STATEMENT OF POLICY

The Alhambra Scholarship award is to assist students meeting our college requirements and eligibilities listed on the back of this application. Students must be undertaking special education studies to qualify for teaching mentally and physically disabled persons, to help assure their attaining a useful life in society. Scholarship awards are made on the basis that the applicant is dedicated to this special field of education.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT - ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE THIS APPLICATION WILL BE CONSIDERED. READ INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE SIDE OF FORM. 1 Have you received prior Yes: Financial Aid from the Name: _ Order of Alhambra? Amount: _____ Middle Address: Name of College or University you are presently attending: _ 2 _or accepted____ _for the following degree program; ___ Upon attainment of your degree, will you be certified to teach the mentally and physically handicapped with a disability? If no, do you plan to take special education courses in the special education fields? If ves. When: College and Location City: List the course(s) you plan to take in order to fulfill your scholarship requirements: Course: Course Number: Credit Hours: Fee per Credit Hour: Semester Total If a scholarship award is granted, when do you expect to enroll? __Summer;___ When enrolled, I will be a college Junior:_ Senior:_ Other: (Explain)_ RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO THE CARAVAN GRAND COMMANDER OR PROPOSER 3 ____Applicant Signature:__ _____ Caravan Number: _____ Grand Commander Signature:_____ Caravan Name: Grand Commander's Address: ___ City: ___ _Date: ___ Supreme Director Approval:___ Supreme Scholarship Committee: Date: FOR HOME OFFICE USE ONLY Scholarship Committee Approved : Date:______Not Approved: Date:____ Reason: _____ Date(s) of previous checks issued: Date: _____ Amount: \$____ Date: Amount: \$____

Did a Letter of Endorsement accompany this application? Yes:

Was a Brief Statement of Purpose letter enclosed? Yes: _____No:___No:____No:___No:____No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:___No:



International Order of Alhambra Alhambra Scholarship Program Revised 7-26-1.

Mission:

The Alhambra Scholarship award is to assist students studying to teach mentally and physically disabled persons, helping to assure them with attaining a useful life in society.

Introduction:

In recognition of increasing importance of higher education, the International Order of Alhambra is proud to provide financial scholarship awards. Scholarship awards are made on the basis that the applicant is dedicated to this special field of education. The number of scholarships and amounts will vary from year to year, based on scholarship program fund levels.

Eligibilities:

Master Degree students who are specializing in teaching special education and who have accrued 50% of required graduation credits will be eligible.

University Junior or Senior students, who are enrolled in qualifying programs and are undertaking teaching special education, will be eligible.

Community college student who have accrued 50% of required graduation credits and are undertaking special education studies will be eligible.

Students may receive only two (2) scholarships in their life time. Opened to all residents of the US and Canada.

Requirement:

- 1. Applicants must complete all sections (type or print) of the application form.
- 2. Teacher training in any of the above or related fields may be pursued at any accredited public or private university or college where bona fide special educational courses are offered.
- 3. A letter from the recognized school or college confirming enrollment for special education courses and the study major for the semester checked on the front of the application must accompany all applications. The confirmation letter should be submitted on college or university letterhead stationery, specifying courses selected. The courses have to agree with what is on the application. The letter from the college must be typed and affixed with the college seal and Registrar's signature.
- 4. Applicants <u>must</u> write a brief statement of purpose which describes her/his career choice and social impact of particular career. This statement is to be no more than one (1) page in length.
- 5. Return application to sponsor or sponsoring caravan for further processing, if no sponsor mail to home office. All application must be received at the home office not later than March 1st. Our mailing address is: Order of Alhambra, 4200 Leeds Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21229, (Attn: Scholarship Program). Only original applications will be accepted.
- 6. Scholarships will be announced on or before April 30th.

"The Executive Committee of the International Order of Alhambra reserves the right to revise the program as needed"