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529 College Savings Plan

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Agent Authorization/Power of Attorney

- · Complete this form to designate an individual, corporation, or other entity as your Agent with limited or complete authority to act on your account(s) in Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan.
- You may only designate one level of authorization in Section 3 for the Account(s) listed on this form. That level may be limited or it might give complete power to the authorized agent.
- This **Agent Authorization/Power of Attorney Form** must be signed by the Account Owner and notarized in Section 4.
- This Agent Authorization/Power of Attorney Form must also be signed by the Agent in Section 2.
- If there is anything about this form that you do not understand, you should seek legal advice.
- Type in your information and print out the completed form, or print clearly, preferably in capital letters and black ink. Mail the form to the address listed. Do not staple.



(866) 362-1597

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. ET



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Regular mailing address:

Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan PO BOX 55961

Boston, MA 02205

Overnight mailing address:

Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan 95 Wells Ave Suite 160 Newton, MA 02459

Forms can be downloaded from our website at Franklintempleton.com, or you can call us to order any form — or request assistance in completing this form — at (866) 362-1597, Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. ET. Capitalized terms used in this form and not defined have the meanings provided in the Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan Program Description.

IMPORTANT

THIS IS AN IMPORTANT DOCUMENT. THE POWERS GRANTED BY THIS DOCUMENT MAY BE BROAD AND SWEEPING. THE PURPOSE OF THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS TO CONFER UPON AND GRANT TO THE PERSON YOU DESIGNATE (YOUR "AGENT") THE BROAD POWERS YOU SELECT TO TRANSACT BUSINESS WITH THE PLAN, WHICH MAY INCLUDE POWERS TO MAKE INVESTMENT DECISIONS, CONTRIBUTIONS, WITHDRAWALS, AND TAKE OTHER ACTION IN CONNECTION WITH THE PLAN WITHOUT ADVANCE NOTICE TO YOU OR APPROVAL BY YOU. THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY AUTHORIZES ANOTHER PERSON (YOUR AGENT) TO MAKE DECISIONS CONCERNING YOUR ACCOUNT(S) IN THE PLAN TO THE EXTENT SPECIFIED ON THIS DOCUMENT. YOUR AGENT WILL BE ABLE TO MAKE DECISIONS AND ACT WITH RESPECT TO YOUR ACCOUNTS(S) WHETHER OR NOT YOU ARE ABLE TO ACT FOR YOURSELF. ACTIONS TAKEN BY YOUR AGENT WILL BIND YOU AND YOUR SUCCESSORS.

YOU SHOULD SELECT SOMEONE YOU TRUST TO SERVE AS YOUR AGENT. UNLESS YOU SPECIFY OTHERWISE, GENERALLY YOUR AGENT'S AUTHORITY WILL CONTINUE UNTIL YOU DIE OR REVOKE THE POWER OF ATTORNEY OR YOUR AGENT RESIGNS OR IS UNABLE TO ACT FOR YOU. YOUR AGENT MAY BE ENTITLED TO REASONABLE COMPENSATION UNLESS YOU STATE OTHERWISE.

UNTIL YOU REVOKE THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY OR A COURT ACTING ON YOUR BEHALF TERMINATES IT, YOUR AGENT MAY EXERCISE THE POWERS GIVEN HERE THROUGHOUT YOUR LIFETIME. EVEN AFTER YOU BECOME DISABLED. IF YOU WISH TO REVOKE THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY YOU MUST NOTIFY THE AGENT IN WRITING WITH A COPY TO THE PLAN AT THE ADDRESS SET FORTH ABOVE.

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS INTENDED TO COMPLY WITH THE STATUTES APPLICABLE TO IT. IN THE EVENT OF A CONFLICT BETWEEN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY AND SUCH STATUTES, SUCH STATUTES SHALL CONTROL. YOU MAY HAVE OTHER RIGHTS OR POWERS UNDER APPLICABLE STATE LAW NOT SPECIFIED IN THIS FORM.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY OR THE AUTHORITY YOU ARE GRANTING TO YOUR AGENT, YOU SHOULD SEEK LEGAL ADVICE BEFORE SIGNING THIS FORM.

Signature of Agent

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3. Authorization level

I, the Account Owner listed in **Section 1**, appoint the Agent listed in **Section 2**, as my Agent (please initial the appropriate level of access that applies to the Account(s) listed in **Section 1**).

Note: If you have more than one Account and you wish to designate different levels of access for your different Account(s), complete a separate form for each Account.



