**BORROWER:** Christopher Smith Jr. 1492 Columbus Way Plymouth, MA 02360

### **CREDITOR:**

First ABC Bank 12345 1st St Anytown, CA 93120

# Loan Rates & Estimated Total Costs

**Total Loan Amount** 

\$10,600.00

The total amount you are borrowing.

Interest Rate



Your current interest rate.

### **Finance Charge**

\$18,541.24

\$28,541.24

Total of Payments

The estimated dollar amount the credit will cost you.

The estimated amount you will have paid when you have made all payments.

### **ITEMIZATION OF AMOUNT** FINANCED

Amount paid to you	\$0.00
<ul><li>Amount paid to others on your Behalf:</li><li>ABC State University</li></ul>	+ \$10,000
Amount Financed (total amount provided)	= \$10,000
<ul> <li>Initial finance charges (total)</li> <li>Origination Fee (\$300)</li> <li>Loan Guarantee Fee (\$300)</li> </ul>	+ \$600
Total Loan Amount	= \$10,600

## ABOUT YOUR INTEREST RATE

- Your rate is variable. This means that your actual rate varies with the market and could be lower or higher than the rate on this form. The variable rate is based upon the LIBOR Rate (as published in the Wall Street Journal). For more information on this rate, see reference notes.
- Although your rate will vary, it will never exceed 25% (the maximum allowable for this loan).
- Your Annual Percentage Rate (APR) is 8.23%. The APR is typically different than the Interest Rate since it considers fees and reflects the cost of your loan as a yearly rate. For more information about the APR, see reference notes.

### FEES

- Late Charge: 5% of the amount of the past due payment, or \$25, whichever is greater.
- Returned check charge: up to \$25.
- Fee when you begin repaying the loan: 3.5% of loan balance.

## **Estimated Repayment Schedule & Terms**

	MONTHLY PAYMENTS		
20 YEAR LOAN TERM	at 7.375% the current interest rate of your loan	<b>at 25%</b> the maximum interest rate pos- sible for your loan	<ul> <li>The estimated Total of</li> <li>Payments at the Maximum</li> <li>Rate of Interest would be</li> </ul>
<b>Sept. 1, 2009 - Oct. 31, 2013</b> deferment period	No payment required (\$3,799.67 in interest will accrue	No payment required (Interest will accrue during this	\$154,928.
<b>Nov. 1, 2013 - Sept. 30, 2033</b> 239 monthly payments	during this time) \$118.93	time) \$645.41	
Oct. 1, 2033 1 monthly payment	\$116.97	\$674.63	

## **Federal Loan Alternatives**

Loan program	Current Interest Rates by Program Type	
PERKINS for Students	5% fixed	
STAFFORD for Students	5.6% fixed	Undergraduate subsidized
	6.8% fixed	Undergraduate unsubsidized & Graduate
PLUS for Parents and Graduate / Professional Students	8.5% fixed	Federal Family Education Loan
	7.9% fixed	Federal Direct Loan

You may qualify for Federal education loans.

For additional information, contact your school's financial aid office or the Department of Education at:

www.federalstudentaid.ed.gov

## **Next Steps & Terms of Acceptance**

This offer is good until:

August 1, 2009

1. Find Out About Other Loan Options.

Contact your school's financial aid office for more information.

2. You Have Until August 1, 2009 to Accept this Offer The terms of this offer will not change except as permitted by law and the variable interest may change based on the market.

### To Accept the Terms of this loan, contact us at

First ABC Bank 12345 1st St. Anytown, CA 93120 (800) 555 - 5555

### **REFERENCE NOTES**

### Variable Interest Rate:

- Your loan has a variable Interest Rate that is based on a publicly available index, the London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR), which is currently 4.375%. Your rate is calculated each month by adding a margin of 3% to the LIBOR.
- The Interest Rate may be higher or lower than your Annual Percentage Rate (APR) because the APR considers certain fees you pay to obtain this loan, the Interest Rate, and whether you defer (postpone) payments while in school.
- The rate will not increase more than once a month, but there is no limit on the amount that the rate could increase at one time. Your rate will never exceed 25%.
- If the Interest Rate increases your monthly payments will be higher.

#### **Bankruptcy Limitations**

 If you file for bankruptcy you may still be required to pay back this loan.

### **Repayment Options:**

Although you elected to postpone payments, you can still make payments while you are in school. You can also choose to change your deferment choice to: Pay Interest Only or Make Full Payments. More information about repayment deferral or forbearance options is available in your loan agreement.

#### Prepayments:

 If you pay the loan off early, you will not have to pay a penalty. You will not be entitled to a refund of part of the finance charge.

See your loan agreement for any additional information about nonpayment, default, any required repayment in full before the scheduled date, and prepayment refunds and penalties.