STANDARD AGREEMENT

SIL	J 213 (Rev 06/03)		TBD	R
			REGISTRATION NUMB	BER
1.	This Agreement is entered	This Agreement is entered into between the State Agency and the Contractor named below:		
	STATE AGENCY'S NAME			
	California Department of	Social Services		
	CONTRACTOR'S NAME			
	TBD			
2.	The term of this			
	Agreement is:	July 1, 2016 through September 30, 2017		
3.	The maximum amount	\$TBD		
	of this Agreement is:	(TBD Dollars and 00/100)		
		Based upon the maximum amount of this Agreement,		
		Contractor shall provide services to <u>TBD</u> UUMs.		
4.		ly with the terms and conditions of the following exhibits wh	ich are by this refer	ence made a
	part of the Agreement.			
	Exhibit A – Scope of Wo	rk		7 pages
	Exhibit A – Attachment 1	- Non-Profit Entity and Eligibility Certification		1 page
	Exhibit A – Attachment 2	2 – Letter of Award		TBD pages
	Exhibit A – Attachment 3	B – Request for Application*		TBD pages
	Exhibit A – Attachment 4	- Contractor's Application		TBD pages
	Exhibit B – Budget Detai	l and Payment Provisions		2 pages
	Exhibit B – Attachment 1	 Quarterly Report and Claim Form 		2 pages
	Exhibit C – General Terr	ns and Conditions	1	2 pages
	Exhibit C – Attachment 1	- CCC 307		3 pages
	Exhibit D - Special Term	ns and Conditions		2 pages

2 pages

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by the parties hereto.

Exhibit E – Additional Provisions

CONTRACTOR	California Department of General Services Use Only	
CONTRACTOR'S NAME (if other than an individual, state whether a corporation, pa	,	
TBD		
BY (Authorized Signature)	DATE SIGNED(Do not type)	
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PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING		
ADDRESS		
STATE OF CALIFORNIA		
AGENCY NAME		
California Department of Social Services		
BY (Authorized Signature)	DATE SIGNED(Do not type)	
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PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING	Exempt per:	
TBD	Welfare and Institutions Code Section 13302(b)	
ADDRESS		
744 P Street, MS 8-14-747, Sacramento, California 95814		

^{*} Exhibit A – Attachment 3 – Request for Application titled "Unaccompanied Undocumented Minor Legal Services Funding State Fiscal Year 2016-17" is hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this agreement as if attached hereto. These documents can be viewed at http://www.cdss.ca.gov/immigrationservices/PG4819.htm

SCOPE OF WORK

PURPOSE

Senate Bill (SB) 873 (Statutes of 2014, Chapter 685) enacted California Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) §13300-§13302 which authorizes the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) to award funding to qualified nonprofit legal services organizations (Contractor) to provide legal services as set forth in the Standard Agreement (Agreement) to eligible Unaccompanied Undocumented Minors (UUMs), as defined in Section 279(g)(2) of Title 6 of the United States Code, who are present in California and transferred to the care and custody of the federal Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) or are residing with a family member or other sponsor.

Eligible UUMs under this funding include all minors who have been designated as UUM or Unaccompanied Alien Child (UAC) as defined in Section 279(g)(2) of Title 6 of the United States Code by a federal agency.

The funding for legal services provided pursuant to SB 873 is for the purpose of providing legal representation for UUMs in the filing of, preparation for and representation in administrative and/or judicial proceedings for the following immigration statuses: asylum, T-Visa, U-Visa, Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (SIJS) or other immigration remedies available to UUMs. The legal services include culturally and linguistically appropriate services provided by attorneys, paralegals, interpreters and other support staff for state court proceedings, federal immigration proceedings, and any appeals arising from those proceedings.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The CDSS and Contractor enter into this Agreement for the above-described purposes and agree to comply with all of the following terms and conditions:

1. Contractor Qualifications

Contractor, by signing this Agreement, certifies that:

- a) Contractor is a nonprofit legal service organization;
- b) Contractor has at least three (3) years of experience handling asylum, T-Visa, U-Visa, and/or SIJS cases and has represented at least 25 individuals in these matters;
- c) Contractor has experience in representing individuals in removal proceedings and asylum applications;
- d) Contractor has conducted trainings on T-Visa, U-Visa, SIJS, removal proceedings and/or asylum to practitioners who are non-Contractor staff;
- e) Contractor has experience guiding and supervising the work of attorneys who themselves do not regularly provide legal representation in the practice areas of asylum, T-Visa, U-Visa, or SIJS cases, but nevertheless work pro bono on these types of cases;
- f) Contractor is accredited by the Board of Immigration Appeals under the United States Department of Justice's Executive Office of Immigration Review or meets the requirements to receive funding from the Trust Fund Program administered by the State Bar of California;

- g) Contractor has the ability to provide legal services, for the specific number of new UUM cases, as stated by Contractor in Exhibit A, Attachment 2, for the type of immigration proceedings, asylum, T-Visa, U-Visa, SIJ or other available immigration remedies specified by Contractor; and
- h) Contractor has the ability to provide legal services to UUMs in need of representation, as stated by Contractor in Exhibit A, Attachment 2, in one or more of the following four regions of California: Northern Region, Bay Area Region, Central Region, and Southern Region.

