Exceptional Children Director Acknowledgement and Assurance Form APH Legally Blind Registration

This assurance acknowledges that I have been informed and understand that the following information is required in order to have a student's name and identifying information included on the American Printing House for the Blind Federal Quota Census and have access to funding, in accordance with The Federal Act to Promote the Education of the Blind:

- **Signed parental permission**, giving consent to exchange information from LEA to NCDPI to APH; and,
- Current Eye Report from an ophthalmologist or an optometrist. A neurologist's report is acceptable for students classified as FDB (Functions at the Definition of Blindness). Eye reports should be current within 3 years unless there is a report on the file that states the student has a proven non-changing eye condition such as bilateral enucleation or anophthalmos.

Information collected for the purposes of the legally blind registration should be stored in student files within the LEA. I understand my signature is valid for all students in the LEA who qualify as long as I remain EC Director in the LEA.

| EC Director | | LEA Name | |
|-------------|--------------|----------|--|
| | (Print Name) | | |
| EC Director | | Date | |
| | (Signature) | | |

The EC Director's signature is valid as long as s/he remains in the LEA. If a new EC Director is named, a new Acknowledge and Assurance form will need to be signed.

For questions, please contact the NC Ex-Officio Trustee for APH: Amy Campbell, ncaph@dpi.nc.gov, 919-807-3988