condary victim (m             |  |  | emotional tra    | uma or death to   |
| Arson                                | Cruelty to children                                  | Kidnapping   | Riot                                   | Stalking         | Traffic offenses<br>(Impaired,<br>reckless, etc)                        |
| Assault                              | Destruction of<br>property by an<br>intimate partner | Labor<br>trafficking                                       | Robbery                                | Terrorism        | Unlawful use<br>of explosive  |
| Burglary                             | Domestic<br>violence                                 | Malicious<br>disfiguring                                   | Sex<br>trafficking                     | Threats          | Voyeurism   |
| Carjacking                           | Homicide   | Mayhem   | Sexual abuse<br>or assault             |                  | Weapon of<br>mass destruction   |
| Cruelty<br>to animals                | your home  | on of property to<br>e or vehicle from<br>e shooting a gun | Sexual<br>performance<br>using a minor | Neglec           | et, abuse or exploitation<br>of a vulnerable adult<br>or elderly person |
| Date of crime:                       |  |  |  |                  |   |
| Location of crin<br>Please be as sp  | me:<br>pecific as possible.                          |  |  |                  |   |
| Brief Description                    | on of Crime and In                                   | juries:  |  |                  |   |
| Name of offend                       | ler (if known):                                      |  |  |                  |   |
|                                      | ATION OF CRIN<br>documents you ch                    |  |  |                  |   |
| Police report                        | rt Number:   |  | If reported more                       | than 7 days afte | er offense, explain why:  |
| Date of police                       | report:  |  |  |                  |   |
| □ Temporary                          | or Final Civil Prot                                  | ection Order   | Case numb                              | er:              |   |
| □ Temporary                          | or Final Anti-Stalk                                  | ting Order   | Case numb                              | er:              |   |
| □ Forensic me                        | edical examination                                   |  |  |                  |   |
| □ Child negle                        | ct case filed  |  |  |                  |   |
| Court order                          | of early release of                                  | offender   |  |                  |   |
|                                      | cain one of the above<br>state, cultural or lin      |  |  |                  |   |
| □ other court order □ medical record |  |  |  |                  |   |
| □ law enforce                        | ement record; or                                     |  |  |                  |   |

# **PART II – COMPENSATION**

| CHECK THE BOX FOR ANY ASSISTANCE YOU ARE REQUESTING   | THEN COMPLETE    |
|---|------------------|
| □ Temporary Emergency Housing or Moving Expenses for Victims in                               | Section 1        |
| Immediate Danger  |                  |
| Medical Expenses / Dental Expenses / Mental Health Services                                   | Section 2        |
| Funeral Expenses  | Section 3        |
| □ Loss of Earnings/Wages  | Section 4        |
| □ Loss of Support for Survivors of Homicide   | Section 5        |
| Compensation for any Secondary Victims or Dependents  | Section 6        |
| □ Loss of Services and Expenses for Substitute Services                                       | Section 7        |
| □ Replacement of Clothing held as Evidence  | Section 8        |
| Security Measures for the Home  | Section 9        |
| Crime Scene Clean-up  | Section 10       |
| □ Transportation to Receive Services  | Section 11       |
| □ Reimbursement for Alternate Transportation because Car Held in Evidence                     | Section 12       |
| □ Veterinary Expenses   | Section 13       |
| $\Box$ Restitution Agreement (if the offender is ordered to pay you money in a criminal case) | Section 14       |
| □ Other (specify)   |                  |
| ALL APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE SECTION 15: COLLATERAI   | <b>RESOURCES</b> |

# SECTION 1 – TEMPORARY HOUSING AND MOVING EXPENSES – Rule 29

|   | Limit: up to \$3,000 for temporary housing and up to \$1,500 for moving expenses |                                    |  |  |  |
|---|--|------------------------------------|--|--|--|
|   | Are you requesting temporary housing?  | $\Box$ YES $\Box$ NO               |  |  |  |
| Are you requesting moving expenses?          □ YES         □ NO         If yes, submit a copy of lease. |  |                                    |  |  |  |
|   | A referral form must also be submitted.  | Check here if referral is attached |  |  |  |

| SECTION 2 – MEDICAL / DENTAL / MENTAL HEALTH INFORMATION- Rule 13, Rule 24<br>Limit: Mental Health up to \$3,000 for Adults and up to \$6,000 for Minors<br>Medical and Dental: up to \$25,000 max (includes all other compensation award) |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|---|----------------------------|-------------------|------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Did you receive medic  | cal/dental/or mental health tr                              | eatment related to the cri | $me? \square Yes$ | □ No |  |  |  |  |  |
| Name of Doctor,  | Name of Doctor,Street AddressCity/State/ZipPhoneBill amount |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hospital, or Other   |   |                            | number            |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provider   |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Add additional providers on a separate piece of paper.   |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Submit copies of all available bills received to date.   |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Attach all insurance payment statements and rejections.  |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |
| YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE FORMS   |   |                            |                   |      |  |  |  |  |  |