2. Legal Services Provided by Contractor

- a) Contractor agrees to contact and coordinate with the federal ORR to facilitate Contractor's access to eligible UUMs to offer legal services to UUMs who could benefit from the legal services provided pursuant to this Agreement. In addition, Contractor agrees to contact and coordinate with local agencies, including school districts, or other community based organizations to facilitate Contractor's access to eligible UUMs to offer legal services to UUMs who could benefit from the legal services provided pursuant to this Agreement.
- b) Contractor agrees to conduct a preliminary assessment, prior to the signing of an agreement for legal representation by the UUM, of the circumstances of the UUM to determine, if possible, that the Contractor possesses the necessary experience in the immigration status proceedings that may be available to the UUM.
- c) Contractor agrees to provide legal services that include culturally and linguistically appropriate services provided by attorneys, paralegals, interpreters and other support staff.
- d) Contractor agrees to provide competent legal services that include, but are not limited to:
 - Obtaining information and facts relevant to the represented UUM to properly assess and determine the appropriate immigration status or statuses for which the UUM may be eligible to apply;
 - ii. Preparing for and attending interviews, depositions, mediations, arbitrations, settlement conferences and/or administrative or judicial hearings; and
 - iii. Preparing and filing of appropriate applications, documents, motions, and briefs.

3. Duration of Legal Services Provided by Contractor

a) Contractor agrees, except as specified in this section, to provide all necessary and appropriate legal services to a qualifying UUM that has been issued an alien number by the Department of Homeland Security or another federal agency and that said legal services will commence on the date of the agreement for legal representation signed by the Contractor and the UUM and shall continue until the UUM has been awarded legal status, has exhausted all of his/her opportunity for appeal, or the Contractor has otherwise satisfied the requirements to provide complete legal services as determined by CDSS. Contractor agrees to represent UUMs in appeals of all adverse administrative and/or judicial decisions or orders. In the event that the UUM is not satisfied with any or all decisions, representation shall continue until the UUM instructs the Contractor to withdraw from representation, replaces the Contractor with another representative or attorney, or no longer wants to pursue the filing of an appeal of any or all of the decisions to the highest administrative or judicial tribunal. In the event that an appeal is filed, representation continues, pursuant to this Agreement, until a final decision is rendered by the highest tribunal in which the UUM authorized the Contractor to file an appeal.

- b) The Contractor may terminate legal services with the UUM, pursuant to this Agreement and in accordance with the requirements of Section 7, in the event Contractor subsequently discovers, after conducting a preliminary assessment in accordance with Section 2(b) and the signing of an agreement for legal representation with an UUM, that the UUM may qualify to apply for an immigration status in which the Contractor does not possess the necessary experience to apply on behalf of the UUM or represent the UUM in the applicable immigration proceedings.
- c) The Contractor may terminate legal services with the UUM through a termination letter with no less than thirty (30) days' notice, if the UUM repeatedly fails to appear for appointments or communicate with the Contractor. The Contractor must make every effort to try to contact or find the UUM at all available phone numbers and addresses and through all available contacts, and must document its efforts in writing in the applicable file of the UUM before the Contractor sends the thirty (30) days' notice of termination of legal services due to a lack of contact.
- d) The UUM may terminate legal services with the Contractor at any time and the Contractor must immediately formally withdraw from its representation, in accordance with Section 9(a), so long as withdrawal does not prejudice the UUM's legal case in any way.
- e) In the event Contractor agrees to provide legal services to a UUM that was previously represented and provided legal services by another organization, Contractor shall be required to provide legal services in accordance with Section 3(a).

4. Contractor Responsibilities

- a) Contractor must engage all UUMs for initial representation by entering into a representation or retainer agreement with a qualified UUM no later than June 30, 2017.
- b) Contractor shall keep records of any and all services performed for a period not less than three (3) years following the expiration date of this Agreement.

Evidence of services performed includes, but is not limited to:

- i. Completed intake forms;
- ii. Completed screening forms;
- iii. Retainer or representation agreements:
- iv. Applications/petitions/motions and other legal papers filed on behalf of the UUM in state court, immigration court, with USCIS or other appropriate venues, including copies of G-28 entry of appearance forms;
- v. Receipt notices for applications submitted to USCIS; and
- vi. Final orders or decisions
- c) The Contractor may subcontract services pursuant to this Agreement to another organization (Subcontractor) provided that:
 - Contractor does not assign this Agreement and remains subject to the provisions of this Agreement, including responsibility for the subcontractor's performance as set forth in Exhibit D;
 - Subcontractor shall meet the same eligibility criteria and be subject to the same requirements as Contractor;
 - iii. Contractor enters into a written agreement with Subcontractor specifying the services to be provided by the Subcontractor and the fee arrangement between the Contractor and Subcontractor:

- iv. In the event that Contractor adds or substitutes a Subcontractor to provide services for a specific service category, Contractor provides written notification to the CDSS within ten (10) business days of the name(s) of the subcontractor(s) and the services to be provided by the subcontractor(s); and
- v. Contractor provides written notification to the CDSS within ten (10) business days of any amendment to the services provided by the Subcontractor or the termination of its contractual agreement with Subcontractor and said notice includes the name of the Subcontractor and the service(s) that will no longer be provided by the named Subcontractor.
- d) At all times during the term of this Agreement, Contractor shall maintain the qualifications required to provide the services for which the Contractor receives funding. The Contractor shall immediately report to CDSS any loss of qualifications required to provide services under this Agreement.

