Section IV – Certification and Authorization for Background Checks

All Applicants Must Complete This Section

20. If you are offered a position, you will be asked to sign a certification that you: a) have not been convicted of any crime involving child abuse and/or neglect, nor had any such conviction expunged; b) have not been alleged in a civil proceeding to have sexually abused a child; c) have never committed an act of child sexual abuse; and d) have not been diagnosed with any paraphiliac psychological condition, as defined by the American Psychiatric Association, including, but not limited to, pedophilia, exhibitionism or voyeurism.

Are you willing to sign such a certification? Yes_____ No_____

I hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, that the information given in the foregoing Application for Church Workers is true, complete and correct.

I further certify that I understand and agree that a complete background investigation, including but not limited to a judgment search, credit check and criminal background check, may be conducted with respect to me. I also understand and agree that this information may be verified by contacting persons and organizations with whom I have had contact, or which may have information concerning me. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless from liability any person or organization that provides such information.
I also agree to release and hold harmless the Diocese of San Diego and

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(Church Name and Church City)
their officers, employees, agents and volunteers from any and all liability as it relates to any investigation taken by them regarding the information contained in this application, or any action taken by them as a result of such investigation.

Name of Applicant (print): _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____