

APPENDIX F: STATE CRIMINAL ALIEN ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SCAAP) CERTIFICATIONS

Required Certification to Office of Justice Programs (OJP) by the Submitting Government Official: Applicant and Submitting Government Official

On behalf of myself and the applicant, and in support of this SCAAP application, I certify to OJP, under penalty of perjury, that the information on the applicant and the **submitting government official** entered above as part of this online SCAAP application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, based upon diligent inquiry and review, and is provided in accordance with the requirements, definitions, and instructions set out in the SCAAP NOFO under which this application is submitted for funding. I further certify that I have the legal authority to make this certification to OJP, including from the chief executive of the applicant.

I understand and acknowledge that OJP will rely upon this and all other certifications in this online application as material representations in any decision to make a SCAAP payment to the applicant in response to this application.

I understand and acknowledge that a materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement (or concealment or omission of a material fact) in this certification, or in the application that it supports, may be the subject of criminal prosecution (including under 18 U.S.C. §§ 1001 and/or 1621, and/or 34 U.S.C. §§ 10271-10273), and also may subject me and the applicant state or unit of local government to civil penalties and administrative remedies for false claims or otherwise (including under 31 U.S.C. §§ 3729-3730 and §§ 3801-3812). I also understand and acknowledge that payments under OJP programs such as SCAAP, including certifications provided in connections with such payments, are subject to review by the Department of Justice (DOJ), including by OJP and the DOJ's Office of the Inspector General.

Required Certification to OJP by the Submitting Government Official: Information on Eligible Inmates

On behalf of myself and the applicant, and in support of this SCAAP application, I certify to OJP, under penalty of perjury, that the information on **eligible inmates** entered or uploaded as part of this online SCAAP application (1) was determined and is reported here using due diligence, and in accordance with the requirements, definitions, and instructions set out in the SCAAP notice of funding opportunity (NOFO) under which this application is submitted for funding, and (2) is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, based upon diligent inquiry and review. I further certify that I have the legal authority to make this certification to OJP, including from the chief executive of the applicant.

I understand and acknowledge that OJP will rely upon this certification as a material representation in making any SCAAP payment to the applicant in response to this application and that this certification is subject to review by DOJ. I also understand that, if this certification is false or otherwise inaccurate or misleading (including because of omission of a material fact), both I and the applicant may be subject to criminal prosecution, civil penalties, and/or

administrative remedies, including as described in the certification in this online application as to the **applicant** and **submitting government official**.

Required Certification to OJP by the Submitting Government Official: Information on Correctional Officers and Facilities

On behalf of myself and the applicant, and in support of this SCAAP application, I certify to OJP, under penalty of perjury, that the information on **correctional officers** and **correctional facilities** entered or uploaded as part of this online SCAAP application (1) was determined and is reported here using due diligence, and in accordance with the requirements, definitions, and instructions set out in the SCAAP NOFO under which this application is submitted for funding, and (2) is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, based upon diligent inquiry and review. I further certify that I have the legal authority to make this certification to OJP, including from the chief executive of the applicant.

I understand and acknowledge that OJP will rely upon this certification as a material representation in making any SCAAP payment to the applicant in response to this application, and that this certification is subject to review by DOJ. I also understand that, if this certification is false or otherwise inaccurate or misleading (including because of omission of a material fact), both I and the applicant may be subject to criminal prosecution, civil penalties, and/or administrative remedies, including as described in the certification in this online application as to the **applicant** and **submitting government official**.