5. CDSS Responsibilities

The CDSS shall:

- a. Monitor and evaluate Contractor's reports on performance, expenditures and service deliverables to assess satisfactory performance and compliance with contract requirements. The determination of inadequate performance and noncompliance will be made at the sole discretion of the CDSS. In the event the CDSS determines that Contractor has not satisfactorily performed services or is not in compliance with the contract, the CDSS will give Contractor notice within 60 days of its determination. Contractor will have the opportunity to submit a written response to provide resolution within 30 days after the notification from the CDSS. In the event the Contractor is unable to provide a resolution, the CDSS reserves the right to withhold invoice payments, terminate the contract, or exercise other remedies.
- b. Review data and materials used by Contractor and all fiscal records related to the program. Contract monitoring shall be accomplished in a manner, location and time at the sole discretion of the CDSS.
- c. Provide the Contractor with electronic reporting form and instruction for submission of reports.
- d. Review all invoices submitted by Contractor and approve for payment in a timely manner.

6. Payment for Legal Services Performed by Contractor

- a) Contractor agrees to accept as payment in full for the duration of legal services provided pursuant to this Agreement and in accordance with Section 3(a), which includes all administrative and supervisory costs and court fees, a flat fee of \$5,000 per case. Payment shall be provided in accordance with Exhibit B.
 - i. If Contractor does not provide legal services for the required duration specified in Section 3(a) or terminates legal representation of the UUM as specified in Sections 3(b) or 3(c), Contractor agrees to accept only the initial flat fee of \$2,500, which includes all administrative and supervisory costs and court fees, as specified in Exhibit B as payment in full for legal services rendered. Payment shall be provided in accordance with Exhibit B.
 - ii. In the event that Contractor provides legal services to a UUM in the circumstances described in Section 3(e), Contractor agrees to accept as payment in full for the duration of legal services provided pursuant to this Agreement and in accordance with Section 3(a),

which includes all administrative and supervisory costs and court fees, a flat fee of \$2,500. Contractor shall only be authorized to invoice for payment at the end of the duration of the legal services described in Section 3(a). Payment shall be provided in accordance with Exhibit B.

iii. In the event that Contractor or UUM withdraws representation, the Contractor may apply the remaining 50 percent (\$2,500) to another UUM case with the understanding that no more than the remaining 50 percent (\$2,500) will be reimbursed for the case. If this scenario occurs, please contact the CDSS Immigration Branch for specific invoicing instructions.

7. Requirements for Continued Funding

- a) Contractor agrees that Section 3 of the Standard Agreement (STD 213) sets forth a maximum amount of funds that Contractor may be paid which is based on the number of UUMs the Contractor is expected to provide legal services to. The CDSS has the sole discretion to determine if the Contractor has signed a sufficient number of legal representation agreements with UUMs to meet the expected number of UUMs to be represented as specified in Section 3. In the event that the CDSS exercises this discretion, the CDSS will complete this determination as needed during the contract term. If the CDSS determines that the Contractor is not representing a sufficient number of UUMs, the CDSS will provide written notice to the Contractor stating that ten (10) days following the written notice, Contractor will no longer be authorized henceforth, pursuant to this Agreement, to sign an agreement for legal representation with an UUM and will not receive compensation if an agreement is signed. Contractor shall be required to continue to provide legal services for existing UUM cases funded pursuant to this Agreement and will be compensated accordingly.
- b) If the CDSS provides written notice to Contractor pursuant to Section 7(a), the CDSS, in its sole discretion, may reduce the maximum amount of funding of the Agreement set forth in Section 3 of the Standard Agreement (STD 213) to the amount of funds needed to compensate Contractor for the legal services being provided to the existing UUM caseload on the effective date of the written notice provided in Section 7(a). The CDSS shall provide to the Contractor written notification of the revised maximum amount of funding available to Contractor for the remaining effective period of the Agreement.

8. Reporting

- a) Contractor shall complete electronic reports on deliverables and provide requested data.
- b) Contractor shall submit electronic reports on deliverables and requested data to CDSS in accordance with the following schedule:
- c) The Report Form shall be submitted to:

ImmigrationServices@dss.ca.gov

9. Termination of Legal Representation of a UUM

- a) In the event Contractor or the UUM determines that legal services need to be terminated pursuant to Section 3(b), 3(c) or 3(d), Contractor shall, no more than five (5) days after the termination of the legal representation of the UUM, provide the following:
 - i. Written notification to the CDSS Agreement Representative;

- ii. The alien number of the UUM issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security;
- iii. An explanation of the basis for Contractor's inability to continue to provide legal services pursuant to this Agreement;
- iv. If applicable, identification of another nonprofit legal services organization that is willing and/or has agreed to provide legal services to the UUM; and
- v. Certification that Contractor will provide proper notification to the applicable administrative and/or judicial tribunal that the Contractor will no longer be representing the UUM.

10. Technical Assistance

Contractor may request and the CDSS shall provide technical assistance to the Contractor to facilitate Contractor's compliance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, if possible.

11. Insurance Requirements

Contractor agrees to comply with the insurance requirements set forth in Exhibit E.

12. Exclusions and Limitations

Contractor is prohibited from:

- a) Charging a UUM or any other individual or entity for any legal services, including administrative or filing fees, provided pursuant this Agreement;
- b) Accepting any compensation including pre-payments or co-payments for any legal services provided to a UUM pursuant to this Agreement; and
- c) Using any funds accepted pursuant to this Agreement for the purpose of advertising or soliciting UUM or sponsors for legal services to be provided pursuant to this Agreement.