| Claimant Name: |  |
|----------------|--|
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| SECTION 3 – FUNERAL EXPENSES – Rule 25  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Limit: up to \$10,000   |  |  |  |  |
| Name of Funeral Home / Phone No:  | (Attach a copy of the bill)                          |  |  |  |
| Name of Cemetery/Phone No:  | (Attach a copy of bill)                              |  |  |  |
| Total Amount of Funeral/Cemetery Bill: \$   |  |  |  |  |
| Have the Funeral/Cemetery expenses been paid?   | $\Box$ YES $\Box$ NO                                 |  |  |  |
| If YES, by whom?  |  |  |  |  |
| Please submit receipt   |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |
| <b>SECTION 4 – LOSS WAGES/EARNINGS - Rule 28</b><br>Limit: a total period of up to 52 weeks after the date of the crime | e in an amount not to exceed the lesser of           |  |  |  |
| 80% of the victim's net pay or \$10,000   | e, in an amount not to exceed the resser of          |  |  |  |
| Was victim employed at the time of the crime? $\Box$ YES $\Box$ NO  | Date of last employment:                             |  |  |  |
| Name of Victim's Employer (at the time of crime):   | Supervisor's name:                                   |  |  |  |
| Traine of victim s Employer (at the time of ennie).   | Supervisor 5 nume.                                   |  |  |  |
| Employer Street Address:  | Employer phone number:                               |  |  |  |
| City, State, Zip Code:  |  |  |  |  |
| Gross Salary \$ per: □hour □day □week □mc   | onth 🗆 year  |  |  |  |
| Hours Worked per:   |  |  |  |  |
| Are you unable to work as a result of the crime/injuries?   | □YES □NO   |  |  |  |
| How long have you been unable to work as a result of the crime/ir   | njuries? From / / through / /                        |  |  |  |
|   | $\frac{1}{Mo. Day Yr.} \qquad \frac{1}{Mo. Day Yr.}$ |  |  |  |
| Name of doctor who can verify length of disability to work:   | · · · · ·  |  |  |  |
| (Please submit disability statement from the verifying doctor)  |  |  |  |  |
| Doctor's address:   |  |  |  |  |
| Doctor's phone number:  |  |  |  |  |
| Did you receive pay from you job when you were off work?  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |
| Are you self-employed?  | $\Box YES \Box NO$                                   |  |  |  |
| If yes, you must attach a copy of your Federal Income Tax Returns for   | the last 12 months preceding crime.                  |  |  |  |
| YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE AUTHOR   | RIZATION AND RELEASE FORMS                           |  |  |  |
| EMERGENCY AWARD IF EMPLOYED AT TIME OF O  | <b>CRIME:</b> Limit up to \$1,000 – <b>Rule</b>      |  |  |  |
| 37  |  |  |  |  |
| Are you experiencing a financial hardship as a result of lost wag   |  |  |  |  |
| <b><u>NOTE</u></b> : The emergency award will be deducted from any final a  |  |  |  |  |
| than the final award, the claimant must repay the difference. If  | compensation is not awarded, the                     |  |  |  |
| claimant must repay the emergency award in its entirety.  |  |  |  |  |
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| SECTION 5 – LOSS OF SUPPORT FOR SURVIVORS OF  |  |  |  |  |
| Limit: \$2,500 per dependent, not to exceed \$7,500 per victimiza   | ition  |  |  |  |

| Linit. \$2,500 per dependent, not to exceed \$7,500 per victimization                         |      |      |
|---|------|------|
| Have you submitted a claim to Social Security Administration?                                 | □YES | □ NO |
| Did the victim have dependents?<br>If yes, list dependents in section 6                       | □YES | □NO  |
| Did the victim provide support?<br>If yes, submit evidence of employment and/or child support | □YES | □NO  |

## YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE FORMS

| SECTION 6 – SECONDARY VICTIMS and DEPENDENTS |   |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|---|------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Submit copies of birth cer                   | Submit copies of birth certificates for children. Please list the victims' dependents and household |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| members and indicate wh                      | members and indicate whether they will seek mental health counseling, because of this crime.        |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   | about dependents. (Dependent me    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| dependent upon a victim for                  | care or support   | and includes a child of the victim | born after the victi | m's death.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Name   |   |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Birth   |                                    | due to crime?        | victim      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    | □YES                 |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    | $\Box$ YES           |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    |                      |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    | $\Box$ YES           |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |   |                                    | □NO                  |             |  |  |  |  |  |  |

#### **SECTION 7 – LOSS OF SERVICES AND EXPENSES FOR SUBSTITUTE SERVICES – Rule 31** Limit: up to \$200.00 per week, not to exceed \$2,500

Please list all services such as childcare and housekeeping that are no longer provided by the victim as a direct result of the crime.

| SERVICES | EXPENSES INCURRED |
|----------|-------------------|
|          |                   |
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#### SECTION 8 – CLOTHING REPLACEMENT – Rule 27

Limit: up to \$100 (No reimbursement when victim is deceased)

Are any of the victim's clothes being held by law enforcement officials for evidence? 
UYES UNO
List items of clothing being held:

#### **SECTION 9 – SECURITY MEASURES FOR THE HOME – Rule 32** Limit: up to \$1,000

Are you seeking security measures for your home as a result of the crime? Please submit bill or receipt for services.

