APPLICATION FOR PRE-2008 STUDENT CONTRIBUTION RATE (HECS)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION
You can be enrolled as a pre-2008 Commonwealth supported student if you meet the following criteria:
• you commenced a program before 1 January 2008 and were a Commonwealth supported student for a unit of study (course) in that program and
• you did not complete the program before 31 December 2007 (or the program related to a current honours program) and
• you are not, in 2008 a ‘pre-2005 student’ and
• you are undertaking a course in accounting, administration, economics or commerce.
You are not a pre-2008 Commonwealth supported student if:
• before 1 January 2008 you deferred your enrolment, or withdrew following enrolment, from all units (courses) before the end of the first census date for a unit in your program (unless you meet the pre-2008 requirements for a different program) or
• you studied as a HECS student prior to 1 January 2005 but have not undertaken any study between 1 January 2005 and 31 December 2007 as a Commonwealth supported student.
THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO THE RELEVANT CENSUS DATE.

SECTION 1 - REASON FOR APPLICATION
I am applying because: (Please tick appropriate boxes)
☐ I commenced prior to 1 January 2008 as a Commonwealth supported student and did not complete the program before 31 December 2007
☐ I have been admitted to an honours program.

SECTION 2 - PREVIOUS STUDIES
Program undertaken (e.g. Bachelor of Art):
Name of university: ___________________________ Student ID: ___________________________
Year of first enrolment: ___________________________ Date (DD/MM/YY) Year of last enrolment: ___________________________ Date (DD/MM/YY)

SECTION 3 - DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE (Previous RMIT University students are not required to provide evidence.)
Please attach:
☐ Copy of HECS Information Statement from ATO, showing details of HECS balance.
☐ Copy of Confirmation of HECS Liability Statement for previous studies.
☐ Statement from previous university/institute to confirm enrolment and non-completion of program.
☐ Confirmation of Enrolment and HECS Liability Statement from home institution, plus letter of approval for enrolment at RMIT for a Cross Institutional program.

SECTION 4 - STUDENT DECLARATION
I declare the information and documents I have provided are true and correct, and I authorise RMIT University to confirm my details with third parties where necessary to assess my student contribution eligibility.

Signature of Student ___________________________ Date ___________________________ Date (DD/MM/YY)

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