13. Termination of the Agreement

- a) This Agreement may be terminated without cause by the CDSS upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor delivered by registered mail to the Contractor.
- b) This Agreement may be terminated without cause by the Contractor upon thirty (30) days written notice that includes the following information:
 - i. Written notification to the CDSS Agreement Representative;
 - ii. The alien numbers of the UUMs issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security who are currently represented by the Contractor;
 - iii. An explanation of the basis for Contractor's inability to continue to provide legal services pursuant to this Agreement;
 - iv. If applicable, identification of another nonprofit legal services organization that is willing and/or has agreed to provide legal services to the UUM; and

- v. Certification that Contractor will provide proper notification to the applicable administrative and/or judicial tribunal that the Contractor will no longer be representing the UUM.
- c) If Contractor terminates the Agreement while providing legal representation to a UUM pursuant to this Agreement, Contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation following the effective date of the termination for legal services performed and will be compensated in accordance with Section 6.

14. Agreement Representatives

The Agreement Representatives for the parties in this Agreement are:

<u>CDSS</u> <u>Contractor</u>

Marcela Ruiz, Branch Chief 744 P Street, M.S. 8-9-33 Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 651-5651 Marcela.Ruiz@dss.ca.gov

Either party may change the Agreement Representative but is required to provide written notification of the change to the other party within five (5) business days. Said changes shall not require an amendment to this Agreement.

NON-PROFIT ENTITY AND ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) Section 13001, Subdivision (a), the CDSS will contract with qualified nonprofit legal service organizations who meet the requirements to provide legal services to unaccompanied undocumented minors present in California who are in the physical custody of the federal ORR or who are residing with a family member or other sponsor. The purpose of this certification is to promote the utilization and participation of local non-profit legal organization with respect to WIC Section 13001, Subdivision (a). To receive funding to offer legal services as required in WIC Section 13001, Subdivision (a), a business must possess legal status as a nonprofit organization and meet all of the requirements prior to final award. The main requirements are summarized below.

Legal Status as a Non-Profit: The non-profit enterprise must be a California Nonprofit Organization that is both (a) regulated as either a Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation under California Corporations Code Sections 5110-6815 or a Nonprofit Religious Corporation under California Corporations Code Sections 9110-9690, and (b) tax-exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. All applicable filings with State and Federal agencies must be current, including: the California Attorney General (Form RRF-1), the California Franchise Tax Board (Forms 199 or 109), the California Secretary of State (Form SI-100) and the Internal Revenue Service (Form 990).

Pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code Section 13001, Subdivision (a), in order to be eligible to contract with CDSS to provide legal services your organization must meet all of the criteria listed below.

- At least three years of experience handling asylum, T-Visa, U-Visa, or special immigrant juvenile status cases and has represented at least 25 individuals in these matters.
- Experience in representing individuals in removal proceedings and asylum applications.
- Has conducted trainings on these issues for practitioners beyond their staff.
- Experience guiding and supervising the work of attorneys whom themselves do not regularly
 participate in this area of the law but nevertheless work pro bono on asylum, T-Visa, U-Visa, or
 special immigrant juvenile status cases.
- Is accredited by the Board of Immigration Appeals under the United States Department of Justice's Executive Office for Immigration Review or meets the requirements to receive funding from the Trust Fund Program administered by the State Bar of California.

ORGANIZATION NAME	FEDERAL ID NUMBER
BY (Authorized Signature)	DATE EXECUTED
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING	TELEPHONE NUMBER (Include Area Code)

ORGANIZATION'S MAILING ADDRESS

BUDGET DETAIL AND PAYMENT PROVISIONS

A. Rate of Compensation

- 1. Contractor shall be compensated a flat fee up to a maximum of \$5,000 for legal services rendered for each UUM in accordance with Section 3 of Exhibit A, Scope of Work.
- 2. Contractor shall submit the UUM Claim Form (see Exhibit B Attachment 1) to the CDSS for payment for legal services as follows:
 - a. Contractor shall be entitled to a payment of \$2,500 upon the signing of an agreement for legal representation with a UUM, excluding representation pursuant to Exhibit A, Section B, Item 6(a)(2), in accordance with Exhibit A, Section B, Item 3. Contractor shall complete and submit the UUM Claim Form (Exhibit B Attachment 1), along with and initial representation agreement and evidence of UUM/UAC status, including an ORR Verification of Release Form, for each UUM by the 23rd of the following month. All agreements for legal representation must be entered into no later than June 30, 2017 to be eligible for payment.
 - b. Contractor shall be entitled to a payment of \$2,500 upon the completion of providing legal services in accordance with Exhibit A, Section B, Item 3. Contractor shall complete and submit the UUM Claim Form (Exhibit B Attachment 1), along with documentation demonstrating relief awarded or any final adjudication of each case on behalf of each UUM by the 23rd of the following month.
- 3. Any prior payment made by the CDSS to Contractor in which it is subsequently determined that the submitted alien number is invalid shall be recouped by the CDSS by withholding future payment(s) for legal services requested by Contractor. If future payments to Contractor will not be available to the CDSS to recoup the invalid payments, the CDSS reserves the right to pursue repayment through applicable legal remedies. Contractor will receive written notification in the event that an alien number has been determined invalid and/or future payments are to be withheld.

B. Invoicing and Payment

- The maximum amount payable under this Agreement is set forth in Section 3 of the STD 213 which is based on the number of UUMs to be provided legal services by the Contractor, subject to Section B, Item 5 of Exhibit A, Scope of Work.
 - a. The maximum amount payable under this agreement shall not exceed \$TBD. Shown below are the amounts that cannot be exceeded for each of the fiscal year(s):

2016/17 \$TBD

- 2. For services satisfactorily rendered, and upon receipt and approval of the UUM Claim Form(s), the CDSS agrees to pay the Contractor as specified in Exhibit A, Scope of Work and as specified in accordance with Exhibit B, Budget Detail and Payment Provisions, Section A, Rate of Compensation.
- 3. The Contractor shall submit the UUM Claim Form (Exhibit B Attachment 1), along with an initial representation agreement and evidence of UUM/UAC status, including an ORR Verification of Release Form, for each UUM claimed in the reporting period.
- 4. The Contractor shall submit the UUM Claim Form (Exhibit B Attachment 1), along with documentation demonstrating relief awarded or any final adjudication, for each case on behalf of each UUM claimed in the reporting period.