#### **SECTION 10 – CRIME SCENE CLEAN UP – Rule 26** Limit: up to \$1,000

Are you seeking reasonable cost associated with cleaning up the crime scene?

| SECTION 11 - TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES – Rule 35                                 |      |           |
|--|------|-----------|
| Limit: up to \$100 local travel and \$500 necessary out of state travel        |      |           |
| Do you need assistance with the cost of transportation to receive treatment or |      |           |
| services as a result of the crime?   | □YES | $\Box$ NO |

#### Date of Birth:

# **SECTION 12 - REIMBURSEMENT FOR ALTERNATE TRANSPORTATION** (when victim or secondary victim's car is being held by the police as evidence or to collect evidence) – **Rule 33**

Limit: up to \$2,000

Was your car held as evidence by the police as a result of this crime?

 $\Box$ YES  $\Box$ NO

 $\Box NO$ 

Agency holding car as evidence:

Name and phone number of Law Enforcement Officer:

Please submit copy of transportation receipts.

## SECTION 13 – VETERINARY EXPENSES

Limit: up to \$1000

Please submit copy of bill.

#### **SECTION 14 – RESTITUTION & DAMAGES**

If a court ever orders payment to you because of the crime, you must inform the Crime Victims Compensation Program.

### SECTION 15 – INSURANCE AND OTHER COLLATERAL SOURCE INFORMATION

The Crime Victims Compensation Program must consider all collateral resources (other assistance available to you) when reviewing a compensation application.

#### YOU MAY BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE SEPARATE AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE FORMS FOR DOCUMENTATION OF YOUR COLLATERALL SOURCES

| Source                           | YES | NO | Status of Application | Amount Paid |
|----------------------------------|-----|----|-----------------------|-------------|
| Health Insurance                 |     |    |                       |             |
| Automobile Insurance             |     |    |                       |             |
| Workman's Compensation           |     |    |                       |             |
| Medicare                         |     |    |                       |             |
| Medicaid                         |     |    |                       |             |
| Veteran's Administration         |     |    |                       |             |
| TANF                             |     |    |                       |             |
| Vacation/Annual/Sick/Pay         |     |    |                       |             |
| Food Stamps                      |     |    |                       |             |
| Disability Benefits              |     |    |                       |             |
| Dental Insurance                 |     |    |                       |             |
| Life Insurance                   |     |    |                       |             |
| Burial Insurance                 |     |    |                       |             |
| Unemployment Benefits            |     |    |                       |             |
| Social Security                  |     |    |                       |             |
| Child and Family Services Agency |     |    |                       |             |
| (Payment of Counseling Expenses) |     |    |                       |             |
| Section 8/HUD Housing            |     |    |                       |             |
| Veterinary insurance             |     |    |                       |             |

### Date of Birth:

## **DECLARATION AND AFFIRMATION**

- I understand CVCP will obtain official law enforcement records or court documents related to my claim.
- I understand that I cannot receive reimbursement until CVCP verifies costs and treatment for injuries or trauma from the crime.
- CVCP will notify me if my claim is approved or denied.
- I must also notify CVCP if I sue the offender or if the court orders the offender to pay me restitution. I understand that if I get any money from a lawsuit related to the crime or the court orders restitution, I may have to repay funds I received from CVCP also relating to the same crime.
- If the District of Columbia chooses, it can file its own lawsuit against the offender to recover the money CVCP paid. If the District of Columbia sues the offender to get the funds back, I must fully cooperate with the lawsuit.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I WILL NOTIFY THE CRIME VICTIMS COMPENSATION PROGRAM IN THE EVENT THAT I FILE SUIT AGAINST THE OFFENDER OR THE COURT ORDERS THE OFFENDER TO MAKE RESTITUTION TO ME.

I UNDERSTAND THAT IT IS A MISDEMEANOR TO KNOWINGLY SUBMIT FALSE INFORMATION CONCERNING A CLAIM, AND I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS ELIGIBILITY APPLICATION, THE COMPENSATION APPLICATION AND ANY DOCUMENT SUBMITTED FOR A CRIME VICTIMS COMPENSATION AWARD IS TRUE, CORRECT AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. *See* D.C. Code § 4–513.

Signature of Victim/Secondary Victim or Person Filing on Behalf of Victim/Secondary Victim

Date

□ Check here if photo ID attached If no ID provided, a staff member will contact you for another way to confirm your identity.

Please submit completed application by email to <u>CVCPapplications@dcsc.gov</u> or by mail or in person to 515 5th Street, NW #109, Washington, D.C. 20001; or see remote sites.

Please allow 5 business days for a CVCP team member to review your compensation application. If you have any questions, please call 202 879-4216.