

## **PLEASE NOTE**

To be completed and signed by Employees and Regular Volunteers **AFTER** policy is read.

## X. STATEMENT OF INTENT FOR COMPLIANCE

I have read and understand the policy of the Diocese of Erie entitled *For the Protection of Children*. I will comply fully with all the requirements specified in this policy including the procurement of background checks and completion of the online diocesan training session, *Creating a Safe Environment*. My questions (if any) pertaining to this Policy have been satisfactorily answered. I am not aware of (or I have fully disclosed to the OPCY) any violation of this Policy, whether committed by myself or another person.

I also understand that if I do not complete the requirements of this Policy, I will be prohibited to work with children until the requirements are complete.

I testify that I have never been convicted of child abuse or a crime involving actual or attempted sexual molestation. No formal or informal unresolved charge, claim or complaint has ever been made against me that would call into question the advisability of entrusting me with the supervision, guidance and care of children. I affirm that I am not disqualified from service based upon a conviction under any federal, state, or foreign law that prohibits or relates to:

Criminal homicide
Aggravated assault
Stalking
Kidnapping
Unlawful restraint
Luring a child into motor vehicle or structure
Rape
Statutory sexual assault
Involuntary deviate sexual intercourse
Sexual assault
Institutional sexual assault
Aggravated indecent assault
Indecent assault
Indecent exposure
Sexual intercourse with animal

Incest
Concealing death of child
Endangering welfare of children
Dealing in infant children
Felony prostitution
Obscene sexual materials and performances
Corruption of minors
Sexual abuse of children
Unlawful contact with minor
Solicitation of minors to traffic drugs
Sexual exploitation of children
Felony drug possession/distribution
Any felony sentence less than 10 years ago
Any misdemeanor sentence less than 5 years ago
Any second-time/repeat DUI

Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:

As testimony of the statements above, I affix my signature below.

This record is to be kept on file in the diocesan office, parish, school, agency or institution where the individual ministers, is employed or volunteers. The record for priests will be kept in the Office of Priest Personnel Office. The record for permanent deacons will be kept in the Permanent Diaconate Office.