5. The UUM Claim Form shall be submitted with an original signature in blue ink to:

California Department of Social Services
UUM Legal Services Funding
744 P Street, MS 8-9-33
Sacramento, CA 95814
Attn: Immigration Unit

- 6. Any UUM Claim Form submitted that is incomplete may be returned to the Contractor for further reprocessing.
- 7. In the event that Contractor or UUM withdraws representation, the Contractor may apply the remaining 50 percent (\$2,500) to another UUM case with the understanding that no more than the remaining 50 percent (\$2,500) will be reimbursed for the case. If this scenario occurs, please contact the CDSS Immigration Branch for specific invoicing instructions.

C. State Budget Contingency Clause

- It is mutually agreed that if the Budget Act of the current year and/or any subsequent years covered under this Agreement does not appropriate sufficient funds for the funding of this Agreement, this Agreement shall be of no further force and effect. In this event, the CDSS shall have no liability to pay any funds whatsoever to Contractor or to furnish any other considerations under this Agreement and Contractor shall not be obligated to perform any provisions of this Agreement.
- 2. If funding for any fiscal year is reduced or deleted by the Budget Act for purposes of this Agreement, the CDSS shall have the option to either cancel this Agreement with no liability occurring to the State, or offer an Agreement amendment to Contractor to reflect the reduced amount.

D. Federal Contingency

- 1. This Agreement is subject to any additional restrictions, limitations, or conditions enacted by the Congress or any statute enacted by the Congress which may affect the provisions, terms, or funding of this Agreement in any manner.
- 2. The CDSS has the option to terminate the Agreement pursuant to Exhibit A, Scope of Work, Section B, Item 9 or to amend the Agreement to reflect any restrictions, limitations, or conditions enacted by Congress or any statute enacted by Congress which may affect the provisions, terms, or funding of this Agreement in any manner.

E. Prompt Payment Clause

Payment will be made in accordance with, and within the time specified in, Government Code Chapter 4.5, commencing with Section 927.

ONLY FOR CASES
AWARDED IN FY 2016/2017

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES UNACCOMPANIED UNDOCUMENTED MINORS LEGAL SERVICES FUNDING CLAIM FORM

Invoice No:	

NONPROFIT LEGAL SERVICES ORGANIZATION NAME			AR .	AGREEMENT NUMBER	DATE OF SUBMISSION
		2016/17			
CLAIM PERIOD (MONTH/YEAR) CLAIM FORM PREPAR		ED BY (Pleas	e Print)		
TITLE	E-MAIL ADDRESS		PHONE	NUMBER	EXTENSION
			()		

Mail completed CLAIM FORM to:

California Department of Social Services Unaccompanied Undocumented Minors

Legal Services Funding ATTN: Immigration Unit 744 P Street, MS 8-9-33 Sacramento, CA 95814

1	2	3	4
CASE TYPE (\$5,000 per case)	INITIAL REPRESENTATION* (TOTAL COUNT)	COMPLETION OF LEGAL REPRESENTATION** (TOTAL COUNT)	AMOUNT CLAIMED (COL. 2 + COL. 3) x \$2,500
a. Asylee			\$0.00
b. T-Visa			\$0.00
c. U-Visa			\$0.00
d. SIJS			\$0.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES (FOR REPORTING PERIOD) For all clients claimed in Columns 2 and 3, please list associated Alien numbers (A#s) in the chart on page 2.			\$0.00

^{*}For all cases being claimed for INITIAL REPRESENTATION, please attach (1) a signed legal representation agreement and (2) evidence of UUM/UAC status, including an ORR Verification of Release Form that includes the client's A# issued by the Department of Homeland Security (with all other UUM identifying information redacted).

I hereby certify that all costs reported on this invoice during this period are consistent with the intent and provisions of the approved Agreement between the CDSS and the above-named Contractor. I further certify that these expenditures have not been reimbursed through any other funding source.

Signature of Authorized Representative (Signed in original blue ink only.)	Date

^{**}For all cases being claimed for COMPLETION OF LEGAL REPRESENTATION, please attach documentation demonstrating relief awarded or any final adjudication (with all other UUM identifying information redacted).

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES UNACCOMPANIED UNDOCUMENTED MINORS LEGAL SERVICES FUNDING CLAIM FORM

INITIAL REPRESENTATION	COMPLETION OF LEGAL REPRESENTATION
LIST OF ALIEN NUMBERS	LIST OF ALIEN NUMBERS
Of the numbers listed in Column #2, please list the A#s for each client.	Of the numbers listed in Column #3, please list the A#s for each client.
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EXHIBIT C