Level 1—**Account Inquiry Access.** To obtain information about my Account(s), and receive duplicate Account statements from the Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan



Level 2— **Account Inquiry Access, Contributions, and Exchanges.** To obtain information about my Account(s), and receive duplicate Account statements from the Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan. To contribute money to the above-referenced Account(s) and to move money among Investment Options within each of the above-referenced Account(s).*



Level 3—**Account Inquiry Access, Contributions, Exchanges, and Disbursements.** To obtain information about my Account(s) and receive duplicate Account statements from Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan. To contribute money to the above referenced Account(s) and to move money among Investment Options within each of the above-referenced Account(s). To make withdrawals, now or in the future, from the above-referenced Account(s).*

- * The authority in Level 1, 2, or 3 Access is limited to the level of authority specified above. My Agent shall have no authority to take any other action, including, but not limited to:
 - Changing the address of record on my Account(s),
 - Adding, deleting, or changing any banking information with respect to my Account(s),
 - Changing the Beneficiary,
 - Signing or e-signing an **Enrollment Form** or otherwise opening a new Account on my behalf, or
 - Transferring assets to a new Account(s).

To grant full authorization to a Power of Attorney



Level 4— Complete Power of Attorney. I, the Account Owner listed in **Section 1**, appoint the Agent listed in **Section 2**, as my Agent to act for me in any lawful way that I may act with respect to Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan Account(s) identified in **Section 1**. This allows the Agent (but is not limited):

- To contribute and withdraw money from any Account(s) listed in Section 1 in accordance with procedures established by the Plan.
- To contribute money owned wholly or partly by me to the above-referenced Account(s) and move money among Investment Options within each of the above-referenced Account(s).
- To withdraw, now or in the future, money from the above-referenced Account(s); and otherwise manage and enter into all other lawful transactions with respect to the above-referenced Account(s).
- To change the Beneficiary of any Account(s) listed in Section 1.
- To receive duplicate statements from the Plan.

4. Signature, Indemnification, and Notarization — YOU MUST SIGN BELOW

UNLESS YOU DIRECT OTHERWISE, THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL IT IS REVOKED OR TERMINATED AS SPECIFIED BELOW. THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY WILL CONTINUE TO BE EFFECTIVE EVEN IF YOU BECOME DISABLED, INCAPACITATED, OR INCOMPETENT. THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY MAY BE REVOKED BY YOU AT ANY TIME. ABSENT REVOCATION, THE AUTHORITY GRANTED IN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS EFFECTIVE WHEN THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS SIGNED AND RECEIVED IN GOOD ORDER BY THE PLAN AND CONTINUES IN EFFECT UNTIL YOUR DEATH.

I agree that any third party who receives a copy of this document, including the Plan and its service providers, may act under it with respect to Account(s) in the Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan identified in Section 1. Revocation or termination of this Power of Attorney due to my death, court determination or any other reason is not effective as to a third party, including the Plan and its service providers, until the third party receives written notice of the revocation or termination and the third party has had a reasonable amount of time to act on such notice.

I, for myself and for my heirs, executors, legal representatives and assigns, agree to indemnify and hold harmless the New Jersey Higher Education Student Assistance Authority, the Plan's Program Manager, Ascensus College Savings Recordkeeping Services, LLC and any of their respective authorized agents, and employees, and any third party acting hereunder (any of such persons, individually, a "third party") in connection with the Franklin Templeton 529 College Savings Plan, from and against any and all claims that may arise or do arise against such third party by reason of any action or inaction by such third party having relied on the provisions of this Power of Attorney, including any claims that arise from acting on instructions believed by any of them to have originated from my Agent, and to pay such third party promptly on demand, for any and all losses arising out of any act by my Agent under this Power of Attorney.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE POWER OF ATTORNEY OR AUTHORITY YOU ARE GRANTING TO YOUR AGENT, YOU SHOULD SEEK LEGAL ADVICE BEFORE SIGNING THIS FORM. Signature of Account Owner Your signature must be notarized. See below. We cannot accept a signature guarantee in place of a notary's seal. COUNTY OF ____ This document was acknowledged before me on _ *(date)* by _ (name of Participant), who certifies the correctness of the signature of the Participant. Signature of Notary Date (mm-dd-yyyy) Name of Notary (first, middle initial, last) My commission expires: Date (mm-dd-yyyy) Signature of Witness 1 (Required) Date (mm-dd-yyyy) Witness 1 Name (first, middle initial, last) Signature of Witness 2 (Required) Date (mm-dd-yyyy) Witness 2 Name (first, middle initial, last) Notary to place seal here

Applies to signature in Section 4.