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1) <u>APPROVAL</u>: This Agreement is of no force or effect until signed by both parties. Contractor may not commence performance prior to such approval.
- 2) <u>AMENDMENT</u>: No amendment or variation of the terms of this Agreement shall be valid unless made in writing, signed by the parties and approved as required. No oral understanding or agreement not incorporated in the Agreement is binding on any of the parties.
- 3) <u>ASSIGNMENT</u>: This Agreement is not assignable by the Contractor, either in whole or in part, without the consent of the State in the form of a formal written amendment.
- 4) <u>AUDIT</u>: Contractor agrees that the awarding department, the Bureau of State Audits, or their designated representative shall have the right to review and to copy any records and supporting documentation, authorized by law, pertaining to the performance of this Agreement. Contractor agrees to maintain such records for possible audit for a minimum of three (3) years after final payment, unless a longer period of records retention is stipulated. Contractor agrees to allow the auditor(s) access to such records during normal business hours and to allow interviews of any employees who might reasonably have information related to such records. Further, Contractor agrees to include a similar right of the State to audit records and interview staff in any subcontract, if any, related to performance of this Agreement. (Gov. Code § 8546.7)
- 5) <u>INDEMNIFICATION</u>: Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend and save harmless the State, its officers, agents and employees from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any and all contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, laborers, and any other person, firm or corporation furnishing or supplying work services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of this Agreement, and from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or corporation who may be injured or damaged by Contractor in the performance of this Agreement.
- 6) <u>INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR:</u> Contractor, and the agents and employees of Contractor, in the performance of this Agreement shall act in an independent capacity and not as officers, agents or employees of the State.
- NON-DISCRIMINATION CLAUSE: During the performance of this Agreement, Contractor and its subcontractors shall not unlawfully discriminate, harass, or allow harassment against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, race, color, ancestry, religious creed, national origin, physical disability (including HIV and AIDS), mental disability, medical condition (e.g., cancer), age (over 40), marital status, and denial of family care leave. Contractor and subcontractors shall insure that the evaluation and treatment of their employees and applicants for employment are free from such discrimination and harassment. Contractor and subcontractors shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Employment and Housing Act (Gov. Code § 12990 (a-f) et seq.) and the associated regulations at 2 CCR § 7285 et seq., which are incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein. Contractor and its subcontractors shall give written notice of their obligations under this clause to labor organizations with which they have a collective bargaining or other Agreement. Contractor shall include the nondiscrimination and compliance provisions of this clause in all subcontracts, if any, to perform work under the Agreement.
- 8) <u>CERTIFICATION CLAUSES</u>: The CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES contained in the document CCC 307, Exhibit C Attachment 1, are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part of this Agreement by this reference.

EXHIBIT C

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 9) <u>TIMELINESS</u>: Time is of the essence in this Agreement.
- 10) GOVERNING LAW: This Agreement is governed by and shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of California.
- 11) <u>COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL LAW</u>: Contractor shall comply with the laws of the State of California and the federal government in the delivery of services pursuant to this Agreement.
- 12) <u>UNENFORCEABLE PROVISION</u>: In the event that any provision of this Agreement is unenforceable or held to be unenforceable, then the parties agree that all other provisions of this Agreement have force and effect and shall not be affected thereby.



CERTIFICATION

I, the official named below, CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY that I am duly authorized to legally bind the prospective Contractor to the clause(s) listed below. This certification is made under the laws of the State of California.

Contractor/Bidder Firm Name (P	rinted): Federal ID Number:			
By (Authorized Signature):				
Printed Name and Title of Person Signing:				
Date Executed:	Executed in the County of:			

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

- 1. <u>STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE</u>: Contractor has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements. (Gov. Code § 12990 (a-f) and CCR, Title 2, § 8103) (Not applicable to public entities.)
- 2. <u>DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS</u>: Contractor will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:
 - a. Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.
 - b. Establish a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about:
 - 1) the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
 - 2) the person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
 - 3) any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and,
 - 4) penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
 - c. Every employee who works on the proposed Agreement will:
 - 1) receive a copy of the company's drug-free workplace policy statement; and,
 - 2) agree to abide by the terms of the company's statement as a condition of employment on the Agreement.

Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the Agreement, or termination of the Agreement, or both, and Contractor may be ineligible for award of any future State agreements if the department determines that any of the following has occurred: the Contractor has made false certification, or violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above. (Gov. Code § 8350 *et seq.*)

3. NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD CERTIFICATION: Contractor certifies that no more than one (1) final un-appealable finding of contempt of court by a Federal court has been issued against Contractor within the immediately preceding two-year period because of Contractor's failure to comply with an order of a Federal court, which orders Contractor to comply with an order of the National Labor Relations Board. (Pub. Contract Code § 10296) (Not applicable to public entities.)

DOING BUSINESS WITH THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

The following laws apply to persons or entities doing business with the State of California:

- 1. <u>LABOR CODE/WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW:</u> Requires every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of law. Contractor affirms to comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work for this Agreement (Labor Code § 3700).
- 2. <u>AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT</u>: Contractor assures the State that it complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability, as well as all applicable regulations and guidelines issued pursuant to the ADA. (42 U.S.C. 12101 *et seq.*)
- 3. <u>CONTRACTOR NAME CHANGE</u>: An amendment is required to change the Contractor's name as listed on this Agreement. Upon receipt of legal documentation of the name change the State will process the amendment. Payment of invoices presented with a new name cannot be paid prior to approval of said amendment.

4. CORPORATE QUALIFICATIONS TO DO BUSINESS IN CALIFORNIA:

- a. When agreements are to be performed in the state by corporations, the contracting agencies will be verifying that the contractor is currently qualified to do business in California in order to ensure that all obligations due to the state are fulfilled.
- b. "Doing business" is defined in R&TC § 23101 as actively engaging in any transaction for the purpose of financial or pecuniary gain or profit. Although there are some statutory exceptions to taxation rarely will a corporate contractor performing within the state not be subject to the franchise tax.
- c. Both domestic and foreign corporations (those incorporated outside of California) must be in good standing in order to be qualified to do business in California. Agencies will determine whether a corporation is in good standing by calling the Office of the Secretary of State.

- 5. <u>AIR OR WATER POLLUTION VIOLATION</u>: Under the State laws, the Contractor shall not be: (1) in violation of any order or resolution not subject to review promulgated by the State Air Resources Board or an air pollution control district; (2) subject to cease and desist order not subject to review issued pursuant to § 13301 of the Water Code for violation of waste discharge requirements or discharge prohibitions; or (3) finally determined to be in violation of provisions of federal law relating to air or water pollution.
- 6. <u>PAYEE DATA RECORD FORM STD. 204</u>: This form must be completed by all contractors that are not another state agency or other governmental entity.



SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. <u>Dispute Provisions</u>

- 1. If the Contractor disputes a decision of the State's designated representative regarding the performance of this Agreement or on other issues for which the representative is authorized by this Agreement to make a binding decision, Contractor shall provide written dispute notice to the State's representative within 15 calendar days after the date of the action. The written dispute notice shall contain the following information:
 - a. the decision under dispute;
 - b. the reason(s) Contractor believes the decision of the State representative to have been in error (if applicable, reference pertinent contract provisions);
 - c. identification of all documents and substance of all oral communication which support Contractor's position; and
 - d. the dollar amount in dispute, if applicable.
- 2. Upon receipt of the written dispute notice, the State program management will examine the matter and issue a written decision to the Contractor within 15 calendar days. The decision of the representative shall contain the following information:
 - a. a description of the dispute;
 - b. a reference to pertinent contract provisions, if applicable;
 - c. a statement of the factual areas of agreement or disagreement; and
 - d. a statement of the representative's decision with supporting rationale.
- 3. The decision of the representative shall be final unless, within 30 days from the date of receipt of the representative's decision, Contractor files with the California Department of Social Services a notice of appeal addressed to:

California Department of Social Services
744 P Street, M.S. 8-14-747
Sacramento, CA 95814
Attention: Chief, Contracts and Purchasing Bureau

Pending resolution of any dispute, Contractor shall diligently continue all contract work and comply with all of the representative's orders and directions.

B. Termination of the Agreement

- 1. This Agreement may be terminated without cause by the CDSS upon thirty days (30) days written notice to the Contractor delivered by registered mail to the Contractor.
- 2. This Agreement may be terminated without cause by the Contractor upon thirty days (30) days written notice that includes the following information.
 - a. Written notification to the CDSS Agreement Representative;
 - b. Explanation of the basis for the Contractor's inability to provide the services pursuant to this Agreement; and
 - c. If applicable, certification that the Contractor will provide proper notification to the applicable administrative agency that Contractor will no longer be representing the client.
- If Contractor terminates the Agreement while providing services pursuant to this Agreement, Contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation following the effective date of the termination for services performed and to be compensated in accordance with this Agreement.

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- 4. All final invoices and reports must be submitted to CDSS within thirty (30) days of the effective date of the termination of this Agreement.
- 5. Any outstanding advances not reconciled to actual delivery of the services by the Contractor shall be returned to CDSS within forty-five (45) calendar days of the effective date of termination.
- 6. Upon termination of this Agreement, Contractor shall immediately notify and require its subcontractors, if any, to cease performance of the services under any subcontract.

C. <u>Debarment and Suspension</u>

For federally funded agreements, <u>Contractor certifies</u> that to the best of his/her knowledge and belief that he/she and their principals or affiliates or any sub-contractor utilized under this agreement, are not debarred or suspended from federal financial assistance programs and activities nor proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in covered transactions by any federal department or agency. The Contractor also certifies that it or any of its sub-contractors are not listed with any active exclusions on the System for Award Management (http://www.sam.gov) (Executive Order 12549, 2 CFR Parts 180, 376, 417 and 2336).

D. Certification Regarding Lobbying

Applicable to Grants, Subgrants, Cooperative Agreements, and Contracts Exceeding \$100,000 in Federal Funds.

- 1. For Agreements with Contractors who are State entities not under the authority of the Governor, or cities, private firms or agencies which are receiving in excess of \$100,000 in federal funds from CDSS to perform services. By signing this Agreement the Contractor certifies that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:
 - a. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of a Federal contract, the making of a Federal grant, the making of a Federal loan, the entering into of a cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of a Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
 - b. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with this Federal Grant or agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", in accordance with its instructions.
 - c. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all covered subawards exceeding \$100,000 in Federal funds at all appropriate tiers and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- 2. This certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction and is imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U. S. Code. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of no less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

E. Computer Software Copyrights

Contractor certifies that it has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that state funds will not be used in the performance of this contract for the acquisition, operation or maintenance of computer software in violation of copyright laws.

F. OMB Audit

Pursuant to Office of Management and Budget (OMB) audit requirement regulations (2 C.F.R. § 200.501), non-federal entities that expend \$750,000 or more in a year in Federal awards from all sources combined shall have a single or program-specific audit conducted for that year in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. § 200.514 (previously OMB Circular A-133). All OMB audit reports shall meet the report submission requirements established in 2 C.F.R § 200.512 and a copy shall be forwarded to CDSS.

G. Subcontractors

(Applicable to agreements in which the Contractor subcontracts out a portion of the work) Nothing contained in this Agreement or otherwise shall create any contractual relationship between CDSS and any subcontractors, and no subcontractor shall relieve the Contractor of its responsibilities and obligations hereunder. The Contractor agrees to be fully responsible to CDSS for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by any of them as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor. The Contractor's obligation to pay its subcontractors is an independent obligation from the obligation of CDSS to make payments to the Contractor. As a result, CDSS shall have no obligation to pay or to enforce the payment of any moneys to any subcontractor.

H. Indirect Costs/Administrative Overhead

For agreements with other governmental entities and public universities, indirect costs are expenses incurred for administrative services such as, but not limited to, accounting; personnel and payroll administration; accounts payable services; general and specialized insurance coverage; compliance and regulatory monitoring; independent audit services; and legal services. Indirect costs are applied to personnel, operating expenses, supplies, equipment, and travel expenses. Per State Contracting Manual, Section 3.06.B, agencies shall assure that all administrative fees are reasonable considering the services being provided. Agencies may only pay overhead charges on the first \$25,000 of each subcontract. Any subcontractor receiving \$25,000 or more must be clearly identified in the budget display and excluded when the total indirect costs are calculated.

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

A. <u>Insurance Requirements</u>

- 1. Compliance with Insurance Requirements The Contractor agrees that the insurance herein required to be provided shall be in effect at all times during the term of this Agreement. In the event that any policy of said insurance coverage is going to expire at any time during the term of the contract, the Contractor agrees to provide notice of pending expiration to CDSS at least 30 calendar days before said expirations date. Contractor shall provide to CDSS a new certificate of insurance for the expiring insurance coverage at least 10 days prior to the date of expiration of the insurance. Any new insurance must still comply with the original terms required by this Agreement and must be for a period not less than one year.
- 2. Policy Cancellation / Termination & Notice of Non-Renewal Contractor shall provide to the State within five business days a copy of any notice of Cancellation/Termination or Non-renewal received by contractor for any of the required insurance policies. In the event Contractor fails to keep in effect at all times the specified insurance coverage, the State may, in addition to any other remedies it may have, terminate this Agreement upon the occurrence of such event, subject to the provisions of this Agreement.
- 3. <u>Proof of Insurance</u> The Contractor will submit proof of liability insurance for the location where clients receive services. The Contractor agrees that all work and services shall immediately cease during such periods that the required insurance is not in effect, and that any costs incurred for services in violation of this provision will not be reimbursed by CDSS.
- 4. <u>Certificates of Insurance</u> Each certificate of insurance must state that the insurer will not cancel the insured's coverage without 30 days prior written notice to CDSS.
- Legal Malpractice Insurance Contractor, at his/her own expense, shall maintain adequate legal
 malpractice insurance in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 per claim and to indemnify, defend,
 and hold the state harmless from any claims that arise from the legal services provided pursuant
 to this Agreement.

The legal insurance required above shall cover all attorneys providing legal services pursuant to this Agreement for Contractor.

- 6. Commercial General Liability Contractor shall maintain general liability insurance on an occurrence policy form with limits not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage liability combined with a \$2,000,000 annual policy aggregate. The policy shall include coverage for liabilities arising out of premises, operations, independent contractors, products, completed operations, personal and advertising injury, and liability assumed under an insured contract. This insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom a claim is made or suit is brought subject to the Contractor's limit of liability.
 - a. The policy must include California Department of Social Services, State of California, its officers, agents, employees and servants as additional insured, but only with respect to work performed under the Agreement.
 - b. This additional insured endorsement, required in 6.a. that is attached to the insurance policy, must be supplied in a form acceptable to the Office of Risk and Insurance Management. In the case of Contractor's utilization of subcontractors to complete the contracted Scope of Work, Contractor shall include all subcontractors as insured under Contractor's insurance or supply evidence of insurance to the State equal to policies, coverage's and limits required of Contractor.

- 7. <u>Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability</u> Contractor shall maintain statutory workers' compensation and employer's liability coverage for all its employees who will be engaged in the performance of the Agreement. Employer's liability limits of \$1,000,000 are required.
 - When work is performed on State owned or controlled property the Workers' Compensation policy shall be endorsed with a waiver of subrogation in favor of the State. The waiver of subrogation endorsement is to be provided with the certificate of insurance.
- 8. Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance is not required as part of this Agreement as travel or transport of UUMs or any other personnel in a motor vehicle is not authorized nor included in the services provided pursuant to this Agreement. The State will not reimburse Contractor for travel. The Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the State from any and all claims or actions, including claims for bodily injury, death, or damage to property resulting from the use of a motor vehicle in the performance of this Agreement.
- 9. <u>Certificates Filed</u> Certificates evidencing Contractor's insurance coverage shall be filed with CDSS prior to execution of this Agreement.

B. General Provisions Applying to All Insurance Policies

- Coverage Term Coverage needs to be in force for the complete term of the Agreement. If
 insurance expires during the term of the contract, a new certificate must be received by the State
 at least ten (10) days prior to the expiration of this insurance. Any new insurance must still
 comply with the original terms of the Agreement.
- 2. <u>Deductible</u> Contractor is responsible for any deductible or self-insured retention contained within its insurance program.
- 3. <u>Primary Clause</u> Any insurance required of the Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be the primary source of insurance for protecting the State. This primary insurance coverage shall not be limited to, nor only apply to losses or damages above a stated amount; nor shall it require the State to contribute to the purchase of insurance coverage required of the Contractor.
- 4. <u>Insurance Carrier Required Rating</u> All insurance companies must carry a rating acceptable to the Office of Risk and Insurance Management. If the Contractor is self-insured for a portion or all of its insurance, review of financial information including a letter of credit may be required.
- Endorsements Any required endorsements requested by the State must be physically attached
 to all requested certificates of insurance and not substituted by referring to such coverage on the
 certificate of insurance.
- 6. <u>Inadequate Insurance</u> Inadequate insurance or lack of insurance does not negate the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement.